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Khoa Nguyen
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Federal Highway Administration
545 John Knox Road, Suite 200
Tallahassee, Florida 32303

Re: State Specifications and Estimates Office
Section **101**
Proposed Specification: **1010000DB Mobilization (Design Build)**.

Dear Mr. Nguyen:

We are submitting, for your approval, two copies of the above referenced Supplemental Specification.

These changes were proposed by Alan Autry of the State Construction Office to address consistency regarding payment requirements for Mobilization on Design-Build Contracts.

Please review and transmit your comments, if any, within two weeks. Comments should be sent via email to SP965DS or daniel.scheer@dot.state.fl.us.

If you have any questions relating to this specification change, please call me at 414-4130.

Sincerely,

Signature on file

Daniel Scheer, P.E.
State Specifications Engineer

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Attachment

cc: Florida Transportation Builders' Assoc.
State Construction Engineer

MOBILIZATION.
(REV 2-17-14)

SECTION 101 is deleted and the following substituted:

SECTION 101
MOBILIZATION

101-1 Description.

Perform preparatory work and operations in mobilizing for beginning work on the project, including, but not limited to, those operations necessary for the movement of personnel, equipment, supplies, and incidentals to the project site and for the establishment of temporary offices, buildings, safety equipment and first aid supplies, and sanitary and other facilities.

Include the costs of bonds and any required insurance and any other preconstruction expense necessary for the start of the work, excluding the cost of construction materials.

101-2 Basis of Payment.

101-2.1 ~~When a Separate Item is Included in the Proposal~~ **General:** ~~When the proposal includes a separate item of payment for this work,~~ The work and incidental costs specified as being covered under this Section will be paid for at the ~~Contract~~ lump sum prices for the items of Mobilization *included in the Schedule of Values.*

~~Payment will be made under:
Item No. 101-1 Mobilization lump sum.~~

101-2.2 Partial Payments: ~~When the proposal includes a separate pay item for Mobilization and~~ the Notice to Proceed has been issued, partial payments will be made in accordance with the following:

~~For contracts of 120 contract days duration or less, partial payment will be made at 50% of the bid price per month for the first two months. For contracts in excess of 120 contract days duration, partial~~ *Partial* payment will be made at 25% of the *Mobilization amount shown in the Schedule of Values* ~~bid price~~ per month *for the first four months until 100% of the Mobilization amount shown in the Schedule of Values is paid* ~~for the first four months.~~ In no event shall more than 50% of the ~~bid price~~ *Mobilization amount shown in the Schedule of Values* be paid prior to commencing construction on the project site.

Total partial payments for Mobilization on any project, including when more than one project or job is included in the Contract, will be limited to 10% of the original Contract amount for that project. Any remaining amount will be paid upon completion of all work on the Contract.

Retainage, as specified in 9-5, will be applied to all partial payments.

Partial payments made on this item will in no way act to preclude or limit any of the provisions for partial payments otherwise provided for by the Contract.

~~**101-2.3 When No Separate Item is Included in the Proposal:** When the proposal does not include a separate item for Mobilization, all work and incidental costs specified as being covered under this Section will be included for payment under the several scheduled items of the overall Contract, and no separate payment will be made therefore.~~

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101-2 Basis of Payment.

101-2.1 General: The work and incidental costs specified as being covered under this Section will be paid for at the lump sum prices for the items of Mobilization included in the Schedule of Values.

101-2.2 Partial Payments: When the Notice to Proceed has been issued, partial payments will be made in accordance with the following:

Partial payment will be made at 25% of the Mobilization amount shown in the Schedule of Values per month for the first four months until 100% of the Mobilization amount shown in the Schedule of Values is paid. In no event shall more than 50% of the Mobilization amount shown in the Schedule of Values be paid prior to commencing construction on the project site.

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