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#### I. DESCRIPTION

- A. GENERAL
  - 1. Temporary control measures as shown on plans or ordered by the Engineer.
  - 2. Through the life of the contract
  - 3. Control:
    - a) Water pollution
    - b) Soil erosion
    - c) Siltation
  - 4. In conformance with plans and specifications.
  - 5. See also requirements in Section 7-8.6 of these specifications, Water Pollution Control.
- B. METHODS
  - 1. Berms, dikes, dams, sediment basins, fiber mats, gravel, mulches, grasses, slope drains,
  - 2. Other erosion control devices or methods.
  - 3. May involve work outside the construction limits
- C. COORDINATION
  - 1. With permanent control measures
    - a) to the extent practical
    - b) to ensure economical, effective, continuous control

#### II. MATERIALS

- A. GRASS
  - 1. Shall not compete with permanent grasses to be sown later
  - 2. Shall be quick growing species, or
  - 3. Shall be the following:
    - a) [name species]
- B. MULCHES
  - 1. Straw, fiber mats, netting, bark, wood chips
  - 2. Other suitable materials
  - 3. Reasonably clean and free of noxious weeds and deleterious materials.
- C. FERTILIZER
  - 1. Standard commercial grade
  - 2. Conform to all Federal and State regulations
  - 3. Conform to standards of the Association of Official Agricultural Chemists.
- D. SLOPE DRAINS
  - 1. Pipe, fiber mats, rubble, portland cement concrete, bituminous concrete, or
  - 2. Other approved materials
- E. OTHER
  - 1. Shall meet commercial standards
  - 2. Shall be approved by the Engineer in advance of incorporation into project

### III. CONSTRUCTION METHODS

- A. GENERAL
  - 1. Conflicts between
    - a) This specification
    - b) Federal, state, or local agencies requirements
      - (1) more restrictive shall apply.
  - 2. Responsibility for assuring compliance
    - a) Engineer Contractor
  - 3. Compliance may include requirements relative to:

- a) Use of smoke density charts.
- b) Measurement of weight and density suspended particulate.
- c) Permissible weights of emission in pounds per hour versus pounds per hour (of material processed.
- d) Open burning.
- e) Erosion control measures.

## B. SCHEDULE

- 1. Contractor to submit prior to construction
- 2. Address temporary and permanent erosion control as applicable to
  - a) clearing and grubbing
  - b) grading
  - c) construction
  - d) paving
  - e) structures at watercourses.
- 3. Submit proposed methods of:
  - a) Erosion control
  - b) Dust control on haul roads, borrow pits may include:
    - (1) Minimize area of exposed erodible earth.
    - (2) Apply temporary mulch with or without seeding.
    - (3) Use water sprinkler trucks.
    - (4) Use covered haul trucks.
    - (5) Use dust palliatives or penetration asphalt on haul roads.
    - (6) Use plastic sheet coverings.
  - c) Waste disposal
- 4. Must be approved by Engineer prior to start of work.

# C. AUTHORITY OF THE ENGINEER

- 1. Has the authority to:
  - a) limit exposed area of erodible earth
  - b) direct Contractor to provide immediate control measures
    - (1) to minimize contamination of watercourses
      - (a) permanent or
      - (b) temporary

## D. CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

- 1. Incorporate permanent erosion control measures
  - a) at earliest possible date
  - b) permanent seeding and mulching as soon as exposed slopes can be made available
    - (1) unless future work will damage slopes
- 2. Use permanent or temporary measures to prevent erosion from conditions
  - a) that develop during construction
  - b) that were unforeseen during design
  - c) that are needed prior to installation of permanent control measures
  - d) that are needed temporarily to control effects of normal construction activities
- 3. Where erosion likely to be a problem:
  - a) limit areas of clearing, grubbing, excavation, borrow, embankment
    - (1) commensurate with ability to finish
      - (a) grading, mulching, seeding
      - (b) other permanent control measures
  - b) if coordination with permanent measures unrealistic
    - (1) take temporary measures immediately
- 4. If erosion due to Contractor's negligence
  - a) corrections shall be at his expense
- 5. Contractor shall maintain measures throughout project

- 6. Where equipment frequently crosses watercourses
  - a) provide temporary structures to prevent affecting sediment levels
- 7. Pollutants shall not be discharged into channels leading to natural watercourses, including:
  - a) fuels
  - b) lubricants
  - c) bitumen
  - d) raw sewage
  - e) wash water
  - f) other materials deleterious to water quality
  - g) materials prohibited under other laws and regulations

## IV. SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. SCHEDULE
- B. PROPOSED METHODS
- C. MATERIALS

#### V. METHOD OF MEASUREMENT

- A. TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL
  - 1. per lump sum
  - 2. includes all work required to meet requirements including
    - a) Temporary seeding, mulching, fertilizing
    - b) Temporary slope drains
    - c) Temporary benches, dikes, dams, and sediment basins including
      - (1) cleaning of sediment basins
      - (2) embankment placed at the direction of the Engineer, in excess of plan lines and elevations.
    - d) Erosion control work required outside the work limits
    - e) All other work required to prevent erosion or water pollution.

## VI. BASIS OF PAYMENT

- A. PAID AT CONTRACT UNIT PRICE UNDER ITEM NUMBER
  - 1. 27.1 Temporary Erosion Control per lump sum
  - 2. Is full compensation for all materials, labor, equipment, tools and incidentals.
  - 3. No separate payment for work in areas of night or limited-time construction area.

#### VII. END OF SECTION