

**Part 1 GENERAL**

**1.1 Requirements of Regulatory Agencies**

- .1 Prior to use, have weigh scales certified as meeting requirements of Statutes of Canada, Chapter 36, Weights and Measures Act, 1971 and subsequent amendments. Display certificate in a prominent position. No payment will be made for materials weighed on non-certified scales.

**1.2 Measurement for Payment**

- .1 Supply, installation, inspection, certification, maintenance and removal of scales as per Section 01 29 00 – Project Particulars and Measurements.

**1.3 Equipment**

- .1 Weigh Scales: of sufficient capacity to weigh loaded vehicles in a single operation.
- .2 Scale House:
  - .1 To enclose mass indicator and in which Departmental Representative's representative can perform work and maintain records.
  - .2 To be weatherproof and have minimum 750 lux of illumination, one sliding window facing scale platform, one other window for cross ventilation, shelf desk at least 0.6 x 1.8 m, and heat to maintain inside temperature at 20°C. Entrance door not to face scale platform.
- .3 Provide sufficient number of approved weigh tickets, in triplicate, with consecutive serial numbers.

**1.4 Installation**

- .1 Provide, install and maintain scales and scale house convenient to project site at location approved by *Departmental Representative*. Ramps to be level for one truck length each side of scale.
- .2 Remove ramps, scales and scale house when no longer required.

**1.5 Operation**

- .1 Departmental Representative's representative at scales will weigh materials.

**1.6 Maintenance**

- .1 Maintain scale platform and scale mechanism clean and free from gravel, asphalt, snow, ice, and debris.
- .2 Maintain approach ramps in good condition free from sags and ruts.
- .3 Have scales retested and recertified if requested by *Departmental Representative*.

**END OF SECTION**