

SECTION 170

EXAMINATION OF GEOTECHNICAL INFORMATION

The Contractor shall have access to and may examine any information related to any geotechnical investigations relevant to the Work. The Contractor may review any records related to borings, test pit excavations and any other subsurface investigations and soil analyses performed either by the Department or its consultants with the understanding that this data and analyses was used by the Owner as part of the design of the permanent Works only and for no other purpose.

Any subsurface information available is based on the investigations undertaken at the locations identified only. The Department makes no guarantees, warranties (either expressed or implied), or representations with respect to the information provided. The Contractor is cautioned that the data provided in no way is typical of the locations and may have changed since the time the data was acquired.

The Department makes no guarantees that the presence or absence of water at the project location or any subsurface explorations when made, will be representative of the actual conditions encountered at time of construction.

The Contractor shall be solely responsible for obtaining any additional information they feel is necessary prior to commencing any part of the Work.