



# Illinois Department of Transportation

2300 South Dirksen Parkway / Springfield, Illinois / 62764

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SUBJECT: FAI Route 290/FAP Route 342  
Section 0305-302K-L-2  
Cook County  
Contract No. 62876  
Item No. 85, January 21, 2005 Letting  
Addendum B

## NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

Attached is an addendum to the plans or proposal. This addendum involves revised and/or added material.

1. Revised pages 1 and 26 of the Special Provisions.

Prime contractors must utilize the enclosed material when preparing their bid and must include any Schedule of Prices changes in their bidding proposal.

Bidders using computer-generated bids are cautioned to reflect any and all Schedule of Prices changes, if involved, into their computer programs.

Very truly yours,

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Engineer of Design  
and Environment

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ted B. Walschleger" with a small "P.E." to the right.

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### SPECIAL PROVISIONS

The following Special Provisions supplement the "Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction," adopted January 1, 2002, the latest edition of the "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways," and the "Manual of Test Procedures for Materials" in effect on the date of invitation for bids, and the Supplemental Specifications and Recurring Special Provisions indicated on the Check Sheet included herein which apply to and govern the construction of FAI 290/IL 53, Section 0305-302K-L-2, Cook County and in case of conflict with any part or parts of said Specifications, the said Special Provisions shall take precedence and shall govern.

#### LOCATION OF PROJECT

This project includes furnishing and delivering according to the delivery schedule electrical material to the Interstate 290/IL 53 Installation Contractor.

#### DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

The Contractor shall schedule his operations so as to furnish and deliver all the materials in accordance with the following schedule:

| LIGHT TOWER DELIVERY SCHEDULE |                    |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| Delivery Time Frame           |                    | Quantity     |
| No Earlier Than               | No Later Than      | 120 Ft. M.H. |
| August 31, 2005               | September 30, 2005 | 52           |

This schedule is also repeated in the special provisions for the LIGHT TOWER, MATERIAL ONLY pay item. In case of conflict, this overall schedule shall take precedence. Exact delivery date within the delivery window shall be closely coordinated with the Engineer and the Installation Contractor. Extensions past due date will not be allowed.

#### WORKING SAMPLE DEMONSTRATION (LIGHT TOWER)

The large scope of this procurement contract, and the importance of timely delivery for installation, makes it imperative that the light tower manufacturer be regularly engaged in the manufacture of the specified equipment and capable of immediately demonstrating a sample tower lowering device that is in clear compliance with the key portions of the specifications.

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- 13.2 Components and insert assemblies shall be interchangeable to accept either pin or socket inserts to allow either plug or receptacle to be configured in an energized or deenergized condition, i.e. reverse-contact configurations shall be available. Locations of reverse-contact devices shall be as indicated.
- 13.3 Each plug or receptacle connection to a power cord shall be complete with a suitable non-metallic sealing connector body with a wire mesh strain relief. Other plugs and receptacles shall be complete with suitable sealing angle-adaptor panel of box mounting bodies, as applicable and shall be complete with back-boxes if so dictated by the power distribution configuration.
- 13.4 Each plug and each receptacle shall be complete with a retained flap-type or retained screw-on cover.
- 13.5 Plugs and receptacles shall be water-tight, dust-tight, and chemical resistant and be suitable for use when exposed to the weather and shall be applicable for safe use in harsh, wet weather conditions. The Engineer shall be the judge of applicability.

14. Shipment.

- 14.1 The contractor shall be responsible for the shipment and unloading of the light towers, complete with lowering devices, to a location to be designated within District 1. The unloading of light towers shall also include stacking the material, separated and off the ground, as recommended by the manufacturer. The light towers shall be packaged during shipment to protect all surfaces from being scratched, marred, chipped, or damaged in any way. The light towers shall also be insured during shipment. The light towers shall be shipped according to the following schedule:

| <b>LIGHT TOWER DELIVERY SCHEDULE</b> |                      |                     |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Delivery Time Frame</b>           |                      | <b>Quantity</b>     |
| <b>No Earlier Than</b>               | <b>No Later Than</b> | <b>120 Ft. M.H.</b> |
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- 14.2 Exact delivery dates within the delivery window shall be closely coordinated with the Engineer and the Installation Contractor. Extensions past the due date will not be allowed, except as allowed in writing by the Engineer. The Contractor and/or light tower Manufacturer under this contract shall coordinate light tower production with the light tower delivery schedule and shall be responsible for any storage required to match the light tower delivery schedule. Any storage necessary following delivery as specified is not the responsibility of the Contractor and/or light tower manufacturer and such storage will be provided by others.

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