

## **Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission Policies**

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| Subcategory:     | Construction                       |
| Sub-Subcategory: | <b>Contractor Prequalification</b> |

**Related Statute:** Section 227.105, RSMo **Related Rule:** 7 CSR 10-10, Contractor Performance Rating to Determine Responsibility

The Commission has historically taken its responsibility to ensure that low bidders on highway construction projects will be able to provide a quality product within a reasonable period of time. Over the years, various prequalification measures were put in place that would limit both the construction firm's ability to bid and the amount of work it could undertake. On January 13, 1989, the Commission agreed with the staff to develop a formal method to review and rate a contractor's performance. This rating system would, in turn, be used to recognize contractors with exceptional performance and disqualify contractors for unsatisfactory performance.

## CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE TO DETERMINE RESPONSIBILITY – RULES AND REGULATIONS

Contractor performance to determine responsibility will be in keeping with Section 227.105, RSMo and Code of State Regulations, Title 7, Division 10, Chapter 10, adopted by the Commission and filed with the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and the Secretary of State.

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