

ORINATION FORM

Proposed Revisions to the Specifications

(Please provide all information - incomplete forms will be returned)

Date:

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****Will the proposed revision require changes to:**

Publication	Yes	No	Office Staff Contacted and date contacted
Standard Plans Index			
Traffic Engineering Manual			
FDOT Design Manual			
Construction Project Administration Manual			
Basis of Estimate/Pay Items			
Structures Design Guidelines			
Approved Product List			
Materials Manual			

**This section must be completed prior to processing proposed revisions.

Will this revision necessitate any of the following:

Design Bulletin

Construction Bulletin

Estimates Bulletin

Materials Bulletin

Are all references to external publications current?

Yes

No

If not, what references need to be updated? (Please include changes in the redline document.)

Why does the existing language need to be changed?

Summary of the changes:

Are these changes applicable to all Department jobs?

Yes

No

If not, what are the restrictions?

Contact the State Specifications Office for assistance in completing this form.

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MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 12, 2019

TO: Specification Review Distribution List

FROM: Daniel Strickland, P.E., State Specifications Engineer

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: **3470301 Portland Cement Concrete Class NS.**

In accordance with Specification Development Procedures, we are sending you a copy of a proposed specification change.

This change was proposed by Richard Delorenzo from the State Materials Office to clarify requirements for nonstructural producer listing and to remove restrictive certification requirements.

Please share this proposal with others within your responsibility. Review comments are due within four weeks and should be sent to Mail Station 75 or online at <http://fdotewp1.dot.state.fl.us/programmanagement/development/industryreview.aspx> . Comments received after **January 9, 2020**, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

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Attachment

**PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE - CLASS NS
(REV 11-25-19)**

SUBARTICLE 347-3.1 is deleted and the following substituted:

347-3.1 Concrete Production Requirements: Obtain concrete from a plant that is currently on the Department's Nonstructural Concrete Production Facility Listing. Producers seeking inclusion on the list must contact the local District Materials Office for approval. ~~Provide concrete from a production facility certified by the National Ready Mixed Concrete Association (NRMCA) or meets the requirements of Section 346~~

When Volumetric Mixers are used, deliver concrete in accordance with the Volumetric Mixer Standards of the Volumetric Mixer Manufacturers Bureau (VMMB) VMMB 100-01. ~~Ensure the batcher is qualified through the VMMB Volumetric Mixer Operator Certification Program and the mixer has a VMMB registered rating plate.~~

Substitution of structural concrete in lieu of non-structural concrete may be used if approved by the Engineer. If structural concrete is used in lieu of non-structural concrete, obtain the concrete from a production facility meeting the requirements of Section 346. Acceptance is based on the requirements of Section 347.

The Engineer may disqualify any concrete production facility for non-compliance with Specification requirements.