

From: Powell, Jr., Rudy
Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2012 3:35 PM
To: Sands, Jon; Stanbridge, Carrie; Potter, Steve; Gish, Carolyn; McCann, Patrick; Tyler, John; Croft, Mark; McKishnie, Brian M; Price, Matthew
Cc: Sadler, David A; Plotkin, Steven; Hurtado, Dan; Autry, Alan
Subject: FW: Letter from Sika Corporation
Attachments: FDOT 6_18_12.pdf

See attached from Sika regarding the current and future use of Sika PT grout and share with others as needed. PT grout has been a hot topic of discussion in Florida and nationwide. The maintenance office is currently in the process of evaluating the condition of grout on some of our existing bridges. Let me know if there are any questions and we can discuss at the next DCE meeting.

From: Smith, Barry
Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2012 11:12 AM
To: Powell, Jr., Rudy; Paredes, Mario; Plotkin, Steven; Pouliotte, Jeffrey; Robertson, Robert; Hurtado, Dan; Kerr, Richard; Lattner, Tim
Subject: FW: Letter from Sika Corporation

[Letter from Sika on PT grout.](#)

From: Joyce Rusignuolo [<mailto:rusignuolo.j@us.sika.com>]
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2012 4:17 PM
To: Brautigam, Duane
Cc: Smith, Barry; plkelley@sgh.com
Subject: Letter from Sika Corporation

Joyce Rusignuolo
Office of General Counsel
Sika Corporation
201 Polito Avenue
Lyndhurst, NJ 07071
Phone 201-933-8800
Direct 201-508-6753
Fax 201-804-1076
www.sikausa.com
<mailto:rusignuolo.j@us.sika.com>

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE:

This electronic message and all attachments originate from Sika Corporation and may contain confidential information intended solely for the use of the intended recipient or entity. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any reading, disclosure, dissemination, distribution, copying or other use of this message and/or its attachments is strictly prohibited. If you have received this message in error, please notify Sika Corporation immediately by responding to the sender and delete this message as well as all attachments and all copies and backups from your system. Electronic mail transmission cannot be

Sika Corporation Construction

June 18, 2012

Mr. Duane F. Brautigam, P.E.
Director, Office of Design
Florida Department of Transportation
605 Suwannee Street, MS 38
Tallahassee, FL 32399

via email: duane.brautigam@dot.state.fl.us

Dear Mr. Brautigam:

Thank you for meeting with us on Friday, June 1, 2012 at your office. We understand that FDOT is conducting a field survey of a large group of post-tensioned bridges built since 2002 with proprietary grouts, including SikaGrout 300PT as well as competitor grouts.

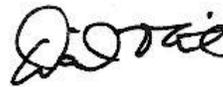
While Sika does not believe that its 300 PT product is defective, as a result of our discussions with FDOT, Sika Corporation agrees not to sell SikaGrout 300 PT to any current or new FDOT projects until the FDOT bridge survey is complete and FDOT has indicated that it is satisfied with the performance of the product. Following FDOT's and Sika's review of the bridge survey results, Sika will submit SikaGrout 300 PT, reformulated to comply with the recently revised FDOT specification, for possible inclusion on the Qualified Products List.

Sincerely,
SIKA CORPORATION



Jim Walther
Vice President

SIKA CORPORATION



David White, P.E. (NJ/NY)
Technical Director

cc: P. Kelley/SGH plkelley@sgh.com
B. Smith/FDOT barry.smith@dot.state.fl.us



Sika Corporation, 201 Polito Avenue, Lyndhurst, NJ 07071
Tel: 800-933-7452, www.sikaconstruction.com

Innovation & Consistency | since 1910