

4250300 INLETS, MANHOLES, AND JUNCTION BOXES
COMMENTS FROM INTERNAL/INDUSTRY REVIEW

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Comments: (10-8-19, Internal)

I think that the requirement: *425-3.3 Skimmer: Include 1.5% by weight of carbon black for UV protection with plastic skimmers on french drain systems*, should be moved to the Section 425-6. The statement should be changed to: *425-6 Skimmers. Furnish and install skimmers in accordance with the Plans and Standard Plans. Use plastic skimmers that include 1.5% by weight carbon black.*

The statement: *for UV protection*, is unnecessary.

Response: The information regarding the carbon black was added to Section 425-3 as this is the material section. The statement regarding “UV Protection” was deleted.

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Comments: (10-31-19, Industry)

The intent of the proposed spec is not clear. The proposed addition is - “425-3.3 Skimmer: Include 1.5% by weight of carbon black with plastic skimmers on french drain systems” Does this mean- The plastic skimmer used for French drain system shall contain 1.5% carbon black??

Response: Yes. This was previously included in Standard Plan 443-002 but is being added to the Specification as it is a material requirement for the skimmer.
