Oklahoma Department of Transportation

Clarification of Construction Signs (Metric)
Construction Control Directive No. **19990331**

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Scope:

To clarify the payment method for construction signs under the

metric specification.

On conversion of construction traffic control signs from English to Metric, the dimension for the medium size sign shown as 6.26 SF to 15.99 SF English measure was rounded upwards from 1.485 SM to 1.49 SM thus allowing an interpretation that a 16 SF sign would be the medium size rather than the large size, since 1.49 SM is slightly greater than 16 SF.

The intent has been, that the same nominal sizes paid for in English measure would be the same in Metric. The dimensions have been revised to avoid any further misinterpretation (see the memo from Chief Traffic Engineer enclosed).

This is your authority to pay for signs of 1.48 SM or greater at the same rate as the signs from 1.50 SM to 2.99 SM, on ongoing projects.

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