

CONSULTING ENGINEERS
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Supplemental Specifications to the
Standard Specifications – Form 816

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To: CONSULTING ENGINEERS

The July 2008 Supplemental Specifications to the Standard Specifications for Roads, Bridges and Incidental Construction, Form 816, have been issued and are available on the Department's web site. All projects for which final plan submissions are scheduled after September 1, 2008 are required to incorporate the new supplemental specifications.

Significant changes are summarized below:

- Section 1.09 (Measurement and Payment) – replaces the table for the Contractor's administrative expenses for cost plus work with a fixed percentage.
- Section 6.51 (Culverts) – replaces references to gravel fill with granular fill.
- Section M.16 (Traffic Control Signals) – changes the paint color for the third coat on traffic signals.

Very truly yours,

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