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**TO: DISTRICT MATERIALS RESEARCH ENGINEERS
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SUBJECT: QUALITY CONTROL PERSONNEL TRAINING

The modified Subarticle 105-5.11 of the Specification and its related Sections 6.1, 6.2, and 6.3 of the Materials Manual require that the quality control personnel who are performing the manufacturing inspection of the precast concrete drainage structures, precast concrete box culvert, precast concrete pipe, fiber reinforced concrete pipe, flexible pipe, and incidental precast concrete products, shall have the required training and experience. The aforementioned documents will be included as part of the contract documents of the projects that will be let after January 1, 2007.

The manufacturing facilities are currently in the process of the preparation, submittal, review, approval, and scheduling of their approved training programs. This process may take a few additional months. Therefore, the modified Subarticle 105-5.11 and its related Sections of the Materials Manual will be implemented on the projects that will be let after May 31, 2007, in lieu of January 1, 2007.

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