

**New Jersey Department of Transportation
CORRECTIVE ACTION NOTICE**

QUALITY MANAGEMENT SERVICES

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Bureau(s) Affected: Technical Specifications Unit, Contract Administration Services
Quality Management Services

Description of Problem(s):

The Deputy Attorney General has directed that the current draft specifications for the Occupancy Charges/Lane Rental Charges have potential for significant litigation and possible nullification by a court. Therefore, the current draft specifications for the above subject should not be used until further notice.

Corrective Action Plan:

Effective immediately, **NO** Department construction project shall include the Occupancy Charges (Lane Rental) Specifications, (related changes to Subsections 101.08 and 108.16). The responsibility of each unit to ensure that this is carried out shall be as follows:

- **BUREAU OF CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION SERVICES**
This Bureau shall be responsible for immediately issuing an addendum to delete the "Occupancy Charge" specifications for all advertised projects.
- **DIVISION OF DESIGN SERVICES - TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS UNIT**
This unit shall be responsible for assisting in the development of the above addendum for advertised projects. In addition, this unit shall ensure that **no** project which has yet to be advertised includes the draft specifications for Occupancy Charges/Lane Rental Charges.
- **BUREAU OF QUALITY MANAGEMENT SERVICES**
A Baseline Document Change announcement revising the 1996 Standard Specifications to include "Occupancy Charge" will be issued only upon DAG and FHWA approval in the future.

Until the Baseline Document Change announcement referred to above is issued, this Corrective Action Notice shall be in effect.

Implementation: EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

Superseded