REFERENCE GUIDE

Each page of the QPL gives the following information:

Specification Reference - The Standard Specification, General Special Provision or Standard Plan, which gives material requirements for the indicated material.

Material Category - The specification name for this material type.

Manufacturer - The name of the manufacturer, city, and state where this product or material is produced and/or the corporate headquarters are located.

Product Identification - Specific product information concerning brand name, model, size, color, blend, or other identifying characteristics. Some items have a note referenced (See Appendix ‘B’).

AUC - This indicates that this product was evaluated and Approved Under Contract, after being submitted on a RAM (Request for Approval of Material).

QPL - This indicates that this product went through a formal evaluation process, usually at the request of a material manufacturer or supplier.

SME - This indicates this product was evaluated by a WSDOT Subject Matter Expert for use on WSDOT construction projects and determined to meet the applicable specification.

TUC - This indicates this product was submitted on a RAM (Request for Approval of Material) for approval, sent to WSDOT Materials Lab, and Tested Under Contract.

Reference No. - A unique number assigned to each product.

A or CA - Indicates if the material is an “Approved” or a “Conditionally Approved” product. See Introduction for a more detailed explanation.

Acceptance Code - A code that refers to Appendix A that details how the product will be accepted on the job.

Last Update - The date this product was last edited or evaluated for conformance to the specification.

Bid Item(s) - A blank location for noting the specific bid item(s) for which the Contractor proposes to use this product.

Qty. (quantity) - A blank location for the Field Inspector to record the quantity of material actually used for this Bid Item on the particular date.

Verified By - A blank location for the Field Inspector to initial when accepting a product.

Date - A blank location for the Field Inspector to note the date of acceptance of the material.

To make the experience of finding a product on the WSDOT Internet Site or getting a product evaluated for listing in the QPL, we have added the follow three areas of instruction.

Page IV - VII Instructions for finding a Product or a Manufacturer on the Washington State Department of Transportation Internet Homepage.

Page VIII What is needed in order to have a product listed in the QPL

Page IX What will be needed for a product evaluation