

101-C-240 SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION

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The Standard Specifications are revised as follows:

SECTION 101, BEGIN LINE 431, DELETE AND INSERT AS FOLLOWS:

101.59 Substantial Completion

The date, as determined by the Department, when the construction of a project is sufficiently completed in accordance with the plans and specifications, as modified by any approved change orders, so that it can be used for its intended purpose. In order for a project to be used for its intended purpose, *all lanes shall be, or have the ability to be, opened to traffic without further need for them to be restricted for any purpose except for the placement or maintenance of permanent erosion and sediment control or the maintenance or removal of temporary erosion and sediment control.* ~~As a minimum, all of the following criteria must be met: All lanes of the road or bridge shall be completed through its final roadway surface, including shoulders, with all the *sidewalks, curbs, drainage features*, markings, permanent safety appurtenances, ~~permanent erosion control features~~, lighting, traffic signals, and signing as shown in the contract documents, so that they may be opened to unrestricted traffic.~~
