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## NEW AND REVISED SPECIFICATIONS

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**TO:** ALL USERS OF JULY 2023 STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS  
**FROM:** *for* OHD DIRECTOR C. SCOTT POMENTO, P.E.  
**SUBJECT:** DISTRIBUTION OF NEW AND REVISED SPECIFICATIONS  
**DATE:** SEPTEMBER 29, 2023  
**RESPONSE  
REQUESTED** N/A  
**BY:**

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### PURPOSE

To issue revised specifications documents to the July 2023 State Highway Administration (SHA) Standard Specifications for Construction and Materials (2023 SHA Specifications Book). These updates are listed below.

### SUMMARY

The latest versions of our revised specifications documents, dated October 23, 2023, are located on the SHA Internet website at <https://www.roads.maryland.gov/mdotsha/pages/sscm.aspx?PageId=853&lid=SSP>, on the SHA Project Development Hub, and on the Invitation for Bids System managed by SHA. All projects awarded on or after October 23, 2023, must include this revised specification. Advertised Federal Contracts will require an addendum that replaces the Form FHWA-1273 with the new version.

The following specifications were added, deleted, or revised:

<u>File</u>	<u>Description</u>
003-toc.docx	<b>TABLE OF CONTENTS.</b> Updated.
007-FHWA-1273.pdf	<b>FORM FHWA-1273.</b> Updated to reflect changes made to the Davis-Bacon Act regulations by the Department of Labor.

If there are any questions regarding these updates, please contact Jared Paper-Evers, P.E., SHA Office of Highway Development (OHD) Assistant Division Chief, at 410-545-8400, or via email at [jjpaperevers@mdot.maryland.gov](mailto:jjpaperevers@mdot.maryland.gov).

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