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Khoa Nguyen
Director, Office of Technical Services
Federal Highway Administration
3500 Financial Plaza, Suite 400
Tallahassee, Florida 32312

Re: State Specifications Office
Section: **982**
Proposed Specification: **9820200 Fertilizer.**

Dear Mr. Nguyen:

We are submitting, for your approval, two copies of the above referenced Supplemental Specification.

The changes are proposed by Awilda Merced from the State Materials Office to update the language that a certified test report is not needed for fertilizer as the information from the label is sufficient.

Please review and transmit your comments, if any, within two weeks. Comments should be sent via email to daniel.strickland@dot.state.fl.us.

If you have any questions relating to this specification change, please call me at (850) 414-4130.

Sincerely,

Signature on file

Daniel Strickland, P.E.
State Specifications Engineer

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Attachment

cc: Florida Transportation Builders' Assoc.
State Construction Engineer

FERTILIZER.
(REV 7-22-22)

ARTICLE 982-2 is deleted and the following substituted:

982-2 Certification.

The ~~Contractor shall submit to the Engineer~~ shall collect a ~~certified test report from the manufacturer of the commercial fertilizer confirming that the requirements of this Section are met~~ copy of the fertilizer label and retain according to the FDOT retention policy. The ~~certified test report~~ label shall ~~conform to the requirements of Section 6 and include test results for total~~ include guaranteed values for total nitrogen, available phosphoric acid, water-soluble potash, and sulfur. ~~Each certification shall cover one batch per type for dry type fertilizer.~~

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982-2 Certification.

The Engineer shall collect a copy of the fertilizer label and retain according to the FDOT retention policy. The label shall include guaranteed values for total nitrogen, available phosphoric acid, water-soluble potash, and sulfur.