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TO: DISTRICT CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERS

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SUBJECT: CONSTRUCTION PROJECT ADMINISTRATION MANUAL (CPAM) CHANGES FOR CHAPTER 7 SECTION 3

CPAM section 7.3.6.2 is deleted and replaced with the following effective the date of this Bulletin. A revision is necessary to align CPAM with the Plans Preparation Manual Chapter 10.2. The following revision will be incorporated into the next regularly scheduled update to this section.

7.3.6.2 Project Limit and Construction Limit Extensions

(A) Resident Level Responsibilities

Section 337.11(9)(b), F. S. states that **Supplemental Agreements** may only be used to expand the physical limits of a project only to the extent necessary to make the project functionally operational in accord with the intent of the original contract. The cost of any such agreement extending the physical limits of a project shall not exceed \$100,000, or ten (10) percent of the original contract amount, whichever is greater.

Authorization from the Director, Office of Construction is required before extending the project limits to perform work other than friction course, guardrail, drainage, signing and pavement marking. Authorization from the Director, Office of Construction is required before extending the construction limits on any project.

On FHWA Oversight Projects, FHWA concurrence for project limit and construction limit extensions must be obtained in accord with **CPAM Section 7.3.11.2**.

Prior to processing a project limit or construction limit Extension, for Department prepared plans, notify the Department's Engineer of Record. For consultant-prepared plans, notify the Department's Design Project Manager. Refer to **Section 4.5.2** of the **Preparation and Documentation Manual, Topic No. 700-050-010**.

(B) District Level Responsibilities

The District Construction Engineer's (DCE) recommendation must be included on all requests for extending project limits and construction limits.

(C) Central Office Level Responsibilities

The Director, Office of Construction will review all project limit and construction limit extension requests to assure they have received the recommendation of the District Construction Engineer and that they comply with **Section 337.11(9)(b), F.S.**

If you have any questions, please contact Alan Autry at (850) 414-4195.

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