SECTION 770 – TRAFFIC SIGNAL MATERIALS

Make the following amendments to said Section:

(I) Amend **Subsection 770.02(A) – Standard Traffic Signal Heads** by revising the first paragraph from line 211 to 216 to read:

"(b) To ensure quality and performance, LED head shall have prior history of testing and use by CALTRANS and shall exceed ITE standards. Failure on one LED shall not affect other LED's. LED head shall have fully-encapsulated electronic circuitry and configuration for 12-inch ball."

(II) **Amend Subsection 770.02(A)(4) – Back Plates** from line 285 to 290 to read:

"(4) Back Plates. Louvered back plates shall be furnished and installed on mast arm mounted signal heads. Back plates shall be constructed of aluminum alloy 3003-H14 sheet having minimum thickness of 0.058 inch and minimum dimensions equal to signal head size plus five-inch border, with a one-inch retro-reflective border around the outside edge of the front surface. Back plates shall be dull black in color."

(III) Amend **Subsection 770.04 – Pedestrian Signal** from line 444 to 600 to read:

"(A) Purpose.

The purpose of this specification is to provide the minimum requirements for the LED "walking person" and "hand" icon pedestrian signal modules with countdown. This specification is only for the nominal overall message-bearing surface of 16 x 18 in. This specification is not intended to impose restrictions upon specific designs and materials that conform to the purpose and the intent of this specification. This specification refers to definitions and practices described in "Pedestrian Traffic Control Signal Indications" published in the *Equipment and Materials Standards of the Institute of Transportation Engineers*, (referred to in this document as "PTCSI") and in the Applicable Sections of Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) 2009 Section 4E.

(B) Physical and Mechanical Requirements.

The modules shall fit into existing pedestrian signal housings built for the PTCSI sizes stated in Section 1 of the "walking person" and "hand" icon pedestrian signal indication Standard without modification to the housing and shall not require special tools for installation.

Installation of a retrofit replacement module into existing pedestrian signal housing shall only require the removal of the existing optical unit components, shall be weather tight and fit securely in the housing; and shall connect directly to existing electrical wiring. The LED module shall have a visual appearance similar to that of an incandescent lamp (ie: Smooth and non-pixilated). Screwed on lenses are not allowed. Only modules with internal mask shall be utilized. No external silk-screen shall be permitted.

When not illuminated, the WALKING PERSON, UPRAISED HAND, and COUNTDOWN DIGITS shall not be readily visible. The countdown digits of the pedestrian signal module shall be located to the right of the associated UPRAISED HAND. The display of the number of remaining seconds shall begin only at the beginning of the pedestrian change interval. After the countdown displays zero, the display shall remain dark until the beginning of the next countdown. The walking person, hand icons and countdown digits shall be incandescent looking.

The units shall not have any external attachments, dip switches, toggle switches or options that will allow the mode to be changed from counting the clearance cycle, to the full walk/don't walk cycle or any other modification to the icons or digits.

For each nominal module, use the corresponding minimum H (height) and W (width) measurements:

Module Size	Icon Height	Icon Width	Countdown Height	Countdown Width	Countdown Segment Width
(16 x 18 in)	11 in	7 in	9 in	7 in	0.7 in

All exposed components of a module shall be suitable for prolonged exposure to the environment. As a minimum, the module shall be rated for use in the ambient operating temperature range, measured at the exposed rear of the module, of -40°C to +74°C (-40°F to +165°F).

The module shall be a single, self-contained device, not requiring on-site assembly for installation into an existing pedestrian signal housing. The power supply shall be located inside the pedestrian signal module. The assembly and manufacturing process for the module shall be designed to assure all internal LED and electronic components are adequately supported to withstand mechanical shock and vibration from high winds and other sources.

The front window shall be a transparent polycarbonate material with internal masking to prevent the icons and digits from being visible when not in operation. External masking or silk-screen technology shall not be permitted.

Each module shall be identified on the backside with the manufacturer's name, model, serial number and operating characteristics. The operating characteristics shall include the nominal operating voltage and stabilized power consumption, in watts and/or Volt-Amperes.

