1204 - CUTBACK ASPHALT

SECTION 1204

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1204.1 DESCRIPTION
This specification covers cutback asphalt used for bituminous mixes and surface sealing.

1204.2 REQUIREMENTS
a. General. Provide material that complies with the applicable requirements of SECTION 1201. Provide the grade of material designated in the Contract Documents. The KDOT reserves the right to change any grade of asphalt due to the characteristics of the roadbed, seasons of the year or weather conditions. This change will be to obtain a material having the characteristics of the next higher or lower grade of cutback asphalt of the same type (RC or MC). Make the required change after being notified in writing by the KDOT.

b. Rapid Curing Cutback Asphalt. Provide Rapid Curing Cutback Asphalt consisting of an asphaltic base fluxed with suitable petroleum distillates. Provide a material that shows no separation before use and complies with all requirements for the designated grade shown in AASHTO M 81, Table 1.

c. Medium Curing Cutback Asphalt. Provide Medium Curing Cutback Asphalt consisting of an asphaltic base fluxed with suitable petroleum distillates. Provide a material that shows no separation before use and complies with all requirements for the designated grade shown in AASHTO M 82, Table 1.

1204.3 TEST METHODS
Test according to the applicable provisions of AASHTO M 81 and M 82.

1204.4 PREQUALIFICATION
Prequalify material under this specification according to SECTION 1201.

1204.5 BASIS OF ACCEPTANCE
See applicable requirements under SECTION 1201.