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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 15, 2005
TO: Specification Review Distribution List
FROM: Duane F. Brautigam, P.E., State Specifications Engineer
SUBJECT: Proposed Specifications Change: 9420301-Resilient Connectors for Sealing Precast Structures to Pipe Joints

In accordance with Specification Development Procedures, we are sending you a copy of a proposed specification change to Resilient Connectors for Sealing Precast Structures to Pipe Joints.

This change was proposed by Michael Shepard of the State Drainage Office to correct inaccurate ASTM references and certification requirements.

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 to my attention via e-mail at SP965DB or duane.brautigam@dot.state.fl.us. Comments received after December 13, 2005 may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

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COMMENTS:

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RESILIENT CONNECTORS FOR SEALING PRECAST STRUCTURES TO PIPE JOINTS.

(REV 11-8-05)

ARTICLE 942-3 (Page 849) is deleted and the following substituted:

942-3 Resilient Connectors for Sealing Precast Structures to Pipe Joints.

942-3.1 General: Resilient connectors shall meet the requirements of ASTM C ~~923~~⁹²³¹⁴⁷⁸ [ASTM C ~~923~~⁹²³¹⁴⁷⁸M]. ~~with the modification that a hydrostatic pressure test up to 6.0 psi [40 kPa] without leakage will suffice.~~ The connectors shall also be compatible with the precast structure and pipe.

~~**942-3.2 Certification Requirements:** The Contractor shall provide three certified copies of test reports and certification from the manufacturer that the material furnished meets all requirements of ASTM C 923 [ASTM C 923M] with the modification that a hydrostatic pressure test up to 6.0 psi [40 kPa] without leakage will suffice. Certifications shall be sent directly to the State Materials Engineer at Gainesville.~~

~~**942-3.32 Qualified Products List (QPL):** All ~~The~~ resilient connectors ~~shall~~ *shall be listed on the Department's Qualified Products List (QPL). Manufacturers seeking evaluation of their product shall submit an application in accordance with Section 6. used shall be a product included on the Qualified Products List.*~~

