

Standards and Specifications Unit

**Memorandum**

**DATE**: December 7, 2017

**TO**: All Holders of Standard Special Provisions

**FROM**: Larry Brinck, Standards and Specifications Engineer

**SUBJECT**: Revision of Section 105, Disputes and Claims for Contract Adjustments

Effective this date, our unit is issuing a revised version of standard special provision, Revision of Section 105, Disputes and Claims for Contract Adjustments. This revised standard special provision is 32 pages long and replaces a standard special provision having the same title dated July 3, 2017.

Use this revised standard special provision in all Design-Bid-Build projects and Modified Design/Build projects, beginning with projects advertised on or after January 3, 2018. You are free to use this standard special provision in projects advertised before this date.

The revisions contained in this version require each party involved in the dispute to exchange information for review before sending it onto the DRB for consideration. It also strengthens the requirement that new information shall not be submitted to a DRB.

Those of you who keep a book of Standard Special Provisions should replace the now obsolete standard special provision with this revised version. For your convenience, you can find this and others special provisions issued this date in one place at our Construction Specifications web page:

 <https://www.codot.gov/business/designsupport/cdot-construction-specifications/2017-construction-standard-specs>

Please scroll down and visit the hyperlink, “Recently Issued Special Provisions”.

If you have any questions or comments, please contact this office.