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545 John Knox Road, Suite 200
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Re: Office of Design, Specifications
Section 400
Proposed Specification: 4000100 Concrete Structures

Dear Ms. Gourdine:

We are submitting, for your approval, two copies of the above referenced Supplemental Specification.

These changes were proposed by Gevin McDaniel because the issue of corrosion protection of lifting devices for precast products had been addressed in a few Specification Sections separately (Section 407, 410, and 455), but were only applicable to those particular products. In lieu of continuing with the sprawling of requirements for protection of lifting devices, the decision was made to locate the language in a central location.

Please review and transmit your comments, if any, within two weeks. Comments should be sent via Email to ST986RP or rudy.powell@dot.state.fl.us.

If you have any questions relating to this specification change, please call Rudy Powell, State Specifications Engineer at 414-4280.

Sincerely,

Rudy Powell, Jr., P.E.
State Specifications Engineer

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Attachment

cc: Gregory Jones, Chief Civil Litigation
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State Construction Engineer

CONCRETE STRUCTURES.**(REV 6-148-10)**

ARTICLE 400-1 (Page 373) is deleted and the following substituted:

400-1 Description.

Construct concrete structures and other concrete members, with the exception of pavement and incidental concrete construction (which are specified in other Sections).

Refer to Section 450 for prestressed construction requirements additional to the requirements of this Section.

For precast concrete structures meet the requirements of Section 450 for *inserts and lifting devices, handling*, storage, shipping, *and* ~~and~~ erection, ~~*inserts and lifting devices*~~.

Obtain incidental precast products from a plant that is currently on the list of Producers with Accepted Quality Control Programs. Producers seeking inclusion on the list shall meet the requirements of 105-3.

CONCRETE STRUCTURES.**(REV 6-14-10)**

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