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### **POLICY**

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334.044(14), (17); and 338.01, FS; and Rule  
14-97, FAC

## **APPROVAL OF NEW OR MODIFIED ACCESS TO LIMITED ACCESS HIGHWAYS ON THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM (SHS)**

It is the Department of Transportation's policy to minimize the addition of new access points to limited access highway facilities of the SHS to maximize the operation and safety of intrastate and interstate transportation movements. However, the Department may recommend or approve, where warranted, requests for new or modified access points to SHS limited access facilities based on the Department's engineering standards and operational, land use, economic and intermodal connection considerations. The Department's approval process for new or modified access to limited access facilities is stated in ***Procedure No. 525-030-160, New or Modified Interchanges***.

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Kevin J. Thibault  
Secretary