

EXPECTED IMPLEMENTATION JANUARY 2014

003 AWARD AND EXECUTION OF CONTRACT – CONSIDERATION OF BIDS. (REV 3-6-13) (FA 5-14-13) (1-14)

ARTICLE 3-1 (Page 16) is deleted and the following substituted:

3-1 Consideration of Bids.

For the purpose of award, after opening and reading the proposals, the Department will consider as the bid the correct summation of each unit bid price multiplied by estimated quantities shown in the proposal. On this basis, the Department will compare the amounts of each bid and make the results of such comparison available to the public. Until the actual award of the Contract, however, the Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive technical errors that the Department may deem best for the interest of the State.

The Department reserves the right to delete the bid portion of the utility relocation work from the Contract. When the Department deletes utility relocation work from the Contract, the Department will recalculate the Contract bid tabulations based on the remaining project quantities.

In the event that the Department deletes utility relocation work from the Contract, the utility owner will relocate such utilities in accordance with the backup Utility Relocation Schedule contained in the Contract Documents.

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