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The Bidders' inquiries and Responses may be updated from time to time and bidders are enjoined to check the website regularly and immediately prior to the scheduled bid opening.

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All inquiries must include the contract number.

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Inquiry No.	Inquiry/Response
1.0	<p>Question_1: Do all subcontractors at all tiers have to maintain insurance coverage in accordance with the table listing in 7-1.12B(4)(b)?</p> <p>Interpretation_1: Section 7-1.12B(4) Liability Insurance requires subcontractors with a contract of less than \$1,000,000 to obtain insurance in the amounts listed in the table. The majority of subcontractors do not maintain these insurance limits for umbrella coverage. Please modify the requirement for subcontractors to maintain these insurance levels. District 11 is in the process for changing the specification.</p> <p>Response: An Addendum will be issued to amend Section 7-1.12B(4)(a) "General" and Section 7-1.12B(4)(b) "Liability Limits/Additional Insureds" of the Standard Special Provisions. The Bid Opening date will be postponed and the actual date will be indicated in the coming addendum.</p>