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## *Baseline Document Change Announcement*

**ANNOUNCEMENT: BDC19T-02**

**DATE: July 17, 2019**

**SUBJECT: Construction Schedule Related to Temperature Sensitive Work and Concrete Curing Time**  
- **Revision to Sections 3.0, 5.0, 7.6, and the addition of Appendix E, of the Construction Scheduling Manual, 2013.**

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Sections 3.0, 5.0, and 7.6 of the *Construction Scheduling Manual, 2013* have been revised to address the appropriate timeframe for Contractors to perform temperature sensitive work. Appendix E has been added to address temperature specific concrete curing time.

**The proposed changes to the Construction Scheduling Manual, 2013 are as follows:**

- Section 3.0 Standard Practices (page 3) other good practices has been revised to include:
  - Negative lags and negative floats will not be permitted.
- Section 5.0 Standard Factors (page 21) has been revised to include the following:
  - Work requiring temperature above 50 degrees F is to be scheduled between May 1 and September 30.
  - Work requiring temperature above 60 degrees F is to be scheduled between June 1 and September 15.
  - Concrete curing time, See Appendix E.
- Section 7.6 Table A has been revised as follows:
  - Changed from \$20 million to \$50 million or higher.
- Appendix E Concrete Curing Time has been added.
- The Table of Contents has been revised fully to reflect these changes.

### **Implementation Code R (ROUTINE)**

Changes must be implemented in all applicable Department projects scheduled for Final Design Submission at least one month after the date of the BDC announcement. This will allow designers to make necessary plan, specifications, and estimate/proposal changes without requiring the need for addenda or postponement of advertisement or receipt of bids.

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