ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

General Application Special Provision

DATE: June 27, 2023 GASP No. <u>22-GA0034</u>

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 1, 2023

SUBJECT: Iron or Steel Products (State Projects Only).

Alabama Standard Specifications, 2022 Edition, SECTION 600 shall be amended as follows:

SECTION 106 CONTROL OF MATERIALS

106.01 Source of Supply and Quality Requirements.

- (a) General.
 - 2. Non-Federal Participating Projects.
 - a. Steel Products.

Subitem 106.01(a)2a shall be replaced with the following:

a. Iron or Steel Products.

The content of Alabama Code Section 39-3-4 is as follows: "(a) Any contractor for a public works project, financed entirely by the State of Alabama or any political subdivision thereof, within this state shall use iron or steel produced within the United States when specifications in the construction contract require the use of iron or steel and do not limit its supply to a sole source under subsection (f) of Section 39-2-2. If the awarding authority decides that the procurement of domestic iron or steel products becomes impractical as a result of a national emergency, national strike, or other cause, the awarding authority shall waive the above restriction. (b) In the event the contractor violates the domestic iron or steel requirements of subsection (a), and domestic iron or steel is not used, there shall be a downward adjustment in the contract price equal to any realized savings or benefits to the contractor."