SECTION C-4 WATER RELATED PERMITS

INTRODUCTION (PERMIT APPLICATION)

The following material is intended to provide Location and Design personnel with an overview of the process by which the Department obtains permits from other agencies for its construction in or near waterways. It also provides detailed instructions for the compilation of that part of a permit assembly that is the responsibility of Location and Design personnel.

The information and procedures outlined herein are based on current practices and the Department's experience to date. Revisions and modifications will be issued in the future as necessary to reflect changes in the permit process.

TYPES OF PERMITS	ISSUING AGENCIES		
River and Harbor Act of 1899	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers U.S. Coast Guard		
Public Law 92-500, Section 404	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers		
Public Law 92-500, Section 401 Virginia Water Protection Permit(VWPP)	Department of Environmental Quality		
Public Law 92-500, Section 402	Environmental Protection Agency		
Subaqueous Bed Permit	Virginia Marine Resources Commission		
Tennessee Valley Authority Permit	Tennessee Valley Authority		
VDOT General Permit	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Virginia Marine Resources Commission		
Navigable Water Permit	U.S. Coast Guard		

PERMIT APPLICATIONS

PERMIT APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The determination as to the need for permits is the responsibility of the District Environmental Managers. The normal procedure is for the District Environmental Manager to handle all permit matters for all projects in that District, regardless if plans are developed in the District or in the Central Office. The steps in the permit process are shown on the flow chart following this Section and are outlined as follows:

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