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MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Inter-Departmental Memorandum

TO: Design Squad Leaders

DATE: June 18, 1998

FROM: Steven W. Reeves *SWR*
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SUBJECT OR PROJECT NO: New Pay Item for
Temporary Guardrail
End Terminals

INFORMATION COPY TO:

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All new construction will be required to use guardrail end terminals which have been approved by the criteria in the NCHRP 350 Report. This pay item addresses the use of end terminals on temporary guardrail installations. Please use the pay item shown below on all future projects. Please see the attached Special Provision.

Item Number	Description	Unit
907-619-K4	Installation and Removal of Guard Rail (Terminal End Section)	-per each

If you have any questions or comments, please call my office.

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attachments

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SPECIAL PROVISION NO. 907-619-5M

DATE: 6/15/98

ROADWAY DESIGN

SUBJECT: Terminal End Sections

Section 619, Traffic Control for Construction Zones, of the 1996 Metric Edition of the Mississippi Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction is hereby amended as follows:

907-619.02--Materials. After of Subsection ~~619.02.11~~ on page 619-3 add the following:

907-619.02.12--Terminal End Section. Terminal end sections, installed as per manufacturer's recommendations, shall be National Cooperative Highway Research Program (NCHRP) Report 350 Test Level 3 (TL-3) approved. The following is a list of the current devices that have met NCHRP Report 350.

1. BEST
2. ET-2000
3. FLEAT-350
4. SKT-350
5. SRT-350

Terminal end sections shall be one of the above listed devices or an approved equal.

The Contractor shall furnish the Project Engineer two (2) copies of the manufacturer's installation instructions prior to beginning guard rail operations.

907-619.05--Basis of Payment.

Payment will be made under:

907-619-K4: Installation and Removal of Guard Rail (Terminal End Section) - per each

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SPECIAL PROVISION NO. 907-619-11

CODE: (SP)

DATE: 6/15/98

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907-619.05--Basis of Payment. Add the following pay item to the list on page 619-10:

907-619-K4: Installation and Removal of Guard Rail (Terminal End Section) - per each