More Information

What does this message mean?

This warning dialog means that either the working units or the global Origin (or both) of the current MicroStation file does not match the Standard for NCDOT V8 dgn files.

This warning does not necessarily mean that any action should be taken. However, it may be helpful to try to determine how the file became non-standard, So as to prevent future files from becoming non-standard.

How could this have happened?

The file could simply be a file that originated prior to MicroStation V8 2004 when Changes were effected in the Global origin and Working Units.

The file was not created correctly by using DesignFileGenerator

The file global origin and/or working units were inadvertently or intentionally changed.

What are the risks of doing nothing about this?

While the risk may be low, there is the possibility that elements, particularly in a Reference file, may not be coordinately correct. Also, there are some Geopak processes (such as storing Plan Graphics in Roadway Designer) that may not work correctly.

What is the best way to resolve this?

Please coordinate with your Unit CADD Coordinator or your Division DDC (or HelpDesk) for support in resolving the issue

Why can't I try and change the original file?

Though it is possible to make Global Origin changes and Working Unit changes in the source file, these are not very intuitive to make and could lead to more problems if not done correctly.