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The Illinois Department of Transportation is interested in maintaining close communications with industry. This newsletter highlights subjects which we believe will be of interest to you.

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PROFILE EQUIPMENT VERIFICATION (PEV) PROGRAM

The Bureau of Materials and Physical Research will be conducting the Profile Equipment Verification (PEV) program again in the spring of 2007. The PEV program was established to address changes to the Special Provision for Surface Testing of Pavements that were made effective as of the August 5, 2005 letting. These changes require any Contractor on a project using this Special Provision to verify their profile equipment through the PEV program. This also applies to equipment used by a Subcontractor on the project.

The 2007 PEV program will be held at the Rantoul Airport, with tentative scheduling for the weeks of April 16 and 23, 2007. Participants in last year's program will need to have their profile equipment re-verified (this is an annual program). If you or a Subcontractor have profile equipment to be verified, please contact either of the following individuals for scheduling.

NOTE: No walk-ins will be allowed.

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**RIGHT OF ENTRY
PERMIT FOR
RAILROAD PROPERTY**

Some, but not all, Railroads require Right of Entry permits. If you are bidding on a contract and railroad insurance is required, please call the person/s listed on the page where the railroad information is located to ask if a Right of Entry is needed. Article 107.04 of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction indicate all fees are the contractor's responsibility. The permits will need to be applied for and payment made before approval of the railroad policy is made by the railroad. Please remember an original and a certified copy of all railroad protective policies are to be delivered to the Illinois Department of Transportation, 2300 South Dirksen Parkway Room 326, Springfield, IL 62764. If you have any questions please call Nancy E Knapp or Jim Duncan at (217)782-7806 or e-mail Nancy.Knapp@illinois.gov or James.Duncan@illinois.gov.

STAY INFORMED!

Keep in touch with your representative on the IDOT/Industry Policy Committee and IDOT/Industry Joint Co-op Committee.