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MIGUEL DEL VALLE

March 4, 2010

Jamie Rhee
Chief Procurement Officer
121 N. LaSalle Street – Room 107
Chicago, IL 60602

Dear Ms. Rhee,

After reviewing the Tabulation of Bids regarding Specification # 81768 - RFQ #3306, the City Clerk's Office wishes to recommend a reward of contract to The Standard Register Company.

Careful considerations were taken into account in guiding us toward this decision. In spite of the fact that The Standard Register Company price is higher than the other bidder, SecureMark Decal Corporation, we will still net a savings over what we previously have paid for each sticker emblem. The quality and integrity of each Vehicle Sticker is of the utmost importance. Furthermore, The Standard Register Company has an excellent track record with servicing our office in the past. Recent published reports and news releases from the State of New York Department of Motor Vehicles indicate a less than favorable performance history with SecureMark Decal Corporation.

Most importantly, the fact that The Standard Register Company offers to fully comply with MBE/WBE requirements was definitely a deciding factor.

Please proceed with rewarding this contract to The Standard Register Company.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Miguel del Valle
City Clerk

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