

HMA Independent Assurance Responsibilities			
Duty	Task	Performed By / REQ'D. CERT.	Minimum Frequency
1. Aggregate Gradation Independent Assurance.	- Systematically distribute aggregate proficiency samples to contractor technicians who perform QC gradation testing for acceptance and construction technicians who perform verification gradation testing per IM 205. - Contractor and Construction certified technicians who perform gradation testing must pick up, test and report results of samples to the Central Lab approximately every three months. - Record sample ID numbers and receiver for each sample distributed.	District Materials	Monthly
2. HMA Independent Assurance.	- Systematically distribute HMA proficiency samples to contractor technicians performing QMA testing of HMA per IM 205. - Contractor certified technicians who perform HMA testing must pick up, test and report results of samples to the Central Lab approximately every three months. - Record sample ID numbers and receiver for each sample distributed.	District Materials	Monthly
3. Core Density Independent Assurance.	- Retest one set of cores for density and thickness. - Compare results to construction technician test results. - Report comparison of test results.	District Materials HMA SAMPLER	1/Project

