



Florida Department of Transportation

RICK SCOTT
GOVERNOR

605 Suwannee Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0450

ANANTH PRASAD, P.E.
SECRETARY

ESTIMATES BULLETIN 12-06

DATE: June 27, 2012

TO: District Estimates Coordinators; District Design Engineers

FROM: Phillip Greg Davis, State Estimates Engineer 

COPIES TO: Duane Brautigam, David O'Hagan, Rhonda Taylor, and Manny Uwaibi

SUBJECT: Embankment Utilization, Index 505: Rigid Pavement- Special Select Soil Option

ISSUE BACKGROUND: Over the past few years, we have used several “temporary” pay items for Special Select Soil Option. With recent efforts to be Consistent, Predictable, and Repeatable (CPR), we have identified a need for standard pay items to assist with the tracking and reporting of pay items for rigid pavement.

New pay items are now available for Special Select material “S+” and the work platform “☆” that is the subbase, as shown on Index 505, sheet 4. The Index is available on the Roadway Design web page at <http://www.dot.state.fl.us/rddesign/DS/12/IDX/00505.pdf>

IMPLEMENTATION: Effective July 1, 2012, projects with Rigid Pavement- Special Select Soil Option will use the new pay items for “Embankment- Special Select for Rigid Pavement” and “Rigid Pavement Stabilized Subbase- Special Work Platform”.

NOTE: Special Select Soil Option is used only when approved in writing by the District Materials Engineer and shown in the plans. It is NOT used on all rigid pavement designs; it is only used when special select materials are available locally.

Update Pay Items: The Basis of Estimates will be updated to reflect the above changes. The following pay items will be valid/effective July 1, 2012:

120-11	Embankment- Special Select for Rigid Pavement, CY
180-72	Rigid Pavement Stabilized Subbase- Special Work Platform, SY

Update Plans and Pay Item Notes: For applicable projects, update the Proposal Summary of Quantities (Transport report) in the plans. Include a plan note, as indicated on Index 505, sheet 4.

Specifications: No changes are needed for existing specifications. Material requirements are shown on standard index 505.

If you have any questions regarding the above items, please contact Manny Uwaibi at 850-414-4372.