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The following is being sent on behalf of Eric Souhrada, Office of Bridges and Structures. If you have any questions, **please do not reply to this note**. Instead, you may contact the person shown below.

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The Office of Bridges and Structures has delayed the issuing of the Instructional Memorandum (I.M.) 2.120, that was developed to provide guidance and commentary for the National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS). The Office of Bridges and Structures is currently reviewing the articles that address the Quality Control (QC) and Quality Assurance (QA) requirements. The original intent was to have I.M. 2.120 available to local agencies and consultants by January 1, 2011, but because of the additional review of the QC/QA, the revised date of issue for I.M. 2.120 will be February 15, 2011.

The Office of Bridges and Structures apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused.

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