



Subject: NEW LAND SURVEYING LAW

To comply with the last sentence of this section, consulting engineers and the regional design engineer will each retain, for record purposes, a copy of all contract documents including specifications and plans as completed, signed and sealed by the consulting engineer. The Region and Main Office will then, as is now done, make necessary changes and additions to the plans and specifications and affix signatures to the finally completed plans. The signature and seal of a licensed professional engineer will be added in the Main Office. A note will be added to the title sheet of such completed plans as follows, "Changes made to these plans and related contract documents since completion by the consulting engineer may be determined by comparison with such prefinal plans and related documents filed at the Regional Office or those filed at the office of the consulting engineer." It will then be unnecessary to list all the changes made during the Regional and Main Office review since retained prints of the contract documents as completed by the consulting engineer will be available for comparison with the finally completed contract documents. The stamp with the appropriate warning shall be used as required by the first sentence of Section 7209, par. 2.

Handling of changes to the plans by Field Change Sheets will continue according to existing instructions which call for changes made to be listed with dating and signature by the Regional Director. The signature and seal of a licensed professional engineer will be added in the Main Office.

Other changes to the plans are now shown and listed on the "As Built" plans. To comply with the new law, these must now also be dated, signed and sealed by a licensed professional engineer. This may be the regional construction engineer or one of his assistants.