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Subject: TPF-5(267)/ALDOT Research Number 930-822P,
"Accelerated Performance Testing on the 2012 National Center for Asphalt Technology
(NCAT) Pavement Test Track"
Acceptance Memo

Dear Mr. Bartlett:

The Alabama Department of Transportation (ALDOT) is the lead state for the pooled fund study TPF-5(267), "Accelerated Performance Testing on the 2012 National Center for Asphalt Technology (NCAT) Pavement Test Track". The Alabama 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.

Thank you for your participation in this study. Please contact Mr. Jeffrey W. Brown, Research and Development Bureau Chief, Alabama Department of Transportation, Bureau of Research and Development, 1409 Coliseum Boulevard, Montgomery, AL 36130-3050, (334) 353-6940 or brownje@dot.state.al.us if you have any questions or need any additional information.

Sincerely,

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