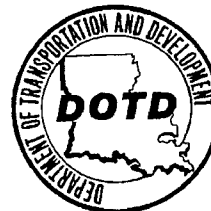




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QUALIFIED PRODUCTS LIST 72  
 EROSION CONTROL PRODUCTS  
 Terra Novo, Inc., EarthGuard Fiber Matrix  
 Bakersfield, California

Mr. Brian Foster  
 Terra Novo, Inc.  
 2930 Patton Way  
 Bakersfield, California 93308

Subject: Approval of EarthGuard Fiber Matrix

Dear Mr. Foster:

I am pleased to inform you that the Erosion Control Product listed above has been found to be acceptable for use on DOTD projects and has been approved for listing in the DOTD Qualified Products List 72, Erosion Control Products, as follows:

PRODUCT SOURCE CODE	PRODUCT	TYPE	DESCRIPTION	SOURCE
7261	EarthGuard Fiber Matrix	A & B	Wood Fiber Mulch with Polymer Tackifier	Terra Novo, Inc. 2930 Patton Way Bakersfield, California 93308

The approval of your product shown here is effective immediately. The printed manual and the DOTD Web Page are updated quarterly, and your product will be included in the next revision.

The Source Code assigned to each product is to be used only for material represented by the sample submitted for approval. Source Approval, as the name implies, is an approval of the source only. Samples submitted by contractors from an approved source for use on DOTD projects will be sampled according to the DOTD **Materials Sampling Manual** and tested for conformance to the applicable project specifications prior to use. It is very important that the material and the installation plan used on DOTD projects is the same as what was tested by the TTI/HECL as described in the Qualification Procedure. Please ensure that your distributors deliver your products with copies of the installation plan used at the TTI/HECL for that product. These will be verified prior to use.

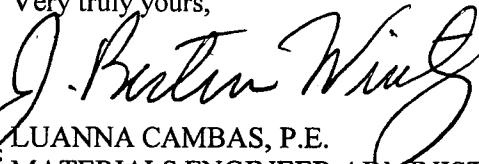
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As stated in the Qualification Procedure, the DOTD Materials & Testing Section Coordinator must be notified in writing of any change of ownership, contact person, company (or Product) name, address, or telephone number. Also, any change in your plant location or operations which result in a significant change in material properties will require the re-evaluation of your product. Failure to do so may result in the suspension or revocation of your approved status.

The DOTD Materials and Testing Section Coordinator for Q.P.L. 72 is Mr. J. Bertin Wintz, P.E. He may be contacted at (225)248-4133. Please feel free to contact him if you have any questions concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,

  
For LUANNA CAMBAS, P.E.  
MATERIALS ENGINEER ADMINISTRATOR

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