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May 21, 2009  
Subject: **New Sharon**  
Federal Project No's: AC-BH-1262(500)X  
& BH-1562(100)E  
State Pin No's: 012625.00 & 015621.00  
**Amendment No. 1**

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following changes to the Bid Documents:

In the Bid Book (page 87), **REMOVE** (and dispose of) "SPECIAL PROVISION, SECTION 527, ENERGY ABSORBING UNIT, (C-A-T System)" 1 page dated December 10, 1992.

In the Plans, Sheet Number 5 of 9, "ABUTMENT NOTES", **DELETE** note 5 in its entirety and **REPLACE** it with the following:

**"5. The Top of the backwalls shall be finished with two inches of Polymer Modified Concrete as shown on the details. The Polymer Modified Concrete shall be one of the products listed on the Maine Department of Transportation Qualified Products List. Payment shall be made under Item 518.52 Repair of Upward Facing Surfaces > 7.9 inches."** Make this change in pen and ink.

The following questions have been received:

**Question:** Note #4 on page 5 says that payment for polymer modified concrete shall be made under "Item 518.52 Repair of upward facing surfaces < 7.9". Item 518.52 is "Repair of upward facing surfaces > 7.9". Under which item will the polymer modified concrete be paid?

**Response:** Please see the above pen and ink change.

**Question:** Please provide approximate quantities per bridge for the 518 items.

**Response:** Project breakdown of 518 Pay Items.  
518.50 Sandy River Br. only, 725 SF  
518.51 Sandy River Br. only, 150 SF  
518.52 Sandy River Br. 5 CY, Fillibrown 1 CY  
518.60 Fillibrown Br. only, 25sf



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518.61 Fillibrown Br. only, 1CY  
518.80 Fillibrown Br. only, 1LS

**Question:** In the list of items, it calls for 527.34 – 4 Crash Cushions. The Bid Book calls for 527.30 CATS. Do you want 4 CAT systems?

**Response:** No, please see the above change.

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on May 27, 2009.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in red ink, appearing to read "Scott Bickford".

Scott Bickford  
Contracts & Specifications Engineer