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SUBJECT: **Projects that Deliver an Estimated Quantities Report**

This bulletin announces the required use of a Modified Special Provision (MSP) for projects that deliver an Estimated Quantities Report and are let before January 2022.

The Standard Specifications contain numerous uses of the phrase "as shown in the plans." The required MSP will change Section 1 "Definitions and Terms" of the Standard Specifications to include the Estimated Quantities Report as part of the plans.

BACKGROUND

Projects that begin the design phase starting in January 2021 must deliver an Estimated Quantities Report. Some projects that started earlier and are being developed in OpenRoads Designer (ORD) will also be delivering an Estimated Quantities Report.

The January 2022 Standard Specifications eBook will reflect the incorporation of the Estimated Quantities Report as a contract document. The use of an MSP as described above is needed until the January 2022 Standard Specifications eBook takes effect.

REQUIREMENTS

Include an MSP for projects that deliver an Estimated Quantities Report and are let before January 2022. The MSP will expand the definition of Plans as follows:

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Plans.

The approved Plans, including reproductions thereof, showing the location, character, dimensions, and details of the work. The Estimated Quantities Report is considered a part of the Plans.

IMPLEMENTATION

This bulletin is effective immediately.

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