

**PORTSMOUTH-KITTERY  
16189B**

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**SPECIAL PROVISION**

**AMENDMENT TO SECTION 615 – TRAFFIC SIGNS**

**(Protection of Signs with Type XI Sheeting)**

**Add** to Construction Methods:

**3.4** Protection of Reflective Sheeting

**3.4.1** Contractor and sign fabricator shall exercise all due caution to avoid any creases, bends, tears, punctures, or other damage to any Type XI sign sheeting, perceptible or not. Sign sheeting shall be protected at all times following application to the aluminum plank surfaces. Any defect which becomes perceptible either under direct, indirect or no light conditions shall be cause for rejection of the full sign panel.

**3.4.2** Following the application of the sign legend and borders, the sign panel shall be protected from all hazards that may cause a defect to the sign sheeting (either background, legend or borders) in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. Fabricated signs shall not be stacked during storage, transport or erection such that concentrated pressure is placed on one area of the sign face that is not uniform across the full sign face.

**Add** to Method of Measurement:

**4.8** Any defect in the surface area of the sign that becomes perceptible under direct, indirect, or no light conditions shall be cause for rejection of the whole sign panel.