53.17 ROADWAY SWEEPING

53.17.1 GENERAL

The Work consists of mechanical brooming to remove sand, soil and other debris from pavement surfaces.

53.17.2 MATERIALS

No materials are required for this Work.

53.17.3 EQUIPMENT

The Contractor shall supply all equipment necessary to complete the Work.

53.17.4 PROCEDURE

All Work shall be performed during daylight hours only, unless adequate lighting exists which provides visibility of at least 700 metres and prior approval of the Engineer is obtained. No Work shall be performed when the visibility is less than 700 metres.

Sweeping operations shall be carried out in the same direction as the flow of traffic.

The material or debris being swept shall be removed from the pavement surface.

Sweeping operations shall be performed in a manner which prevents debris from being cast into the flow of traffic. Debris may be disposed of adjacent to the roadway or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.

53.17.5 RESPONSE TIME AND TIME TO COMPLETE

In urgent situations, the Contractor shall respond within 2 hours of the issuance of the Work Order and diligently complete all aspects of the Work. In all other cases the Contractor shall complete the Work within 30 calendar days of the issuance of the Work Order.

53.17.6 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

Measurement will be in square metres of roadway surface swept, based on a minimum width of 1.8 m or the width of the broom being used, whichever is less.

Payment will be made at the unit price bid per square metre for "Roadway Sweeping". This payment will be full compensation for removing debris from the roadway surface and all labour, equipment, tools and incidentals necessary to complete the Work.

In urgent situations where the Contractor is required to respond within 2 hours of the issuance of the Work Order, an additional payment will be made at the unit price bid per occurrence for "Roadway Sweeping -Premium". This payment will be full compensation for complying with the accelerated scheduling required to complete the Work.

53.17.7 WARRANTY

There is no warranty period for this Work.