300.1 MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP

All materials, parts, and equipment furnished by the contractor shall be new, high grade, and free from defects. Workmanship shall be in accordance with generally accepted industry standards. Materials and workmanship shall be subject to the District’s approval.

Materials and workmanship not conforming to the requirements of these specifications shall be considered defective and will be subject to rejection. Defective work or material, whether in place or not, shall be removed immediately from the site by the contractor at its expense, when so directed by the District.

300.2 PROTECTION OF WORK AND MATERIALS

The contractor shall provide and maintain storage facilities and employ such measures as will preserve the specified quality and fitness of materials to be used in the work. Stored materials shall be reasonably accessible for inspection. The contractor shall also adequately protect new and existing work and all items of equipment for the duration of the contract.

300.3 INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

Unless otherwise specified, inspection is required at the jobsite for such typical materials and fabricated items as pipe, valves, fittings, service materials, structural concrete, welding, and protective coating application.

Before incorporation in the work, the contractor shall submit samples of materials and deliver the samples for testing at the place and the designated time, as required by the District, at the expense of the contractor. Unless otherwise provided, all initial material testing and a reasonable amount of retesting shall be performed under the direction of the District at the expense of the District. If the contractor is to provide and pay for material testing, the specifications will so state. For private contracts, the testing expense shall be borne by the permittee.

END OF SECTION