

**ALDOT-426-06**  
**PROCEDURE FOR IAS&T-D ACCEPTANCE OF PILE POINTS**

**1. Scope**

- 1.1. The Alabama Department of Transportation hereby establishes the following procedures, for the acceptance of Pile Point Protectors by IAS&T-D personnel.

**2. Procedure**

- 2.1. Check to see if the points being used are on the approved list and are of the size and type recommended by ALDOT's Geotechnical Section of the Materials and Tests Bureau.
- 2.2. Collect a random sample of one (1) pile point.
- 2.3. The point shall be weighed to the nearest 0.1 pound on a set of scales accurate to 0.03% at the load indicated.
- 2.4. The weight must be at least 95% of the production weight listed in List II-2 of the Materials Sources and Devices with Special Acceptance Requirements Manual.
- 2.5. If the weight of the sample is not at least 95% of production weight then all points from that lot will be rejected.
- 2.6. Any points failing to weigh at least 95% of production weight shall be reported to the Bureau of Materials and Tests Geotechnical Engineer in the form of a letter stating the type of point, model number and manufacturer with the test report attached.

**3. Test Report**

- 3.1. A completed BMT form 16 shall become the test report for the material.
- 3.2. The test report shall include the weight of the point, the stated production weight, the manufacturer, model number, type of point and the total number of points used on the project.