(C) Photometric Requirements

For a minimum period of 60 months, the maintained minimum luminance values for the modules under operating conditions, when measured normal to the plane of the icon surface, shall not be less than:

- Walking person: 2,200 cd/m^2;
- Hand: 1,400 cd/m^2.
- Countdown digits: 1,400 cd/m^2;

The luminance of the emitting surface, measured at angles from the normal of the surface, may decrease linearly to a value of 50% of the values listed above at an angle of 15 degrees. The LED module shall have a visual appearance similar to that of an incandescent lamp (ie: Smooth and non-pixilated).
Maximum permissible luminance: When operated within the temperature range, the actual luminance for a module shall not exceed three times the required peak value of the minimum maintained luminance. Luminance uniformity: The uniformity of the signal output across the emitting section of the module lens (i.e. the hand, person or countdown icon) shall not exceed a ratio of 5 to 1 between the maximum and minimum luminance values (cd/m^2).

The standard colors for the LED Pedestrian Signal Module shall be White for the walking person and Portland Orange for the hand icon and the countdown digits.

(D) Electrical Requirements

All wiring and terminal blocks shall meet the requirements of Section 13.02 of the VTCSH Standard. Maximum of three secured, color coded, 1 meter (39 in) long 600 V, 16 AWG minimum, jacketed wires, conforming to the National Electrical Code, rated for service at +105°C, are to be provided for electrical connection. The

conductors shall be color coded with orange for the hand, blue for the walking person and white as the common lead.

LED modules shall operate from a 60 ± 3 Hertz ac line power over a voltage range from 80 to 135 VAC RMS. Nominal operating voltage for all measurements shall be 120 ± 3 VAC RMS. Fluctuations in line voltage over the range of 80 to 135 VAC RMS shall not affect luminous intensity by more than ± 10 %. To prevent the appearance of flicker, the module circuitry shall drive the LEDs at frequencies greater than 100 Hz when modulated, or at DC, over the voltage range specified.

Low Voltage Turn Off: There should be no illumination of the module when the applied voltage is less than 35 VAC RMS. To test for this condition, each icon must first be fully illuminated at the nominal operating voltage. The applied voltage shall then be reduced to the point where there is no illumination. This point must be greater than 35 VAC RMS.

Turn-ON and Turn-OFF Time: A module shall reach 90% of full illumination (turn-ON) within 75 msec of the application of the nominal operating voltage. The signal shall cease emitting visible illumination (turn-OFF) within 75 msec of the removal of the nominal operating voltage.

Default Condition: For abnormal conditions when nominal voltage is applied to the unit across the two-phase wires (rather than being applied to the phase wire and the neutral wire) the pedestrian signal unit shall default to the hand symbol. The on-board circuitry of a module shall include voltage surge protection:

- To withstand high-repetition noise transients and low-repetition high-energy transients as specified in NEMA Standard TS-2 2003; Section 2.1.8
- Section 8.2 IEC 1000-4-5 & Section 6.1.2 ANSI/IEEE C62.41.2-2002, 3kV, 2 ohm
- Section 8.0 IEC 1000-4-12 & Section 6.1.1 ANSI/IEEE C62.41.2-2002, 6kV, 30 ohm

The LED signal and associated on-board circuitry shall meet the requirements of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Title 47, Subpart B, Section 15 regulations concerning the emission of electronic noise by Class A digital devices. The modules shall provide a power factor of 0.90 or greater when operated at nominal operating voltage, and 25ºC (77ºF). Total harmonic distortion

induced into an AC power line by the module, operated at nominal operating voltage, and at 25ºC (77ºF) shall not exceed 20%.

The current draw shall be sufficient to ensure compatibility and proper triggering and operation of load current switches and conflict monitors in signal controller units. Off State Voltage Decay: When the module is switched from the On state to the Off state the terminal voltage shall decay to a value less than 10 VAC RMS in less than 100 milliseconds when driven by a maximum allowed load switch leakage current of 10 milliamps peak (7.1 milliamps AC).

(E) Module Functions

The module shall operate in one mode: *Clearance Cycle Countdown Mode Only.* The module shall start counting when the flashing don't walk turns on and will countdown to "0" and turn off when the steady "Don't Walk" signal turns on. The m*odule shall not have user accessible switches or controls for the purpose of modifying the cycle, icons or digits.* At power on, the module enters a single automatic learning cycle. During the automatic learning cycle, the countdown display shall remain dark. The unit shall re-program itself if it detects any increase or decrease of Pedestrian Timing. The digits shall go blank once a change is detected and then take one complete pedestrian cycle (with no counter during this cycle) to adjust its buffer timer.

