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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
LTRC Project No. 18-5ST
SIO No. DOTLT1000234
INVESTIGATING AVAILABLE STATE OF THE ART TECHNOLOGY FOR
DETERMINING NEEDED INFORMAITON FOR BRIDGE RATING STRATEGIES

We are enclosing a request for proposals pertaining to the captioned topic for your distribution to appropriate personnel who may wish to respond. A copy of LTRC Research Manual can be found here: http://www.ltrc.lsu.edu/pdf/2016/LTRC RESEARCH MANUAL FINAL.pdf, which defines an acceptable proposal format in Chapter 3.3. Proposals must be submitted using the downloadable Proposal Form found here: http://www.ltrc.lsu.edu/downloads.html. A copy of a Proposal Review Form that our review panel uses to rate the proposals can be found here: http://www.ltrc.lsu.edu/pdf/proposal review.pdf.

<u>Please note that you must use the forms that are linked in these instructions above. In addition, your proposal title must exactly match our RFP title. A different titled RFP will not be considered.</u>

Ten (10) copies of the proposal must be received by LTRC by the close of business on **January 29, 2018, 4:00 p.m.** It is estimated that the starting date for this project will be February, 2018.

Walid Alaywan has been assigned to manage this project and may be contacted at 225-767-9106 or walid.alaywan@la.gov for any discussion of related concerns.

We value our relationship with your fine institution and appreciate your interest in the Center.

Sincerely,

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Director