

Design Standards Letter

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Subject: Revisions to Job Special Provisions

Body

The following revisions, additions, and deletions have been made to the Support Center Job Special Provisions, both English and Metric versions. The bid opening for which the change is effective and a brief explanation of the changes are provided below for each special provision. The new and revised special provisions can be found in the Job Special Provisions database in Lotus Notes.

REVISIONS:

MISCELLANEOUS

General - Federal DSP-90-100 9/97 FEDERAL

General - State DSP-9009H 9/97 STATE

Revised the effective dates for General Special Provisions & Revisions to Standard Specifications, Revised Standard Plans, and relevant wage rates.

SECTION 105 - Control of Work

Cooperation Between Contractors DSP-93-38A 10/97 BETWEEN

Removed portions which duplicated Standard Specifications

SECTION 107 - Legal Relations and Responsibility to the Public

Training Special Provision DSP-90-07B 12/97 TRAIN

Revised to allow using "trainee hours" rather than "trainees" to fulfill training requirements.

SECTION 203 - Roadway and Drainage Excavation

Embankment in Place DSP-93-34F 10/97 EMBANK
Embankment in Place (Contractor Furnished Borrow) 10/97 EMBANK1
DSP-94-07C

Added paragraphs (d) and (e) to Methods of Measurement section to add exceptions for payment of contract quantities to conform to Section 203.6.1 of 1996 Standard Specifications. Modified paragraph (a) of Basis for Payment section to include placing and forming of embankments.

The guidelines for obtaining environmental clearances mentioned in these special provisions may be obtained from the Environmental Studies Coordinator in the Environmental Section of the Preliminary Studies Division. DSP-94-07C is for use with small quantities as approved by the Materials Division.

SECTION 403 - Asphaltic Concrete Pavement

Aggregate QC/QA MSP-96-02C 9/97 MSP9602C

Bituminous Mixture QC/QA MSP-96-1E 9/97 MSP9601E

Revisions include edits, reference updates, and Section 2.0

SUPERPAVE MSP-95-03N 9/97 MSP9503N
Asphaltic Concrete Pavement

Revisions include edits, reference updates, Section 2.2.3.6 and 4.2.3. Note that requirements for payment adjustments due to differing densities, Section 6.1, was added in a previous version.

SECTION 601 - Field Laboratories

Special Field Laboratory MSP-95-06G 9/97 MSP9506G

Update drawing to allow use of previously approved QC/QA labs. Previously revised drawing to clarify use of the 220 volt outlets: locking is for the gyratory, 15 amp straight is for the forced draft oven, and 50 amp is for a binder ignition oven.

SECTION 606 - Guardrail and Guard Cable

Crashworthy Guardrail Terminal DSP-93-05H 10/97 CRASH

Included restriction on end terminals used with curbed sections. Only non-flared end terminals may be used with curbs. (Note: This special provision is eliminated for the 12/97 bid opening, and is replaced by DSP-97-11 below.)

Type A Crashworthy End Terminal DSP-97-11 12/97 CRASH

Replaces Crashworthy Guardrail Terminal DSP-93-05H. This is a name change only, to be consistent with Type B Crashworthy End Terminal.

Type B Crashworthy End Terminal DSP-97-12 12/97 CRASHTYB

Replaces Crashworthy Guardrail Terminal for Type B Guardrail (DSP-93-06B). To be used as End Terminal for Type B Guardrail, Type E Guardrail, and Concrete Median Barrier.

ADDITIONS:

SECTION 105 - Control of Work

Division 100 DSP-97-06 9/97 DIV100R
Revisions for Non-Complex Projects

This special provision is to be used on all projects, except major bridge and complex projects. Major bridge and complex projects are those which require the detailed documentation regarding claims specified in Section 105.16 of the Standard Specifications and for which the detailed scheduling specified in Section 108.4 of the Standard Specifications may be needed to coordinate contractor efforts. Contact the Support Center Design Division for assistance in determining if this special provision should not be used on any particular project.

SECTION 107 - Legal Relations and Responsibility to the Public

Indiana Bat Habitat DSP-97-10 10/97 BATS

This special provision is to be used for projects north of the Missouri River when roost trees that may be used by the Indiana bat, a federally-listed endangered species, are present in the areas to be cleared for construction and a separate clearing contract is not used. See letter from Bob Sfredo dated August 1, 1994 with the subject "Design-Endangered Species Coordination-Indiana Bat Guidelines" or contact a Design Field Liaison Engineer for additional information.

SECTION 903 - Highway Signing

Commission Furnished Signs DSP-97-08 10/97 COMMSIGN

This special provision is to be used to insure timely procurement of Commission Furnished Signs.

Temporary Ground Mounted DSP-97-09 12/97 LOGO
LOGO Signs

This special provision is to be used when construction activities will obscure existing LOGO signs. Signs to be relocated as well as the temporary location should be specified in the plans. The special provision includes a "99" pay item. A permanent pay item number may be

assigned in the future depending upon use of this special provision.

SECTION 1000 - Materials Details

Micro-Surfacing MSP-97-03A 12/97 MSP9703A

This special provision replaces MRSP-10D, MRSP-11D and MRSP-12C.

DELETIONS:

SECTION 606 - Guardrail and Guard Cable

Crashworthy Guardrail Terminal DSP-93-05H 12/97 CRASH

Replaced by Type A Crashworthy End Terminal DSP-97-11.

Crashworthy Guardrail Terminal DSP-93-06B 12/97 CRASHTYB
for Type B Guardrail

Replaced by Type B Crashworthy End Terminal DSP-97-12.

SECTION 1000 - Materials Details

Slurry Seal with Latex_MRSP-10D 12/97 MRSP10D
Modified Asphalt Emulsion

Slurry Seal with Latex MRSP-11D 12/97 MRSP11D
Modified Asphalt Emulsion (Shoulder Rehabilitation)

Replaced by Micro-Surfacing MSP-97-03A.

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