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**THIS MEMO HAS EXPIRED**

**MEMORANDUM NO: 01-03**

**TO:** DISTRICT CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERS

**FROM:** Ananth Prasad, State Construction Engineer *Ananth Prasad*

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**SUBJECT:** COMPENSATION FOR PREFORMED PILE HOLES

An oversight in Sub-Article 455-11.13 and 455-12.8 of the Supplemental Specifications has been discovered in the Method of Measurement and Basis of Payment for Preformed Pile Holes and needs to be corrected.

Therefore, for contracts let prior to July 2003, please process a \$0.00 specification change if this specification was included in the Contract and notify the Contractor as soon as possible of this change.

The Specification change is as follows:

Sub-article 455-11.13 (of the supplemental specifications) is deleted and the following substituted:

**455-11.13 Preformed Pile Holes:** *The quantity to be paid for will be 30% of one (1) foot (meter) of piling for each foot (meter) of completed Preformed Pile Holes acceptably provided, complete for the installation of the bearing piles, regardless of the type of pile installed therein. Only those holes authorized to be paid for, as provided in 455-5.9.3, will be included in the measurement for payment. The Engineer will authorize payment for Preformed Pile Holes only when the pile has been placed in proper position and has achieved the required penetration.*

Sub-article 455-12.8 (of the supplemental specifications) is deleted and the following substituted:

**455-12.8 Preformed Pile Holes:** *There will be no separate pay item for Preformed Pile Holes. Payment will be made as 30% of one (1) foot (meter) for Piling of the applicable pile type for each linear foot (meter) of hole which is preformed when authorized by the Engineer. Price and payment will be full compensation for all labor, equipment, and materials required to perform this work.*

***This memo serves as a blanket approval to process a specification change and should be attached to the Field Supplemental Agreement/Work Order or the Supplemental Agreement.***

Any questions pertaining to this matter should be directed to David Chason at (850) 414-4171 / SC 994-4171 or Dennis Barber at (850) 414-4177 / SC 994-4177

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