

Design Standards Letter

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Subject: Revised General Special Provisions and Form SP-14

Body

ALL DIVISION AND DISTRICT ENGINEERS"

Attached are copies of revised Form SP-14, and General Special Provisions.

A brief description of the latest revisions follows:

SP-14. Sec 109 Measurement and Payment, Sec. 301 Plant Mix Bituminous Base Course, Sec 403 Asphaltic Concrete Pavement, Sec 712 Structural Steel Construction, Sec 902 Traffic Signals, Sec. 1015 Bituminous Materials, and Sec 1050 Lumber, Timber, Piling, Posts, and Poles have been added.

Plastic Filter Fabric For Use Under Rock Blanket. This Special Provision has been rewritten with the primary revision providing for the use of woven or unwoven fabric.

Errata Sheet. Shows corrections to Pages 341 and 388.

Sec. 109. The revisions state that the percentage additive is 20% for the direct labor costs and to separately pay actual cost plus 10% for the contractor's insurance and tax.

Sec. 301. The revision permits the bituminous material for shoulders adjacent to rigid pavement and adjacent to resurfaced rigid pavement to be placed in a single layer.

Sec. 403. The revisions corrected the applicable section references for coarse and fine aggregates for Types A, B and C asphaltic concrete mixtures.

Sec. 712. The revision requires that all transportation costs and expenses of inspectors incurred for retesting shall be borne by the contractor.

Revisions pertaining to the application and storage of paints to comply with the manufacturer's specifications.

Sec. 902. Numerous revisions in order to remove obsolete portions and to bring the section into compliance with industry standards.

Sec. 1015. Eliminated the requirements for placing seals on truck transports.

Sec. 1050. Revisions pertaining to straightness requirements and air drying in lieu of steam cleaning for posts. Reduced the amount of preservative required on posts for signs.

The above revisions are effective with the December, 1981 letting.

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