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SUBJECT Utility Permit Fees		SUPERSEDES		DATED
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PURPOSE

To delegate authority to Regional Directors and clarify their responsibilities concerning fees for utility facility permits on State highways.

Reference DPOL 07.08.010 *Administration and Accommodation of Utilities*

POLICY

It is the policy of this Department that Regional Directors may interpret, in conformance with the law, when or if certain utility permit fees apply.

When it can be clearly demonstrated that the placement, extension, or modification of a utility facility would benefit the State through the enhancement of the Department's mission or program, and is in the public interest, Regional Director's may, in their discretion and in accordance with 17 AAC Chapter 15, UTILITY AND RAILROAD PERMITS, suspend application of the utility permit fee.

Only those utility permit fee waivers which are exceptions to the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities Utilities Manual shall be fully documented and submitted to the State Utility Engineer.

AUTHORITY

AS 19.25.010
AS 19.25.200
17 AAC Chapter 15

IMPLEMENTATION RESPONSIBILITY

Director, Engineering & Operations; Regional Directors