The module shall allow for consecutive cycles without displaying the steady Hand icon ("Don't Walk"). The module shall recognize preemption events and temporarily modify the crossing cycle accordingly. If the controller preempts during the walking man, the countdown shall follow the controller's directions and shall adjust from walking man to flashing hand. It shall start to count down during the flashing hand. If the controller preempts during the flashing hand, the countdown shall continue to count down without interruption. The next cycle, following the preemption event, shall use the correct, initially programmed values. This specification is worded such that the flashing don't walk time is not modified.

If the controller output displays Don't Walk steady condition or if both the hand /person go dark and the unit has not arrived to zero, the unit suspends any timing and the digits shall go dark.

(F) Warranty

Manufacturers will provide the following warranty provisions. Replacement or repair of an LED signal module that fails to function

as intended due to workmanship or material defects within the first 5 years (60 months) from the date of project acceptance."

(IV) Amend **Subsection 770.05(A)- Controller Assembly** from line 617 to 625 to read:

"(1) Model 332A controller cabinet refers to latest Model 332LS controller cabinet listed on CALTRANS QPL.

The traffic signal controller shall be a 2070 LX on CALTRANS QPL. Each controller shall be furnished with the latest firm ware. Each controller shall be able to communicate with HDOT's traffic signal central server via Contractor provided cellular modem. (See Section 627.02 for cellular modem)

(3) Each controller assembly listed in Table 770.05-1 – Controller Assembly Requirements contains sufficient equipment for full 8-vehicle, 4-pedestrian, and 4-preemption phase intersection, even though the contract documents may not require it.

TABLE 770.05-1 – CONTROLLER ASSEMBLY REQUIREMENTS

Item	Quantity
Model 2070 LX Controller	1
332LS Aluminum Cabinet	1
Model 200 Load Switches	12
Model 204 Flasher	All
Model 242 Isolators	2
Model FS/ST Isolator	All
Flash Transfer Relays	All
Firmware	1
Model 2010ECL Conflict Monitor (Crimp and Poke Type, such as Molex Dualcon TM Straight/on Edge Dual Position Connectors, or approved equal)	1
Model 262C Detector Amplifiers (Rotary Sw Type)	8
Model M762 Preempt. Car (Non-QPL) with M768 Auxiliary Input Panel	2

(V) Amend **Subsection 770.05(B)- Model 170E Controller** by deleting line 643.

(VI) Amend **Subsection 770.05(C)(5)- Cabinet** by deleting lines 660 to 665.

(VII) Amend **Subsection 770.05(D)- Auxiliary Equipment** from line 697 to 741 to read:

(1) Model M762 Optical Preemption Module with M768 Auxiliary Input Panel. M762 shall be card-type and shall interface with Model 170 cabinet preemption slots of input file. Each M762 Module shall have two channels of preemption. M762 shall include firmware to discriminate between two valid priority signals, to prioritize valid same priority signals on a first come, first served basis, and to override low priority signal if high priority is received. M762 Module shall receive input signals (9.639 and 14.035 Hz) to permit priority preemption operation within 170 local intersection program. M762 shall optically isolate output signals and shall trigger active low signal to controller for high priority and pulsed active low signal for low priority. M768 Auxiliary Input Panel shall be used to interconnect M762 with the terminals inside the traffic cabinet. The State's preemption systems employ the 3M/Global Traffic Technologies Opticom System. New preemption equipment shall be 3M/Global Traffic Technologies Opticom or accepted equal that is fully compatible with 3M/Global Traffic Technologies Opticom.

(2) Security Tumbler for Signal Cabinet. The signal control cabinet door locks (2 locks for each cabinet) are keyed to take Best Lock Series tumblers. The contractor shall furnish and install 2 lock cylinders that will fit in the current locks on the signal cabinet. The lock cylinders keys shall be one of a kind, licensed to DTS, and each cylinder shall have 2 sets of keys with "do not duplicate" stamped on each key.

(VIII) Amend **Subsection 770.06(C) - Type 3 – Interconnect Cable Tie-in Signalized Intersection to Another** from line 759 to 765 to read:

"**(C) Type 3 – Interconnect Cable Tie-in Signalized Intersection to Another**. Fiber optic cables shall be utilized. See Section 627.02 for details.

