CLAUSES TO BE ADDED TO THE SCOSE AIA A701 1997 EDITION

Insert the following wording into the fillable fields of § 9.9 of the 1997 A701:

9.7.1  Delete § 3.4.3 and insert: “§ 3.4.3 Addenda will be issued at least five (5) business days before the day of the bid opening, except an Addendum withdrawing the request for Bids or one which includes postponement of the date for receipt of Bids. A business day runs from midnight to midnight and excludes weekends and state and federal holidays.”

9.7.2  Delete the word “calendar” in § 3.4.5 and insert the word “business”.

9.7.3  Delete § 9.5.1 and insert: “§ 9.5.1 If you are aggrieved in connection with the solicitation or award of a contract, you may be entitled to protest, but only as provided in S.C. Code Ann. § 11-35-4210. To protest a solicitation, you must submit a protest within fifteen (15) days of the date the applicable solicitation document is issued. To protest an award, you must (i) submit notice if your intent to protest within seven (7) business days of the date the award notice is posted, and (ii) submit your actual protest within fifteen (15) days of the date the award notice is posted. Days are calculated as provided in Section 11-35-310(13). Both protests and notices of intent to protest must be in writing and must be received by the State Engineer within the time provided. The grounds of the protest and the relief requested must be set forth with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided.”