

Design Standards Letter

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ALL DIVISION AND DISTRICT ENGINEERS AND CHIEF COUNSELS:

Senate Bill No. 330 enacted by the 1967 Session of the General Assembly requires that highway construction projects of more than 10 miles in length be divided into sections not to exceed 10 miles each. This in effect will permit plan preparation without section breakdown for projects of 10 miles or less in length.

The districts will continue to prepare construction plans in accordance with present procedures except that if a project exceeds 10 miles in length, the length of the individual section may now be increased to a maximum of 10.0 miles. Section "14.3.23.5, Project Sections," of the Design Manual will be revised accordingly.

Plans that are complete or substantially complete based on the old five-mile limitation need not be revised, but all new plans should be prepared in accordance with the new restriction on length of sections. This law becomes effective on October 13, 1967.

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