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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 10, 2016

TO: Specification Review Distribution List

FROM: Dan Hurtado, P.E., State Specifications Engineer

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: **9300400 Materials for Concrete Repair.**

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

This change was proposed by Donnie Bagwell of the State Materials Office (SMO) to update the 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 online at <http://www2.dot.state.fl.us/ProgramManagement/Development/IndustryReview.aspx> . Comments received after **December 8, 2016**, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

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Attachment

MATERIALS FOR CONCRETE REPAIR.
(REV 10-27-16)

ARTICLE 930-4 is deleted and the following substituted:

930-4 Materials for Repair of Predominately Horizontal Surfaces.

930-4.1 General: This material is intended to be used to repair concrete where the area to be treated will be on a horizontal surface. Examples of the type of locations for these materials are bridge decks, portland cement concrete pavements and other locations required by the Contract Documents. Follow the manufacturer’s recommendations for preparing the surfaces, mixing, placing, and curing the repair material unless otherwise directed in the Contract Documents.

930-4.2 Classification: The materials to be considered under this classification shall meet the following requirements:

930-4.2.1 Rapid Hardening: Moderate compressive strength for repairing concrete with an in-place compressive strength less than or equal to 4,000 psi.

930-4.2.2 Very Rapid Hardening: High compressive strength for repairing concrete with an in-place compressive strength greater than 4,000 psi. This material may be used in lieu of R_{rapid} H_{hardening} materials.

930-4.3 Physical Properties: The repair material shall meet or exceed the physical properties stated in Table 1 as determined by the specified test methods.

Table 1 - Physical Properties of Repair Materials for Horizontal Surfaces			
Requirement	Test Method	Rapid Hardening	Very Rapid Hardening
Minimum Compressive Strength, psi			
3 hours	ASTM C39* or ASTM C109*	N/A	2,000
24 hours		2,000	4,000
7 days		4,000	6,000
28 days		Greater than or equal to strength at 7 days.	
Maximum Length Change, %			
Allowable expansion at 28 days when water cured compared to length at one day	ASTM C157**	0.12	0.12
Allowable shrinkage at 28 days when air cured compared to length at one day		-0.12	-0.12
Allowable difference between increase in water and decrease in air		0.20	0.20
Minimum Slump (Concrete), inches	ASTM C143***	3	3
Minimum Flow (Mortar), %	ASTM C1437***	100	80
Time of Setting (Initial), minutes	ASTM C191* or ASTM C403*	Minimum 30	10 to 29

Table 1 - Physical Properties of Repair Materials for Horizontal Surfaces			
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion, in/in/°F	ASTM C531* or AASHTO T336	5.0 x 10 ⁻⁶ to 9.0 x 10 ⁻⁶	5.0 x 10 ⁻⁶ to 9.0 x 10 ⁻⁶
Minimum Bond Strength by Slant Shear, psi			
24 hours	FM 5-587	400	450
7 days		Greater than or equal to strength at 24 hours.	
Maximum Allowable Total Chlorides lbs/yd ³	FM 5-516	0.40	
<p>* as applicable</p> <p>** Make and cure the test specimens in accordance with ASTM C-157, except omit the curing period in Section 10.3; however both 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 shall apply for 28 day curing period.</p> <p>*** Testing for flow/slump will be completed in 5 plus or minus 1/2 minutes after the start of mixing liquid with the Rapid Hardening materials or 15 plus or minus 1/2 minutes after mixing the liquid with the Very Rapid Hardening materials.</p>			

930-4.4 Specimen Preparation:

930-4.4.1 Flow/Slump: Testing for flow/slump will be completed in 15 minutes, plus or minus 1/2 minutes, after the start of mixing liquid with the **R**apid **H**ardening materials or 15 minutes, plus or minus 1/2 minutes, after mixing the liquid with the very rapid hardening materials.