THE ILLINOIS STATE TOLL HIGHWAY AUTHORITY

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SUBJECT: Mobilization – Illinois Tollway

A new Special Provision has been created which modifies the payment schedule for the contractor's mobilization item indicated in the Illinois Tollway Supplemental Specification. The payment schedule has been revised based on a recommendation from Tollway/IDOT/Industry ongoing Joint Cooperative Committee meetings.

In summary;

The second paragraph of Article 671.01 has been revised to change the conditions from 90% to 85% of Adjusted Contract Amount, under which the Mobilization cost in excess of 6% of Adjusted Contract Amount will be paid.

Article 671.02 (b) has been revised to change the percentage of the partial payment conditions when 10% of the Contract Award Amount is earned. Also, Article 671.02 (c) has been revised to reflect partial payment at 85% of Adjusted Contract Amount.

The attached Special provision shall be included in all future contracts until the changes have been incorporated into the 2019 edition of the Illinois Tollway Supplement Specifications. A new Pay Code item and description were created since the monthly allocation for Mobilization in the pay estimate is formula driven and automatically calculated by FieldSys and CENTRALSYS based on the Pay Code item. FieldSys and CENTRALSYS have been updated to reflected the new item and revised formulas. The new Pay item and description is JS671020 MOBILIZATION, TOLLWAY (MODIFIED)

Previous let contracts will utilize the old pay item number and old formula and are unaffected. The old pay item is JS671010 MOBILIZATION, TOLLWAY and is hereby suspended from use.

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The Illinois Tollway Supplemental Specifications, Issued March 30, 2018, Section 671. Mobilization – Illinois Tollway is revised as follows.

Revise the second paragraph of Article 671.01 to read:

The amount which a Contractor will receive payment for, according to the following schedule, will be limited to six (6) percent of the Contract Award Amount. Should the bid price for this item exceed six (6) percent of the Contract Award Amount, the portion in excess of six (6) percent will not be paid until eight-five (85) percent of the Adjusted Contract Amount is earned. The Adjusted Contract Amount is defined as the Contract Award Amount plus the amount of any approved change order and/or extra work order.

Replace the first sentence of Article 671.02 with the following:

Method of Measurement and Basis of Payment. MOBILIZATION, TOLLWAY (MODIFIED) will be measured on a lump sum basis and payment will be made in accordance with the following schedule:

Revise Article 671.02 (b) and Article 671.02 (c) to read:

(b) When 10 percent or more of the Contract Award Amount is earned and submitted on a partial pay estimate, an additional 25 percent of the pay item, but no more than 1.5 percent of the Contract Award Amount will be paid.

(c) When 85 percent of the Adjusted Contract Amount is earned and submitted on a partial pay estimate, any amount bid in excess of six (6) percent of the Contract Award Amount will be paid.