Attached is a revised Chapter 5 of the Traffic Manual, also known as the Manual of Traffic Controls. Please discard existing Chapter 5 (Revision 1) in its entirety.

This is a reprint with non-substantive changes of the Manual of Traffic Controls for Construction and Maintenance Work Zones - 1996 (Revision 1). The changes are clarifications and minor editorial changes.

This manual change should be implemented on, or before January 3, 2000 on all projects which interfere with the movement of traffic upon any highway.

The following is an explanation of those sections that are changed:

- Section 5-05.2,B.2 - Reference to warning sign sizes has been removed to reflect current policy.

- Typical Application 5-12, Lane Closure on Two-Lane Road Using Traffic Signals. Note 5, the stop line width range is added to be consistent with the stop line width range used for permanent installations.

- Typical Application 5-13, Temporary Road Closure. The Flagger Ahead symbol signs and the Prepare To Stop signs are reversed to show the proper advance signing sequence.

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