

SECTION 12.00
GENERAL CLAUSES FOR HIGHWAY SIGNING

12.00.01--General: It is the intent of the plans, specifications, and special provisions to provide for a complete signing system. The work shall include the furnishing of all materials incidental to the fabrication and erection of all signs and sign supports.

12.00.02--Shop Drawings: Before fabricating any portion of the Overhead and/or Cantilever Sign Supports, the Contractor shall submit shop drawings drawn to scale for approval in accordance with Subarticle 1.05.02-3, except that in the first and third sentences of the first paragraph the title of "Engineer of Bridge Design" shall be replaced by "Manager of the Division of Traffic." These drawings shall include but not be limited to the following information.

1. All pertinent dimensions.
2. Complete details of the Overhead and/or Cantilever Sign Supports including camber and material designations.

12.00.03--Buried Cable: The Contractor is hereby cautioned that within the limits of any project an illumination contract may be in force or have been completed, in which case buried cable may be present at or near the proposed locations for overhead sign support foundations and the cable may be energized. Any damage to existing buried cable shall be repaired in a satisfactory manner at no additional cost to the State.

12.00.04--Negotiations with Utility Company: Article 10.00.12 is supplemented by the following:

The Contractor shall make all necessary arrangements with the Bureau of Highways, District Electrical Maintenance Supervisor for locking and unlocking of the circuits on which any work is to be done, through the Engineer.

12.00.05--Sequence of Operations: Whenever a new or relocated sign, of any kind, is replacing an existing sign, the replaced sign shall be removed immediately after the new installation.