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OBsolete
RAILROAD FLAGGING COSTS

The Department now reimburses contractors for RR flagging costs except when railroads must bear such costs under Chapter 634 Acts of 1971. Special Provisions read:

TRAFFIC OFFICERS AND RAILROAD FLAGGING SERVICE

When the work to be done by the Contractor may obstruct the tracks of a railroad or in any way endanger the operation of its trains, and the services of a flagman or flagmen or other railroad employees are required by the Chief Engineer of the railroad company and men are assigned by him for the protection of the property and traffic of the Railroad against hazards capable of being caused by the Contractor, the cost of all such flagging services shall be paid by the Contractor and subsequently reimbursed by the Department.

The Contractor, however, is responsible for all cost incurred in restoring tracks that have been disturbed by the Contractor's operations. Reference is made to the Railroad Special Provisions hereinafter included.

Flagging costs are to be placed on the estimate cover sheet as allowance item number 999.200. They are to be estimated in the same way as police.

Please inform all design personnel accordingly.

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