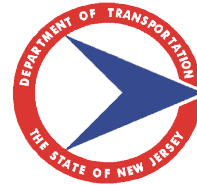


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Baseline Document Change Announcement

ANNOUNCEMENT: BDC19S-07

DATE: February 28, 2020

SUBJECT: Barrier curb Inspection and Police Services
- Revision to the 2019 Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, Subparts 159.03.02 and 159.03.08

Subparts 159.03.02 and 159.03.08 of the 2019 Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction have been revised to ensure construction barrier curb is not stacked for inspection and to eliminate “Rolling slow-down” as an activity requiring Police services respectively.

The following revisions have been incorporated into the Standard Inputs (SI 2019):

159.03.02 Traffic Control Devices

2. Construction Barrier Curb.

THE SECOND PARAGRAPH IS CHANGED TO:

At least 30 days before delivering construction barrier curb to the Project Limits, provide the RE notice that the barrier curb is available for inspection. Ensure the barrier curb is not stacked for this inspection. The RE will inspect the barrier curb, along with a Contractor representative, to determine what pieces are not approved for delivery to the Project Limits. Final determination of construction barrier approval will be made at the time of placement at the Project.

159.03.08 Traffic Direction

B. Police.


THE SECOND PARAGRAPH PART 2 IS CHANGED TO:

2. Temporary closure of all lanes on state highways and interstates.

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 addenda or postponement of advertisement or receipt of bids.

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