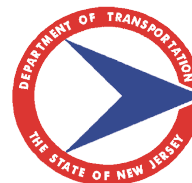


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Baseline Document Change Announcement

Value Engineering Proposal

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SUBJECT: Revision to Subsection 104.11 to the 2001 Standard Specifications regarding Value Engineering proposal

In order to increase opportunities for innovations and cost savings from Contractor's Value Engineering proposals, Subsection 104.11 of the 2001 Standard Specifications has been revised to remove the list of restrictions.

The following revisions have been incorporated in both the English unit Standard Input *SI2001E1* and Metric unit Standard Input *SI2001M1* as of June 09, 2006.

SECTION 104 – SCOPE OF WORK

104.11 Value Engineering

4. Conditions.

THE LAST TWO PARAGRAPHS ARE CHANGED TO:

The proposal shall not change the Contract's original design criteria, merely eliminate work, be based on an unknown factor, or delay the Project.

All proposals for changes to bridges and structures shall conform to the current AASHTO Standard Specifications for Highway Bridges as modified by the NJDOT Design Manual for Bridges and Structures.

Implementation Code R (ROUTINE)

Changes must be implemented in all applicable Department projects scheduled for Final Design Submission at least one month after the date of the BDC announcement. This will allow designers to make necessary plan, specifications, and estimate/proposal changes without requiring the need for an addenda or postponement of advertisement or receipt of bids.

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