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TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM 90-03

TO: All Division Materials Engineers

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FROM:

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RE: "Measuring Profile Index of a Paved Surface," ALDOT-335-83

The revised ALDOT 335 procedure (revision date: 03/03/03) shall be used to determine pavement profile index on projects scheduled for the March 2003 letting and thereafter. In this revision, the blanking band has been reduced from 0.2 in. to zero, which makes hand reduction of profile traces impossible. For this reason, all references to manual reduction have also been removed.

A copy of the revised procedure may be viewed in the electronic version of the Testing Manual available through the ALDOT homepage at:

www.dot.state.al.us/Bureau/Materials_Tests/Testing/ALDOT_Testing_Manual.pdf

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