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January 9, 2013

Chad Thompson  
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545 John Knox Road, Suite 200  
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Re: State Specifications and Estimates Office  
Section **522**  
Proposed Specification: **5220702 Concrete Sidewalk and Driveways.**

Dear Mr. Thompson:

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

These changes were proposed by Karen Byram of the Product Evaluation Office to permit the use of imprinted concrete as an alternative finish.

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

**CONCRETE SIDEWALK AND DRIVEWAYS.**(REV ~~11-819-1312-30-131-7-14~~)

SUBARTICLE 522-7.2 is deleted and the following substituted:

**522-7.2 Surface Requirements:** ~~Provide the concrete with a broom finish.~~ *Imprint concrete as detailed in the Plans, otherwise provide a broom finish.*

Ensure that the surface variations are not more than 1/4 inch under a 10 foot straightedge, or more than 1/8 inch on a 5 foot transverse section. Finish the edge of the sidewalk with an edging tool having a radius of 1/2 inch.

~~522-7.2.1 Finish: Provide the concrete with a broom finish as unless shown otherwise in the Plans.~~

~~522-7.2.2 Embossed/Imprinted Concrete: Furnish and install embossed/imprinted concrete as shown in the Plans.~~

**CONCRETE SIDEWALK AND DRIVEWAYS.**

**(REV 1-7-14)**

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**522-7.2 Surface Requirements:** Imprint concrete as detailed in the Plans, otherwise provide a broom finish. Ensure that the surface variations are not more than 1/4 inch under a 10 foot straightedge or more than 1/8 inch on a 5 foot transverse section. Finish the edge of the sidewalk with an edging tool having a radius of 1/2 inch.