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Dear Industry Representative:

The Federal Aviation Administration is circulating draft Advisory Circular 150/5370-10G, Standards for Specifying Construction of Airports. The standards contained in this advisory circular (AC) relate to materials and methods used for the construction of airports. Items covered in this AC include general provisions, earthwork, flexible base courses, rigid base courses, flexible surface courses, rigid pavement, miscellaneous, fencing, drainage, turfing, and lighting installation.

Principal changes. This AC contains the following changes:

- Made extensive technical and editorial edits throughout the document.
- Deleted “Notice to Users” and moved information to the title page under “Purpose” and “Application” paragraphs.
- Updated references to the ACs and industry standards including ASTM, AASHTO, Asphalt Institute (AI), etc.
- Added new paragraphs to Section 90: Paragraph 90-10, Construction Warranty; and Paragraph 90-11, Project Closeout.
- Deleted Section 120, Nuclear Gauges, and incorporated guidance in specifications.
- Added SuperPave Gyrotory Method to Items P-401 and P-403.
- Added new sections and items:
 - Item P-601, Fuel-Resistant Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) Pavement
 - Item P-608, Emulsified Asphalt Seal Coat
 - Item P-629, Thermoplastic Coal Tar Emulsion Surface Treatments
 - Item F-164, Wildlife Exclusion Fence
- Deleted the following items:
 - Item P-402, Porous Friction Course (Central Plant Hot Mix)
 - Item T-907, Tilling

Please review this draft AC. We will consider comments received by **October 31, 2013**, for inclusion in the final version. Submit comments on the provided industry review **Comments Matrix** with your recommended changes. We have posted the Comments Matrix and a PDF version of the draft AC on the FAA web site at:

http://www.faa.gov/airports/resources/draft_advisory_circulars/.

Please email the completed Comments Matrix to Gregory Cline at **Gregory.Cline@faa.gov**.

Sincerely,

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