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Title: **CLARIFICATION OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NYSDOT STEEL CONSTRUCTION MANUAL AMENDMENT**

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION:

- Effective Date: This Engineering Bulletin (EB) is effective upon signature.
- Superseded Issuances: This EB supersedes EB 05-024.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this EB is to clarify the implementation of the changes issued by EB 05-024. The attachments issued by EB 05-024 remain in effect.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION: As per the Standard Specifications, Subsection 101-02, "Whenever separate publications and the NYSDOT Standard Specifications are referenced in the Contract Documents, it is understood to mean the publication and specifications, as amended, which are current on the date of advertisement for bids."

IMPLEMENTATION:

- Because of the immediate need to implement the changes to the SCM, for contracts let prior to July 7, 2005, the changes issued by the revised SCM pages will be made by Order-on-Contract, unless otherwise notified.
- For on-going contracts, the Engineer is directed to assess the remaining work and determine if it is beneficial to implement the change in consultation with the Metals Engineering Unit, Structures Division, and subject to negotiating a reasonable cost for the order-on-contract with the Contractor.
- In accordance with the Standard Specifications, Subsection 101-02, the changes to the SCM are in affect for contracts let on or after July 7, 2005, as applicable.

BACKGROUND: EB 05-024 issued revisions to the Steel Construction Manual that required contractors to submit erection procedures (drawings and calculations) signed by a Professional Engineer licensed to practice in New York State.

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