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PREFACE

From a brief assessment of the major areas for the control of erosion and sediment (ESR), this standard is written as summarized as follows.

In assembling the first draft of this document, Michael Clar reviewed a number of public guidance documents, from which he abstracted liberally from the best of the available information.

For example, Chapter 2, Background, borrows liberally from the Delaware Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook.

Chapter 6, Erosion and Sediment Control Plan, incorporates a substantial amount of information from the International Erosion and Sediment Control Association (IECA 2003).

Chapter 7 was also largely adapted from another document, from the Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control (DNREC, 2013).

Chapter 8, Construction Inspection and Maintenance, was adapted from documents used by New Castle County in Delaware and the Delaware Construction Inspection program.

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