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**TO: DISTRICT MATERIALS AND RESEARCH ENGINEERS
DISTRICT CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERS**

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**SUBJECT: VERIFICATION TESTING FOR STABILIZED SUBGRADE AFTER
MIXING**

The Department Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction Workbooks issued on and after July 2018, require Department Verification Testing (VT) on stabilized subgrade after mixing, for Liquid Limit and Plasticity Index, in accordance with AASHTO T89/T90, and Organic Content testing, in accordance with FM 1-T 267. This memorandum requires that the subject testing shall also apply to all projects let prior to July 2018 Workbooks. The acceptance limits shall be in accordance with mixed materials requirements of Specification 160. District Materials Certification personnel shall immediately, prior to and for two weeks after the issue of this Materials Bulletin/Construction Memorandum, exclude findings in the Materials Acceptance and Certification (MAC) System due to missing Verification tests.

Should you have any questions, please contact Dino Jameson, State Materials Office at 352-955-2933.

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