ORIGINATION FORM

Proposed Revisions to the Specifications

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

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**Will the proposed	revision require changes to	o:			
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Design Bulletin	Construction Bulletin	E	stimates Bu	lletin	Materials Bulletin
Are all references to external publications curr		ent?	Yes	No	
If not, what reference	es need to be updated? (Pl	lease incli	ude changes	in the redline do	cument.)
Why does the existing	ng language need to be cha	nged?			
Summary of the cha	nges:				
Are these changes applicable to all Department jobs? If not, what are the restrictions?			Yes	No	



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MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 10, 2020

TO: Specification Review Distribution List

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

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: 2340701 Superpave Asphalt Base.

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 subarticle 234-7.1.3 as it conflicted with 234-8.1.1.

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 7, 2021, may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

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Attachment

SUPERPAVE ASPHALT BASE (REV 11-2-20)

SUBARTICLE 234-7.1.3 is deleted and the following substituted:

234-7 Construction Requirements.

234-7.1 General: Meet the general construction requirements of Section 330, with the following modifications:

234-7.1.1 Temperature Limitations: Spread the mixture only when the air temperature is at least 40°F. Do not place the material on frozen subgrade.

234-7.1.2 Tack Coat: Unless otherwise authorized by the Engineer, apply a tack coat between successive layers of base material.

234-7.1.3 Thickness of Layers: Construct each course in layers, not to exceed 3 inches compacted thickness such that the compacted thickness is in compliance with the layer thicknesses in 234-8.1.1 and spread rate tolerance in 234-8.2.