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Specification: 8-3 (0080301)

Subject: Prosecution of Work

Origination date: December 29, 2008

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Problem statement: Changing specification language to be in conformance with this section.

Proposed solution: By changing the specification to say accepted versus approved, this defines the responsibility of the Contractor and to be in conformance with the rest of the specification language.

Information source: District 5 & State Construction Office

Recommended Usage Note: To be used on all contracts (All Jobs).

Estimated fiscal impact, if implemented:

Implementation of these changes, if and when approved, will begin with the January 2010 letting.



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M E M O R A N D U M

DATE: March 5, 2009
TO: Specification Review Distribution List
FROM: Rudy Powell, Jr., P.E., State Specifications Engineer
SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: 0080301 - Prosecution and Progress

In accordance with Specification Development Procedures, we are sending you a copy of a proposed specification change.

This change was proposed by David Sadler to define the responsibility of the Contractor and to be in conformance with the rest of the specification language.

Please share this proposal with others within your responsibility. Review comments are due within four weeks and should be sent to Mail Station 75 or to my attention via e-mail at ST986RP or rudy.powell@dot.state.fl.us. Comments received after April 2, 2009, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

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SUBARTICLE 8-3.1 (Page 79) is deleted and the following substituted:

8-3.1 Compliance with Time Requirements: Commence work in accordance with the ~~approved~~*accepted* working schedule and provide sufficient labor, materials and equipment to complete the work within the time limit(s) set forth in the proposal. Should the Contractor fail to furnish sufficient and suitable equipment, forces, and materials, as necessary to prosecute the work in accordance with the required schedule, the Engineer may withhold all estimates that are, or may become due, or suspend the work until the Contractor corrects such deficiencies.

SUBARTICLE 8-4.1 (of the Supplemental Specifications) is deleted and the following substituted:

8-4.1 Night Work: During active nighttime operations, furnish, place and maintain lighting sufficient to permit proper workmanship and inspection. Use lighting with 5 ft-cd minimum intensity. Arrange the lighting to prevent interference with traffic or produce undue glare to property owners. Operate such lighting only during active nighttime construction activities. Provide a light meter to demonstrate that the minimum light intensity is being maintained.

Lighting may be accomplished by the use of portable floodlights, standard equipment lights, existing street lights, temporary street lights, or other lighting methods approved by the Engineer.

Submit a lighting plan at the Preconstruction Conference for review and ~~approval~~*acceptance* by the Engineer. Submit the plan on standard size plan sheets (not larger than 24 by 36 inch), and on a scale of either 100 or 50 feet to 1 inch. Do not start night work prior to the Engineer's ~~approval~~*acceptance* of the lighting plan.

During active nighttime operations, furnish, place and maintain variable message signs to alert approaching motorists of lighted construction zones ahead. Operate the variable message signs only during active construction activities.

Include compensation for lighting for night work in the Contract prices for the various items of the Contract. Take ownership of all lighting equipment for night work.