

Specification Section 105

Subarticle 105-4

ORIGINATION

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COMMENTARY

Change is necessary to provide clearer guidance to the specification users, and improve the efficiency of project delivery

INDUSTRY COMMENTS AND RESPONSES

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COMMENT: New sentence added to section 11.1.14 : Recommend to be more specific on who has the authority to request the latest shop drawings. "When requested by the Engineer?? QA Inspector?? SMO?." Just a recommendation to avoid possible conflicts... Overall, think is a good modification to move to general industry standards if the end results are acceptable to FDOT.

RESPONSE:

The sentence in question should be read in the context of its paragraph, which is titled "Submitting Drawings to the Department". This implies a request by the department or its representative, which could be the CEI, SMO, or the QA inspectors. The statement is intended to empower all FDOT representatives. It must be remembered that this is a Materials Manual Chapter, i.e. only SMO and its approved fabricators are the audience of this document. We do not believe further clarification is necessary for this update.

ACTION TAKEN:

We propose keeping this proposed language as it is drafted.