

Design Standards Letter

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Body

Mr. J. J. Corbett's General Letter of April 20, 1961 stipulated policy with respect to the construction of emergency crossovers on Interstate System Highways and outlined a set of rules governing their use. In compliance therewith, the Division of Surveys and Plans is hereby instructing the Districts to prepare all future plans for Interstate projects, including projects having interstate characteristics, without emergency crossovers. However, plans designed with emergency crossovers need not be revised if they are complete and ready to let, or have advanced to a point where it is impractical to make the change.

Standard Drawing 23.10 "Typical Crossovers for Divided Highways" is being revised by deleting "Type 5, Maintenance and Emergency Crossover" and prints will be furnished all Districts as soon as possible.

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