

1 Make this Section a part of the Standard Specifications:

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3 **"SECTION 695 - PORTABLE CONCRETE BARRIER**
4 **AND INERTIAL BARRIER SYSTEM**

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6 **695.01 Description.** This section is for furnishing, hauling, installing, maintaining,
7 relocating, and subsequently removing portable concrete barriers and inertial
8 barrier systems according to the contract documents.

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10 **695.02 Materials.**

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12 **(A) Portable Concrete Barriers.** Materials shall meet the requirements
13 specified in the following subsections of Division 700 - Materials.

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15	Reinforcing Steel	709.01
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17	Reflector Marker	750.07
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19	Preformed Pavement Marking Tape	755.04
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21	Structural Steel	713.01
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23	High-Strength Bolts and Studs	718.02
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25	Nuts	718.03

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27 **(B) Inertial Barrier Systems (Portable Concrete Barrier End**
28 **Treatment).**

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30 Sand Barrels shall not be used.

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32 Each Inertial Barrier System array shall be configured to
33 provide a satisfactory average rate of deceleration (8 g's maximum
34 preferred for each row) for errant vehicles in the weight ranges of
35 1810 to 4410 lbs. The inertial barrier system shall meet the
36 requirements of MASH for Test Level 3 for non-redirective gating
37 crash cushions. For impact vehicles weighing between 1810 and
38 4410 lbs. and traveling at speeds of up to 62 mph, the maximum
39 24-inch occupant fail space velocity shall be less than 39 ft/sec and
40 the vehicles' highest 10 millisecond occupants' ride-down
41 acceleration shall be less than 20 g's.

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43 The center of gravity of each properly filled module shall be at
44 a height which will aid in controlling the pitch of standard passenger
45 vehicles.

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47 The components of the modules shall interface to prevent
48 leakage of sand contained therein. The interface shall, however,
49 permit drainage of excess water contained within the sand mass.

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51 **695.03 Construction Requirements.**

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53 **(A) Portable Concrete Barriers.**
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55 **(1) Fabrication.** Construct the contractor furnished portable
56 concrete barriers in accordance with contract plans and as modified
57 herein. The barriers shall be in 20 - foot segments. The
58 identification and date of design shall be placed at the location
59 shown in the plans. Prior to fabrication of the portable concrete
60 barrier, submit detailed shop drawings to the Engineer for
61 acceptance.
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63 **(a) Forms.** Forms shall be according to Section 503 -
64 Concrete Structures.
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66 **(b) Concrete.** Use 5000 psi concrete with synthetic
67 macro structural fiber reinforcement (structural fiber). Use
68 an amount of structural fiber that will result in an average
69 residual strength of 265 pounds per square inch. ASTM
70 C1399 shall determine average residual strength. Structural
71 fiber shall be a system made of a twisted bundle
72 combination of fully-oriented non-fibrillation monofilament
73 and a fibrillating copolymer/polypropylene network fiber
74 system. All material shall be 100% virgin material and shall
75 be non-corrosive, non-magnetic and be 100% alkali proof.
76 The fibers shall have a tensile strength not less than 90 ksi.
77 Structural fiber shall have a nominal length of 2-1/4", gray in
78 color to match the concrete and comply with or exceed
79 ASTM C-1116. It shall have an aspect ratio (length divided
80 by the equivalent diameter of the fiber) between 115 and
81 165. The length of the structural fiber may be reduced to
82 0.75 to 1.25 inches if the longer length is not being uniformly
83 distributed through the mix due to the reinforcing steel
84 segregating the fibers out of the mix. The Engineer has
85 determined and accepted that 7.5 pounds of Forta Ferro®
86 fiber per cubic yard of concrete will result in 265 pounds per
87 square inch average residual strength. When structural
88 fiber is specified in pounds per cubic yard of concrete, it shall
89 mean the specified dosage is an amount of Forta Ferro®
90 fiber that will provide the required average residual strength.
91 The dosage of another manufacture's structural fiber may
92 not have the same results and shall be adjusted and
93 accounted for. No additional compensation will be granted
94 for the additional weight of fiber.
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96 **(c) Placing Concrete.** Moisten the form thoroughly and
97 immediately prior to the placing of the concrete. Place the
98 concrete in accordance with Section 503 - Concrete
99 Structures.

