



**ATTENTION: TP&D, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION,  
MAINTENANCE AND TRAFFIC OPERATIONS ENGINEERS  
MEMORANDUM**

**SPECIAL PROVISION AND/OR SPECIFICATION CHANGE MEMORANDUM 21-07**

**TO:** District Engineers **Date:** October 1, 2007  
**FROM:** Mark A. Marek, P.E.  
**SUBJECT:** Statewide Special Specification 3127 (04), "Thin Bonded Permeable Friction Course (TBPFC)"

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The above referenced special specification has been approved for statewide use.

This special specification replaces statewide SS 3000 beginning with the February 2008 letting. The use of this special specification prior to the February 2008 letting is at the option of the district.

This special specification updates the existing special specification, SS 3000 as stated below:

Item 301 is referenced in the language under Lime Mineral Filler. No item number was referenced previously. Equipment information has been removed and now references Item 320. The information was not necessary as the requirements are listed in Item 320. The test procedure was created for determining density. The minimum binder content for PG Mixtures was increased to 6%. Addition of Table 4A. Addition of calibration information for asphalt flow meter for measuring asphalt content of asphalt rubber mixtures. Language requiring the use of the asphalt flow meter to measure asphalt content of asphalt rubber mixtures.

Please disseminate this information to your Transportation Planning & Development, Design, Construction, Maintenance, and Traffic Operations Engineers.

**Note: Original signed by Mark A. Marek**

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