

## **PROPRIETARY PRODUCTS**

NCDOT Policy F.25.0101

<b>Business Category:</b> Division of Highways (DOH), Multi-Modal Transportation		<b>Business Area:</b> Materials and Tests Unit Product Evaluation Program, Contract Standards and Technical Units		
Approval Date: 8/5/2022	Last Revision Date: 6/27/2024		Next Review Date: 6/27/2026	
Authority:  N.C. Gen Stat §133-3. Specifications to carry competitive items; substitution of materials.  N.C. Gen Stat §136-28.1. Letting of contracts to bidders after advertisement; exceptions.			Select all that apply:  ☑ N/A  ☐ Requires Board approval	
			☐ Requires other external agency approval: Click here to enter external agency name(s).	
Definitions:				
"Engineer of Record" – shall mean the person who is sealing the plans or proposal specifying proprietary products.				
"NCDOT" – shall mean the North Carolina Department of Transportation.				
"Project Manager" – shall mean the person from NCDOT who is in overall charge of the planning and execution of a particular project where a specified proprietary product is proposed by the Engineer of Record.				
"Technical Unit Representatives" – shall mean the person(s) from a NCDOT Unit whose technical discipline is applicable to the specified proprietary product proposed by the Engineer of Record.				
<b>Policy:</b> It is the policy of the North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) that all project products funded by state or federal dollars must follow the procedures as outlined in the <a href="Proprietary Products Guidelines">Proprietary Products Guidelines</a> and procedures referenced in the <a href="NCDOT Project Delivery Network">NCDOT Project Delivery Network</a> adhering to <a href="N.C. Gen Stat §133-3">N.C. Gen Stat §136-28.1(n)</a> .				
<b>Scope:</b> This policy applies to all Engineers of Record, Project Managers and Technical Unit representatives for a state or federally funded project.				
Procedures:				
Procedures may be found by accessing the following link to <u>Proprietary Products Guidelines</u> and <u>NCDOT Project Delivery</u>				

## **Related Documents:**

Network.

**Proprietary Products Guidelines** 

Products page of the Connect NCDOT website.

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Revision History				
Revision Date	Revision Number	Description		
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6/27/2024	1	Integrated N.C. Gen Stat §136-28.1(n), per 2023 HB198.		

## **Policy Approval** Signing below certifies that the aforementioned policy has been vetted by the business area representative, applicable legal counsel (AG's office, etc.), and executive staff member(s). DocuSigned by: 01/13/2025 **Business Area Representative** D01497431 Signature Date Signed by: Daniel H Johnson 01/13/2025 Legal Counsel Date (Responsible for the Unit) **Executive Staff Member** 01/13/2025 lamar Sylvester Date (Responsible for the Unit) **Executive Staff Member** Julie a White 01/15/2025 Date (Responsible for the Unit) **Executive Staff Member** Signature Date (Responsible for the Unit)

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