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101 **(d) Curing.** Steam or water-cure the portable concrete
102 barriers in accordance with Subsection 504.03(G) - Curing.
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104 **(e) Handling.** Do not handle the portable concrete
105 barriers until the concrete has attained a compressive
106 strength of more than 3,000 pounds per square inch. Use
107 the lifting holes to hoist the portable concrete barrier. Do
108 not use the drainage slots that are located at the bottom of
109 the barrier to lift or move barricades. Repair or replace units
110 damaged by improper handling at no increase in contract
111 price and contract time.
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113 The Engineer will permit stacking of precast units with
114 prior acceptance by the Engineer of the method to be
115 employed by the Contractor.
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117 **(f) Accessories.** Furnish, install maintain one RM-2
118 reflector marker on top of the concrete barrier (not RM-3 as
119 shown on the Standard Plan), a longitudinal 4-inch by 20
120 feet permanent preformed pavement marking tape, Type I
121 (color to match appropriate roadway pavement stripe) on the
122 lower sloped side of the barrier facing traffic, and a steady
123 burn amber lamp on each barrier unit. The longitudinal
124 4-inch permanent preformed pavement marking tape shall
125 be installed on a surface that has the tape's manufacturer's
126 recommended primer applied to it in a manner acceptable to
127 the manufacturer and the Engineer.
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129 Type II Barricade with a steady burn amber lamp on
130 each barricade in accordance with MUTCD Chapter 6.
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132 **(g) Ownership.** Upon completion of the project, the
133 portable concrete barriers and the portable concrete barrier
134 end treatments shall become the property of the Department
135 of Transportation, Highways Division, Oahu District. Prior
136 to fabrication of the portable concrete barrier, submit detailed
137 shop drawings to the Engineer for acceptance.
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139 **(2) Installation.** Erect all units as shown on the contract
140 documents or as specified by the Engineer. Set the units in a
141 vertical position, closely following the roadway grade. The units
142 shall have a maximum of 1/4-inch offset in any direction between
143 adjacent panels at the connections.
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145 Horizontal alignment of the panels shall be such that any
146 panel is not out of alignment by more than 1/2-inch from straight
147 line. Furnish and install steel pins for connecting the barrier
148 sections according to contract documents.
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Do not leave barrier ends exposed to traffic, and shall provide treatment that complies with MASH Test Level 3 criteria. Do not mix portable concrete barriers not constructed in accordance with the October 2001A design with barriers with newly constructed units within the same barrier installation.

Relocate any units or existing barriers during construction at the locations shown in the contract documents or as ordered by the Engineer.

Upon completion of the work, clean, repair, remove, haul, off load and store all units at the location shown in the contract documents or as ordered by the Engineer. If the final designation is not available when the units are ready to be removed, haul the units to an interim location or to an alternate Engineer designated location at no additional cost to the State.

The cleaning and repair of the units shall be performed regardless of cause, such as accidents, 'wear and tear' or improper handling by the Contractor during use. Repair all damaged unit back to its original configuration, i.e., undamaged condition. A damaged unit that, in the judgment of the Engineer, is considered irreparable shall be replaced with a new unit at no increase in contract price or contract time. The Engineer will inspect and find if all units are acceptable at the storage area designated in the contract documents or at a location designated by the Engineer. Any unit that is not cleaned or repaired to an acceptable condition shall be removed from the designated storage site and not returned until is made acceptable.

(3) Type II Barricades. Furnish, install and maintain Type II Barricades with lamp as channelizing devices. Spacing shall be in accordance with the requirements of MUTCD part 6. Their position shall comply with MUTCD Typical Application 5, found in part 6.

(B) Inertial Barrier System (Portable Concrete Barrier End Treatment).

(1) The portable concrete barrier end treatment shall be a non-redirective, energy-absorbing terminal providing impact protection. It shall meet MASH, Test Level 3 criteria for Non-Redirective Crash Cushions, as accepted by FHWA. Submit a brochure of the product to be used for acceptance by the Engineer prior to ordering the end treatment.

(2) The portable concrete barrier end treatment shall be designed for easy attachment to and removal from the end of the concrete barrier. The nose of the system shall be equipped with a chevron sign, a crash cushion object marker (CCOM) which shall be reversible to match the corresponding traffic direction.

(3) Installation and use of the end treatment shall be consistent with shy-line and placement guidelines specified in the current edition of the AASHTO Roadside Design Guide.

(4) Provide, install, and maintain a MASH compliant end treatment compatible with the barrier units. The end treatment shall be attached and installed in compliance with the manufacturers instructions. If requested by the Engineer, provide three copies of the maintenance and operational manual for the end treatments along with an instructional class for State personnel on the installation and removal of the end treatment.

(5) Haul the portable concrete barrier end treatment to the project site. Prepare the beds and set the portable concrete barrier end treatment at a location shown in the contract documents or as directed by the Engineer.

(6) Furnish, install, and maintain attachment for connecting the portable concrete barrier end treatment to the barrier unit.

