## 9750400 STRUCTURAL COATING MATERIALS COMMENTS FROM INTERNAL/INDUSTRY REVIEW

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Comments: (11-30-20, Internal)

*In review of the proposed Specification Change for 9750400, we have the following questions / concerns:* 

Specification 975-4 now includes Aluminum Poles, Pedestals and Posts. Sections 649 and 646 are specifically addressed but not Section 715.

Question #1; How will 715 pay items be covered by the 975-4 proposed specification change? Response:

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Comments: (12-10-20, Internal)

I think you referenced the wrong Section for the coating properties, see comments in attached file.

Response:

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Comments: (12-18-21, Industry)

Frank Rea, PCS, Consulex 8.0 delta E\*ab units is a rather large difference. The human eye can detect a difference of 0.5 units. Also, the delta E\*ab is calculated from three values: delta L\*, delta a\*, and delta b\*. If the delta E\*ab difference is influenced by any one value and not the others, the color difference can be undesirable but still meet the 8.0 delta E\*ab unit difference requirement. Consulex recommends a delta E\*ab difference after 5 years that does not exceed 3.0 units.

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