

**Lawrence Jones**

11/18/2002 02:52 PM

To: Duane F Brautigam/CO/FDOT@FDOT  
cc: Sastry Putcha/CO/FDOT@FDOT, David Horhota/SM/FDOT@FDOT  
Subject: Proposed Spec Change - D1200008 - Excavation and Embankment - Dry Fill Method

Please accept the following revisions to the Proposed Spec Change - D1200008 - *Excavation and Embankment - Dry Fill Method* for the following reasons.

The terms "A-3" and "A-2-4" are not *designated in Index 505*. However, the terms "select", "plastic", "high plastic", etc. are designated in Index 505.

Although, the term "minus 200" is a commonly used slang expression. The correct description to be used in a legal document should be "percentage passing the #200 US Standard sieve".

IHW,  
Lawrence E. Jones, P.E.  
State Geotechnical Engineer  
Florida Department of Transportation  
605 Suwannee Street, MS33  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0450  
phone (850)-414-4305, SunCom 994-4305, fax (850)-488-6352  
E-Mail: Lawrence.Jones@DOT.STATE.FL.US