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TO: All Design, Operations, and District Personnel, and Consultants

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SUBJECT: Use of AASHTO *LRFD Bridge Design Specifications*

EFFECTIVE: Stage 2 submittals on or after **August 1, 2018**

This memo has been revised to extend the compliance date for use of the LRFD 8th Edition. Project may be designed to the LRFD 8th Edition or continue to use the LRFD 7th Edition until the effective date.

Effective as noted, each new or replacement bridge is to be designed in accordance with the AASHTO *LRFD Bridge Design Specifications, 8th Edition, 2017* (LRFD 8).

For projects beyond Stage 1, where the use of the LRFD 8 impacts the proposed structure depth, please contact the Office of Bridge Design, Jeremy Hunter, at jhunter@indot.in.gov