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MEMORANDUM TO: Prequalified Private Engineering Firms

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SUBJECT: 2021 Reimbursable Rates for PEF Engineering Technician I Trainees

The Department has determined that an increase in the technician reimbursable ranges is warranted based on a review of Consumer Price Index data for Civil Engineering Technicians. The new allowable hourly salary rates for Private Engineering Firm technicians on the Engineering Technician I Trainee Program are as follows:

Level	Amount
Entry Level (No Experience)	\$19.87
12 Months Experience (Requirements Completed)	\$20.86
24 Months Experience (Program Completed)	\$21.85

Private Engineering Firms may increase the rates of the Trainees currently enrolled in the PEF Engineering Technician I Trainee Program to the rates associated with their current approved level of the program. The new billable hourly rates for Trainees are effective September 1, 2021.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Ms. Sherell Williams of the Construction Unit at (919)707-2422 or via email at sherellwilliams@ncdot.gov.

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