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January 10, 2014

Mr. Gary Corino Division Administrator Federal Highway Administration 5801 North Broadway Oklahoma City, OK 73118

Subject: Acceptance Memo

Ref:

TPF-5(297)

ODOT Project Number TPF-TPF5(297)RS / JP# 30802(04)

"Improving Specifications to Resist Frost Damage in Modern Concrete Mixtures"

Dear Mr. Corino:

The Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT) is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(297), "Improving Specifications to Resist Frost Damage in Modern Concrete Mixtures". The Oklahoma 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 Ron F. Curb, P.E., CPM, Oklahoma Department of Transportation, 200 NE 21st Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, (405) 522-3795 or rcurb@odot,org if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Thank you for your participation in this study.

Sincerely,

John Bowman, P.E.

Director of Capital Programs

Oklahoma Department of Transportation

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