(IX) Amend **Subsection 770.06(G) – Type 7 Preemption Detector (Opticom) Cables** from line 788 to 798 to read:

"(G) Type 7 - Preemption Detector (Opticom) Cables. Preemption detector (Opticom) cables are specific cables that run continuously from optical detectors mounted on traffic signal standards to terminal blocks for M762 phase module located in controller cabinet. Each detector shall be furnished with its own cable running back to controller cabinet. 3M/Global Traffic Technologies' M138 Optical Detector Cable shall be furnished for detector cable because it is compatible and consistent with requirements for Opticom Preemption System. M138 cable shall be furnished that is BerkTek Type B, shield jacket, three - insulated conductor cable, 20 AWG, one - 20 AWG bare stranded ground, 600 Volts, orange-blue-yellow color coded and 5/16 inch diameter."

(X) Amend **Subsection 770.11 – Preemption Detectors** from line 997 to 1009 to read:

"(A) Description. Preemption Detectors shall be located on traffic signal standards to convert optical signals emitted from an emergency vehicle to electrical pulses for emergency preemption of traffic signals. Electrical signals from optical detector shall be transmitted by 4-conductor cable to preemption module M762 located in input slot of controller cabinet. M762 preemption module shall direct and hold controller in preemption mode until signal disappears. Preprogrammed selection of phases and signal displays shall be controlled by Local Intersection Program. The State's preemption system employ 3M/Global Traffic Technologies Opticom System. New preemption equipment shall be by 3M/Global Traffic Technologies Opticom or equal accepted by the Engineer, that is fully compatible with 3M/Global Traffic Technologies Opticom. Astro-mini brackets or similar device for attaching preemption detector to poles shall be included."

(XI) Amend **Subsection 770.11 – Preemption Detectors** from line 1012 to 1021 to read:

"(1) Type 7 Cable. Type 7 preemption detector (Opticom) cables shall be specific cables that run continuously from optical detectors mounted on traffic signal standards to terminal blocks for M762 phase module in controller cabinet. Type 7 preemption detector cable shall be compatible with 3M/Global Traffic Technologies' M138 Optical Detector cable and shall be consistent with requirements for Opticom Preemption System. M138 cable shall be BerkTek Type B, shield jacket, 3-insulated conductor, 20AWG stranded copper, 1-20AWG bare stranded ground, 600 volts, orange-blue-yellow color coded, and 5/16-inch diameter."

(XII) Add **Subsection 770.12 – Pedestrian Signal Push Button With Integral Sign** to read:

"(A) Description. The pedestrian push button unit shall consist of an assembly that can be secured to traffic poles with standard screws, be tamper proof, weatherproof, and constructed so that electrical shocks are impossible to receive.

(B) Materials.

(1) The housing for the push button assembly shall be of cast and/or machined aluminum. The push button assembly shall be weatherproof with a water diverting groove set in the outside diameter of the actuator button receptor. The housing shall be designed to reduce vandalism and shall mount on the side or top of a pole with a minimum 2-inch diameter button. The push button

housing shall be capable of mounting in an ‘up button’ or ‘down button’ configuration. All wire connections shall be accessible from the back of the assembly.

(2) An ADA acceptable raised directional sign shall be installed with stainless steel fasteners to the housing. The sign shall consist of a raised walking person and a raised arrow indication. Paint the unit black and paint the raised walking person and arrow white. The sign shall be capable of mounting in an ‘up button’ or ‘down button’ configuration. The raised walking person and arrows shall be directional and match the indication as shown in the plans.

(3) The pushbutton shall extend from the sign faceplate approximately three inches. The pushbutton actuator shall be convex in design having a flat area on the face for uses of a stylus, ADA acceptable, two inches in diameter, and have a tension of less than five pounds when pressed. The button shall be manufactured in a way that it cannot be stuck in a closed (constant call) position.

The pedestrian push button shall be a piezo electric type and be UL listed. The button shall have a stainless steel actuator and shall be mounted within the housing with stainless steel, non-corrosive, tamper proof fasteners. The unit shall operate between 12-24V DC or AC, 3 inch round mounts with 4 mounting bolts. The pedestrian button shall give an audio and visual signal each time the pedestrian button is activated.”

END OF SECTION 770