



AMERICAN CONCRETE PUMPING ASSOCIATION

Position Paper

Adding of Water

It is the position of the American Concrete Pumping Association that the contractor is responsible for the addition of water into the concrete.

If the contractor requests that the pump operator keep the mix at a specific slump, responsibility for the addition of water does not pass to the pump operator, even while the operator tries to accommodate that request.

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