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This Engineering Instruction is for the purpose of acquainting Regional and Main Office Design Units with the need to include, in contract plans and specifications, certain operations to facilitate completion of street lighting prior to opening a contract to traffic.

1. Wherever and whenever possible, the contractor shall be responsible for the installation of conduits, splice boxes, manholes, sleeves, lighting standards, etc., and the placement of the necessary cable therein. The utility company shall furnish the required cable for the contractor's installation.
2. Irrespective of whether the contractor or the utility company installs the light standards, such standards shall not be erected without the luminaires or damping devices being attached thereto. The damping devices shall be left in place until the luminaires are installed.

When it is the responsibility of the local utility company to furnish and install the luminaires, the contractor shall notify the utility company at least 30 days prior to the proposed pole erection.

Any deviation from this requirement will necessitate written approval from the Regional Director.

3. Work to be performed by the contractor, which would normally be the responsibility of the utility company, will be paid for by the utility company which will deposit with the State, prior to contract letting, funds necessary to cover the cost of said work. The amount of such funds will be as specified by this Department.

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