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## NEW AND REVISED SPECIFICATIONS

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**TO:** ALL USERS OF JULY 2022 STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS  
**FROM:** *for* OHD DIRECTOR ERIC E. MARABELLO, P.E. *By: Marabello*  
**SUBJECT:** DISTRIBUTION OF NEW AND REVISED  
SPECIFICATIONS  
**DATE:** OCTOBER 4, 2022  
**RESPONSE**  
**REQUESTED** N/A  
**BY:**

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### PURPOSE

To issue revised specifications documents and new Special Provisions Inserts (SPIs) to the July 2022 Maryland Department of Transportation State Highway Administration (MDOT SHA) Standard Specifications for Construction and Materials. These updates are listed below.

### SUMMARY

The latest versions of our revised specifications documents and new SPIs, dated October 4, 2022, are located on the MDOT SHA Internet website at <https://www.roads.maryland.gov/mdotsha/pages/sscm.aspx?PageId=853&lid=SSP>, on the MDOT SHA Project Development Hub, and on the Invitation for Bids System managed by MDOT SHA. All projects advertising on or after October 18, 2022, must include these revised specifications. Advertised projects that require an addendum for some other reason should include these revised specifications, if applicable.

The following specifications were added, deleted, or revised:

<u>File</u>	<u>Description</u>
003-toc.docx	<b>TABLE OF CONTENTS.</b> Updated.
007-1273.pdf	<b>FORM 1273.</b> Updated to a pdf version, including ATTACHMENT A.
008-atcha.docx	<b>FORM 1273 – ATTACHMENT A.</b> Deleted.
009-1317.docx	<b>FORM PR – 1317.</b> Updated.

<b><u>File (continued)</u></b>	<b><u>Description (continued)</u></b>
TC-1.03.docx	<b>DEFINITIONS.</b> Revised specification to add the Juneteenth holiday.
400-403.docx	<b>TEMPORARY SUPPORT OF EXCAVATION OR FILL.</b> New Specification.
400-406.docx	<b>DRILLED HOLES IN MASONRY AND STRUCTURES.</b> Revised specification to add new language in the Measurement and Payment section.
500-501.docx	<b>UNTREATED AGGREGATE BASE COURSES.</b> Revised specification to remove obsolete materials and their references.
600-604.docx	<b>CONCRETE TRAFFIC BARRIERS.</b> Revised specification to remove the use of mobile mixers for traffic barriers.
900-915.docx	<b>PRODUCTION PLANTS.</b> Revised specification to specify when the concrete is to be produced by volumetric batching, continuous mixing, and additional uses.

If there are any questions regarding these updates, please contact Jared Paper-Evers, P.E., MDOT SHA Office of Highway Development (OHD) Assistant Division Chief, at 410-545-8400, or via email at [jpaperevers@mdot.maryland.gov](mailto:jpaperevers@mdot.maryland.gov).

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