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## Draft order adopting Standard 5.2-IC 'Surface Drainage'

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### Message

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No abre el plazo - Nezaahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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#### 1. Structured Information Line

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#### 2. Member State

E

#### 3. Department Responsible

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#### 3. Originating Department



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#### **4. Notification Number**

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#### **5. Title**

Draft order adopting Standard 5.2-IC 'Surface Drainage'

#### **6. Products Concerned**

This order sets out the general rules and requirements for designing, building and properly maintaining structures, elements and systems relating to surface drainage on the Spanish road network.

#### **7. Notification Under Another Act**

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#### **8. Main Content**

Chapter 1 sets out the basic definitions and adds a new section containing the requirements relating to drainage calculations made using computer applications.

Chapter 2 updates the method used to calculate flow rates, adapting them to the information available obtained from application of Community directives, and adds a new calculation method specific to the catchment areas of the East and Southeast of the Iberian Peninsula.

Chapter 3 covers platform drainage and shoulders in detail, incorporating experience accumulated in recent years. Specific elements for checking discharges at outlets of the drainage networks are introduced.

Chapter 4 updates transverse drainage criteria in light of new water regulations.

Chapter 5 includes specific questions on drainage for certain types of structures that were not covered in the previous regulations.

Chapter 6 updates aspects relating to the construction and maintenance of roads in accordance with experience accumulated.

#### **9. Brief Statement of Grounds**

The main aim is to update the regulations adopted in 1990 by bringing them into line with technical developments and taking into consideration the increased social awareness of environmental issues, which suggests the introduction of new tools to improve the management of run-off water.

Moreover, there have been significant changes in water regulations as a result of various Community directives, which have resulted in the introduction of new concepts that need to be reflected in highways legislation.

#### **10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

Reference(s) to basic text(s): Order of 14 May 1990 adopting Highways Instruction 5.2-IC 'Surface Drainage'.



The basic texts were forwarded with an earlier notification: 1989/0297/E

**11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

No

**12. Grounds for the Emergency**

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**13. Confidentiality**

No

**14. Fiscal measures**

No

**15. Impact assessment**

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**16. TBT and SPS aspects**

TBT aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

TBT aspect

No - the draft is neither a sanitary nor phytosanitary measure.

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