

ANNOUNCEMENT: BDC14S-01

DATE: February 28, 2014

SUBJECT:Reuse or Disposal of Excess Material
- Revision to Subpart 202.03.07 of the 2007 Standard Specifications for
Road and Bridge Construction.

Subpart 202.03.07 of *the 2007 Standard Specifications* has been revised to restrict the reuse of excess material in the environmentally sensitive areas without an appropriate NJDEP permit.

The following revision has been incorporated into the Standard Input SI2007 as of February 28, 2014.

SECTION 202 – EXCAVATION

202.03.07 Reuse or Disposal of Excess Material

A. Reuse.

THE THIRD PARAGRAPH IS CHANGED TO:

Upon RE's approval, reuse excavated soil to widen or flatten slopes of embankment, to fade embankments into cuts, or as approved at other locations. Ensure that the excess material is not reused within a wetland, a transition area, a riparian zone, a flood hazard area or other regulated area without obtaining an appropriate NJDEP permit.

B. Disposal.

PARTS 1 AND 2 UNDER THE FIRST PARAGRAPH ARE CHANGED TO:

- 1. At least 10 days before disposing, submit the disposal procedure and location to the RE for approval. Do not dispose of excavation on property proposed to be used for parks, playgrounds, and other recreational purposes; residential facilities, and educational facilities; environmentally sensitive areas such as wetlands, and historic sites; or areas within sight of a State highway during all seasons.
- 2. Obtain the property owner's notarized authorization of the acceptance of the excess material and where it is being placed.

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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