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MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL CONSULTANTS
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FROM: PAUL FOSSIER, P.E.
BRIDGE DESIGN ENGINEER ADMINISTRATOR

SUBJECT: BRIDGE DESIGN TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM NO. 44 (BDTM.44)
UPDATE TO SPECIAL GUARDRAIL DETAILS FOR OVERLAY PROJECTS

DATE: September 25, 2013

Effective immediately for all applicable projects prior to 95% Final Plans, use of the sheet "BCT Details" in the Special Guardrail Details for Overlay Projects shall be discontinued. This sheet is to be replaced by four new sheets showing 18'-9" and 12'-6" long end treatments, which are available on Projectwise under "Guardrail Special Details."

This technical memorandum will be posted on the Bridge Design Website: http://wwwsp.dotd.la.gov/Inside_LaDOTD/Divisions/Engineering/Bridge_Design/Pages/Technical-Memoranda.aspx

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