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SUBJECT: Specification Transmittal
for Highways 03-1

Incorporate the Standard Modifications and Special Provisions for Highway Construction that are attached, on projects advertised after March 28, 2003.

The Standard Modifications are:

M 102, Section 608, Sidewalks, adds detectable warnings to curb ramps as per ADA. Also removes M 74 and M 86. For Metric SSHC 1998.

E 01, Section 608, Sidewalks, adds detectable warnings to curb ramps as per ADA. For English SSHC 2001 and 2002.

The Special Provisions to be used on a project specific basis are:

S 88, Section 102-1.01, Qualification for Bidders, adds requirement that Contractor have an Electrical Administrator's license when the electrical component makes up a majority of the work on a construction contract. For all electrical projects.

S 89, Section 406, Rumble Strips, replaces rolled with milled rumble strips, the designer is to include in his plans the dimensions in the chief engineer's directive. To be used when economically feasible. For Metric SSHC 1998.

SE 01, Section 106-1.03, Testing and Acceptance, table of test methods to be used until the new Alaska Test Manual 2003 is published. For English SSHC 2002.

SE 02, Section 406, Rumble Strips, replaces rolled with milled rumble strips, the designer is to include in his plans the dimensions in the chief engineer's directive. To be used when economically feasible. For English SSHC 2001 and 2002.

Attached is an updated list of approved modifications to the Standard Specifications. Note that we have a new section of standard modifications for English 2001 and above, the M series is only used for Metric 1998. Special Provisions apply to all, as needed.

Attachments

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