(7) Furnish install and maintain crash cushion object marker (CCOM) on each portable concrete barrier end treatment in accordance with the contract documents.

(8) Relocate the portable concrete barrier end treatment during construction at the locations shown in the contract documents or as ordered by the Engineer.

(9) Upon completion of the work, clean, repair, remove, haul, off load and store the portable concrete barrier end treatment at the location shown in the contract documents or as ordered by the Engineer. If the final destination is not available when the units are ready to be removed, haul the units to an interim location or to an alternate Engineer designated location at no increase in contract price or contract time.

The cleaning and repair of the portable concrete barrier end treatments shall be performed regardless of cause, such as 'wear and tear' or improper handling by the Contractor during use. Repair shall include replacement of all damaged portions of the portable concrete barrier end treatment back to its original configuration. A portable concrete barrier end treatment damaged that, in the judgment of the Engineer, is considered irreparable shall be replaced with a new portable concrete barrier end treatment at no increase in contract price or contract time. All portable concrete barrier end treatments will be inspected and found acceptable by the Engineer before returning them to the area

designated in the contract documents or as directed by the Engineer.

(10) The portable concrete barrier end treatment shall become the property of the DOT, Highways Division after project completion.

(C) Pavement Striping and Markers for Lane Shifting.

Furnish and install pavement striping and markings according to Section 629 - Pavement Markings, Subsection 629.03(C) – Permanent Pavement Markings. Do not use temporary pavement striping and markers. Striping shall be done in accordance with the contract documents or as directed by the Engineer. If no striping plan is provided, submit striping plan for review and acceptance by the Engineer a minimum of 14 days prior to the setting of the units. Upon completion of the contract work, remove the lane shift striping and markers, and restore original striping and markers in accordance with the contract documents or as directed by the Engineer.

695.04 Method of Measurement. The Engineer will measure portable concrete barriers and inertial barriers per each.

The Engineer will not measure installing, maintaining, and subsequently removing lane shift pavement striping and markers for payment.

695.05 Basis of Payment. The Engineer will pay for the accepted portable concrete barriers on a contract price per pay unit, as shown in the proposal schedule. The price includes full compensation for work prescribed in this section and the contract documents.

The Engineer will not pay for the accepted installing, maintaining, relocating, and subsequently removing the portable concrete barriers separately. The Engineer shall consider the cost for the accepted installing, maintaining, relocating, and subsequently removing the portable concrete barriers as included in the contract price of the contractor furnished portable concrete barriers. The price includes full compensation for preparing beds; hauling and setting portable concrete barriers; installing connector pins; maintaining reflector markers, lamps, and permanent preformed pavement marking tape; cleaning and relocating portable concrete barriers during construction; cleaning and hauling the portable concrete barriers after completion of the project to the Oahu District Baseyard or to a place designated by the Engineer; and furnishing labor, materials, tools, equipment and incidentals necessary to complete the work.

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294 The Engineer will pay for the accepted inertial barrier modules on a
295 contract price per pay unit, as shown in the proposal schedule. The price
296 includes full compensation for work prescribed in this section and the contract
297 documents.

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299 The Engineer will not pay for the accepted installing, maintaining,
300 relocating, and subsequently removing the inertial barrier modules separately.
301 The Engineer shall consider the cost for the accepted installing, maintaining,
302 relocating, and subsequently removing the inertial barrier modules as included in
303 the contract price of the portable concrete barriers. The price includes full
304 compensation for submitting a list of materials and equipment to be incorporated
305 in the work; grading and compacting the ground; furnishing, assembling, and
306 installing an inertial barrier system; relocating inertial barrier modules to locations
307 specified in the contract; filling each installed inertial barrier module with sand;
308 removal and disposal of sand; cleaning and hauling the empty modules to the
309 designated locations or as directed by the engineer upon completion of the
310 project, and furnishing labor, materials, tools, equipment and incidentals
311 necessary to complete the work.

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313 The Engineer will not pay for the accepted pavement striping and markers
314 for lane shifting separately. The Engineer will consider the cost for the accepted
315 pavement striping and markings for lane shifting as included in the contract price
316 of the portable concrete barriers. The price includes full compensation for
317 submitting the striping plans; removing the existing pavement striping and
318 markers; installing the lane shift pavement striping and markers; removing the
319 lane shift striping and markers; and restore original striping and markers
320 according to the contract or as directed by the Engineer; and furnishing labor,
321 materials, tools, equipment and incidentals necessary to complete the work.

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323 The Engineer will pay for each of the following pay items when included in
324 the proposal schedule:

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326 Portable Concrete Barrier (20-Foot Lengths) Each
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328 Inertial Barrier System Each
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332 **END OF SECTION 695**