- H. References to published standards shall be construed as reference to a recognised equivalent standard.
- Neither the contractual relationship, duties, responsibilities of the parties in Contract nor those of DMAT shall be altered by the Contract documents by mention or inference otherwise in any reference document.

9.1.3 Purpose of Standards

- A. Equipment, plant, materials, installation and systems, etc. proposed to be used in the projects shall be strictly in compliance with all codes, regulations, specifications and standards.
- B. Standards shall be treated as a documented agreement with respect to the technical specifications and shall be followed throughout as rules and guidelines to ensure that the equipment, plant, materials, installation and systems, etc. are in accordance with the requirements of the specification.
- C. To ensure that the proposed equipment, plant, materials, installation and systems, etc. have been carefully examined by the Contractor that ensure product full compliance with the those requirements specified in the basic standards, product manufacturing standard, functional standards and quality standards.

9.1.4 International Standards

- A. All equipment, plant, materials, systems, components, workmanship, working practices, procedures and all other items and activities shall comply with the quoted standards and regulations in this Section of this specification and as qualified and amended throughout this specification.
- B. This Section covers the main standards and codes of practice that cover the large majority of the contract requirements. Some requirements will be covered by other sections of the technical specifications.
- C. Some requirements will not be covered by the above quoted standards, but regardless of whether or not a particular standard is specified, all products and services shall comply with any International ISO, BS EN, BS, ACI, PD and ASTM covering such items, as a minimum, unless otherwise specified.