

Self-Certification of Crashworthiness for Traffic Control Devices

Category: ____

Date: _____

Vendor: _____

Address: _____
Street or P.O. Box City State Zip Code

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Certificate Number: _____ Total Pages: _____

Description: _____

Basis of Certification: _____ Test Level: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____

"I hereby certify that all Category 1 traffic control devices, furnished and used, meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH."

This certification shall not be reproduced except in full.

Contractor Certification of Category 2 and Category 3 Traffic Control Devices

Date: _____

Project No.: _____

Project Engineer: _____

I, _____ certify that all Category _____
traffic control devices, furnished and used, meet all the requirements of
NCHRP Report 350 or MASH.

Name: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____

619.02.13--Certification of Traffic Control Devices. The Contractor will be required to certify that the traffic control devices used on the project meets certain requirements. The traffic control devices shall be certified in accordance with the following requirements:

Category 1 Traffic Control Devices. Category 1 traffic control devices are defined as low-mass, single-piece traffic cones, tubular markers, single-piece drums with or without lights and hardware, and delineators.

The Contractor shall certify to the Project Engineer by a letter ONLY stating that the Category 1 traffic control devices, furnished and used, meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH.

All documentation supporting the certification is to be kept on file by the Contractor subject to review by the Department at any time. Support documentation shall be kept on file for two years after the completion of the project.

The Contractor may self-certify Category 1 Traffic Control Devices. In order to make the self-certification, the Contractor shall have as a minimum the following support documentation regarding the certification:

1. A title, e.g., "Certification of Crashworthiness";
2. Name and address of vendor making the certification;
3. Unique identification of the certificate such as serial number, with numbered pages and the total number of pages;
4. Description and unambiguous identification of the item tested;
5. Identification of the basis for self-certification process used and to what test level of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH. This basis as crash test experience with similar devices or years of demonstrably safe operational performance;
6. A signature and title, or an equivalent identification of the person(s) accepting responsibility for the content of the certification, however produced, and the date of issue;
7. A statement that the certification shall not be reproduced except in full.

All documentation supporting the self-certification is to be kept on file by the Contractor subject to review by the Department at any time. Support documentation shall be kept on file for two years after the completion of the project.

The Contractor's letter to the Project Engineer shall state that all Category 1 traffic control devices, furnished and used, meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH.

Category 2 Traffic Control Devices. Category 2 traffic control devices are defined as barricades with or without lights and signs, intrusion detectors, vertical panel assemblies, portable sign supports, drums with warning lights, and cones with warning lights not meeting Category 1.

The Contractor shall certify to the Project Engineer by a letter ONLY stating that the Category 2 traffic control devices, furnished and used, meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH. The Contractor's letter shall state that all Category 2 traffic control devices, furnished and used, meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH.

Category 3 Traffic Control Devices. Category 3 Traffic Control Devices are items similar to Category 2 but weigh more than 100 pounds. Category 3 Traffic Control Devices include concrete barrier, portable barriers, truck mounted attenuators (TMAs), work zone crash cushions, and fixed sign supports.

Category 3 traffic control devices, furnished and used, must meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH. The Contractor shall furnish a letter ONLY certifying that the Category 3 traffic control devices meet the requirements of NCHRP Report 350 or MASH.