Attached is a Safety Prequalification Questionnaire.

The Department of Water Resources (DWR) has implemented a safety prequalification process pursuant to California Public Contract Code §10161 of the State Contract Act for construction contracts put out for bid after January 1, 2015.

In order for your company to bid on future DWR construction projects, you must complete and submit the attached Safety Prequalification Questionnaire (Questionnaire) to DWR at the address below no later than 5 days before bid opening.

If determined to be prequalified with respect to safety, your company will be placed on the safety prequalification list for 12 months. Once you are on the prequalified list, you do not need to submit a Questionnaire when you bid on upcoming projects for one year from the assigned effective date.

If you do not submit a Questionnaire in advance, you may submit one at the time of bidding on a DWR project. However, you must submit the Questionnaire not more than 12 months and not less than 5 days prior to the date and time of the bid opening. You must be prequalified with respect to safety at least one day prior to the date and time of the bid opening.

Please send your completed questionnaire to:

Department of Water Resources
Division of Engineering
Contract Development Section
1416 Ninth Street, Room 418
Sacramento, CA 95814