



# Illinois Department of Transportation

2300 South Dirksen Parkway / Springfield, Illinois / 62764

July 14, 2010

SUBJECT: Addendum to All State Funded Contracts  
on the July 30, 2010 Letting  
Item Nos. 3, 5, 6, 7, 20, 22, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36,  
40, 41, 42, 46, 57, 58, 61, 62, 63, 65, 66, 67,  
68, 69, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 85, 87, 91, 93, 94,  
96, 97, 101, 103, 104, 107, 108, 109, 111, 112,  
113, 114, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122,  
123, and 124

## NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

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

1. Added the special provision "SELECTION OF LABOR (BDE)" as the last page 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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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ted B. Walschleger P.E." with a stylized flourish at the end.

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## **SELECTION OF LABOR (BDE)**

Effective: July 2, 2010

Revise Section I of Check Sheet #5 of the Recurring Special Provisions to read:

### **"I. SELECTION OF LABOR**

The Contractor shall comply with all Illinois statutes pertaining to the selection of labor.

#### **EMPLOYMENT OF ILLINOIS WORKERS DURING PERIODS OF EXCESSIVE UNEMPLOYMENT**

Whenever there is a period of excessive unemployment in Illinois, which is defined herein as any month immediately following two consecutive calendar months during which the level of unemployment in the State of Illinois has exceeded five percent as measured by the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics in its monthly publication of employment and unemployment figures, the Contractor shall employ at least 90 percent Illinois laborers. "Illinois laborer" means any person who has resided in Illinois for at least 30 days and intends to become or remain an Illinois resident.

Other laborers may be used when Illinois laborers as defined herein are not available, or are incapable of performing the particular type of work involved, if so certified by the Contractor and approved by the Engineer. The Contractor may place no more than three of his/her regularly employed non-resident executive and technical experts, who do not qualify as Illinois laborers, to do work encompassed by this contract during period of excessive unemployment.

This provision applies to all labor, whether skilled, semi-skilled, or unskilled, whether manual or non-manual."

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