MEMORANDUM TO TEAM LEADERS AND CONSULTANTS

SUBJECT: Use of ASTM A-706 Grade 60 Reinforcing Steel

The Bridge Design Standard Notes sheet should include the requirements for using ASTM A706 Grade 60 reinforcing steel, according to article 8.4.1 of the October 2001, SC DOT Seismic Design Specifications. This new pay item should be included in the CATS file for projects beginning with the February letting.

This requirement replaces the use of A-615 reinforcing steel.

Sincerely yours,

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