FHWA MEMORANDUM AND FINAL RULE ON EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL ON HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

BACKGROUND

This section includes copies of the following documents for information and immediate use:


b. A copy of 23 CFR 650, Subpart B.

c. A copy of the final rule as published in the July 26, 1994 Federal Register Volume 59, No. 142.

The American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials [AASHTO] Highway Drainage Guidelines, Volume III, ”Erosion and Sediment Control In Highway Construction”, 1992 referenced in the final rule is available as part of AASHTO’s loose-leaf binder, Highway Drainage Guidelines, Volumes I-X. Persons who do not already have a copy, may obtain it from AASHTO at the members’ price of $60.50. Information about ordering AASHTO publications may be obtained at 202/624-5800.

GUIDELINES

The Final Rule was effective upon publication. The final rule and the AASHTO guidelines referenced in the final rule apply to all projects funded under 23 U.S.C., including projects off the National Highway System.

The AASHTO Highway Drainage Guidelines, Volume III, 1992 and the Empire State Chapter, Soil and Water Conservation Society ‘New York Guidelines For Urban Erosion and Sediment Control, 1991” are also adopted for use on all Department projects regardless of fund source. The "New York Guidelines For Urban Erosion and Sediment Control" are available for $25.00 per copy (as of December 1994) from Empire State Chapter, SWCS, P.O. Box 7172, Syracuse, New York 13261-7172.