ORIGINATION FORM Proposed Revisions to the Specifications

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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 e	xternal 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? If not, what are the restrictions? Yes

No



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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 27, 2019

TO: Specification Review Distribution List

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

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: 9160203 Bituminous Materials.

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

This change was proposed by Wayne Rilko from the State Materials Office to modify the language.

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 December 25, 2019, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

DS/rf Attachment

BITUMINOUS MATERIALS (REV 11-4-19)

SUBARTICLE 916-2.3 is deleted and the following substituted:

916-2.3 Reporting: Specification compliance testing results shall be reported for the tests in the table below, unless noted otherwise. Quality control (QC) testing results shall be reported for original binder DSR (G/sin δ and phase angle, as applicable).

SUPERPAVE PG ASPHALT BINDER			
Test and Method	Conditions	Specification Minimum/Maximum Value	
Superpave PG Asphalt Binder Grade		Report	
APL Number		Report	
Modifier (name and type)	Polymer, Ground Tire Rubber with Approved Product List (APL) number, Sulfur, PPA, REOB, and any Rejuvenating Agents	Report	
Original Binder			
Solubility, AASHTO T44-14	in Trichloroethylene	Minimum 99.0% (Not applicable for PG 76-22 (ARB))	
Flash Point, AASHTO T48-17	Cleveland Open Cup	Minimum 450°F	
Rotational Viscosity, AASHTO T316-13 (2017)	275°F	Maximum 3 Pa·s ^(a)	
Dynamic Shear Rheometer ^(b) , AASHTO T315-12 (2016)	$G^*/sin \delta$	Minimum 1.00 kPa	
	Phase Angle, $\delta^{(c)}$ PG 76-22 (PMA) and PG 76-22 (ARB) ^(d)	Maximum 75 degrees	
Separation Test, ASTM D7173-14 and	163±5°C	Maximum 15°F (PG 76-22 (ARB) only)	
Softening Point, AASHTO T53-09 (2013)	48 hours		
Rolling Thin Film Oven Test Residue (AASHTO T240-13 (2017))			
Rolling Thin Film Oven, AASHTO T240-13 (2017)	Mass Change %	Maximum 1.00	
Multiple Stress Creep Recovery, J _{nr, 3.2} AASHTO T350-14	Grade Temperature (Unmodified binders only)	"S" = $4.50 \text{ kPa}^{-1} \text{ max}$	

67°C (Modified binders only)	"V" = $1.00 \text{ kPa}^{-1} \text{ max}$ Maximum $J_{nr,diff} = 75\%$		
76°C (High Polymer binder only)	0.10 kPa ⁻¹ max		
67°C (Modified binders only)	$\%R_{3.2} \ge \underbrace{29.371}_{0.2633} (J_{nr, 3.2})^{-1}$		
76°C (High Polymer binder only)	$%R_{3.2} \ge 90.0$		
Pressure Aging Vessel Residue (AASHTO R28-12)			
G [*] sin δ, 10 rad/sec.	Maximum 5000 kPa ^(f, g)		
S (Stiffness), @ 60 sec.	Maximum 300 MPa		
m-value, @ 60 sec.	Minimum 0.300		
20 hours PAV aging S (Stiffness), @ 60 sec. m-value, @ 60 sec.	$\Delta Tc \ge -5.0^{\circ}C$		
	76°C (High Polymer binder only) 67°C (Modified binders only) 76°C (High Polymer binder only) ure Aging Vessel Residue (AASHTO R28 G*sin δ, 10 rad/sec. S (Stiffness), @ 60 sec. m-value, @ 60 sec. 20 hours PAV aging S (Stiffness), @ 60 sec.		

(a) Binders with values higher than 3 Pa·s should be used with caution and only after consulting with the supplier as to any special handling procedures, including pumping capabilities.

(b) Dynamic Shear Rheometer (AASHTO T315-12 (2016)) shall be performed on original binders for the purposes of QC testing only.

(c) The original binder phase angle (AASHTO T315-12 (2016)) shall be performed at grade temperature.

(d) AASHTO T315-12 (2016) and AASHTO T350-14 will be performed at a 2-mm gap for PG 76-22 (ARB).

(e) All binders with a high temperature designation >67 will be tested at 67°C. PG 76-22 (PMA) and PG 76-22 (ARB) shall pass a "V" grade per AASHTO M332-14.

(f) A maximum Jnr diff = 75% does not apply for any Jnr value ≤ 0.50 kPa-1.

(g) For all PG grades of a PG 67 or higher, perform the PAV residue testing at 26.5°C with a maximum of 5000 kPa.

(h) For all PG grades of a PG 76 or higher, perform the PAV residue testing at 26.5°C with a maximum of 6000 kPa.