

April 2, 2010

Mr. J. Michael Bowen Division Administrator Federal Highway Administration 6111 SW 29th Street, Suite 100 Topeka, KS 66614-4271

Dear Mr. Bowen:

The Federal Highway Administration transferred the lead agency role to the Kansas Department of Transportation for pooled fund study TPF-5(127) "Consortium of Accelerated Pavement Testing (CAPT) and Technical Exchange Partnership" on March 24, 2010. The Kansas Department of Transportation accepts the role of lead agency and agrees to receive, obligate, expend and manage contributions from participating agencies.

The participating agencies are requested to submit a copy of this letter with their funding transfer request form for this project to their respective FHWA Division Office for concurrence.

Please contact Rodney A. Montney, P.E., Engineer of Research, 2300 SW Van Buren St., Topeka, KS 66611, 785-291-3841 or rodney@ksdot.org if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jerome T. Younger, P.E. Deputy Secretary for Engineering and State Transportation Engineer