

# Exhibit A

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## Kory Gilbert

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### Education

**Master of Business Administration**

California State University; Stanislaus

**Bachelor of Science, Business Administration**

Concentration: Finance

California State University; Stanislaus

### Special Certificates

**Project Inspector Class 1 Certification**

State of California Department of General Services, Division of the State Architect

**General Securities Representative Series 7 Certification**

National Association of Securities Dealers/Securities Exchange Commission

**U.S.A.C.E. Construction Quality Management Certificate**

Naval Facilities Engineering Command, U.S. Navy

**California State Contractor's License #767162**

### Work Experience

**DSA Class 1 Inspector**, Kory Gilbert Inspection Services, Modesto, California, 1998-Present

- Provide IOR services in accordance with DSA, required by the State of California, Title 24.
- Submission of reports required by DSA, Architects, School Districts
- Provide inspections timely in conjunction with Contractor's progress.
- Supervise Assistant Inspectors on larger projects in accordance with DSA requirements.

**Financial Consultant**, Merrill Lynch, Modesto, California, 1996-1997

- Provided financial guidance for clients nearing retirement, funding education, etc.
- Developed successful financial planning techniques.
- Provided financial research services for clients.
- Analyzed current financial situations, recommending changes as necessary.

**Construction Superintendent**, Gilbert Construction, Modesto, California, 1989-1996

- Supervised foundation work, structural framing, rough, and finished plumbing, electrical, mechanical, roofing, painting, etc.
- Ensured all construction was built to code requirements and was of high quality.
- Performed scheduling of construction activities within the company.

### References Available Upon Request

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA · DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES  
DIVISION OF THE STATE ARCHITECT

PROJECT INSPECTOR – CLASS 1

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 24, PART 1

**Kory Gilbert**

HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE CLASS 1 INSPECTOR EXAMINATION  
ADMINISTERED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF  
THE DIVISION OF THE STATE ARCHITECT

CERTIFICATE NO. 3862

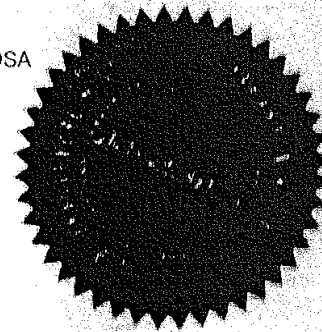
ISSUED: September 15, 2004

EXPIRES FOUR YEARS FROM DATE ISSUED

THE PROJECT INSPECTOR AND ANY ASSISTANT INSPECTORS MUST BE APPROVED BY DSA  
FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL PROJECT PRIOR TO START OF CONSTRUCTION



Stephan Castellanos FAIA, State Architect  
Division of the State Architect



State of California

# Contractors State License Board

Pursuant to Chapter 9 of Division 3 of the Business and Professions Code  
and the Rules and Regulations of the Contractors State License Board,  
the Registrar of Contractors does hereby issue this license to:

**KORY LEE GILBERT**



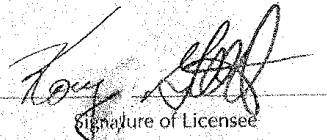
to engage in the business or act in the capacity of a contractor  
in the following classification(s):

**B - GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTOR**

Witness my hand and seal this day,

August 11, 1999

**Issued August 10, 1999**

  
Signature of Licensee

Signature of License Qualifier

This license is the property of the Registrar of Contractors, is not  
transferable, and shall be returned to the Registrar upon demand  
when suspended, revoked, or invalidated for any reason. It becomes  
void if not renewed.





C. Lance Barnett, Ph.D.  
Registrar of Contractors

**767162**

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