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## CONSTRUCTION MEMORANDUM 15-15

TO: District Deputy Commissioners  
District Construction Directors  
District Technical Services Directors  
District Area Engineers  
District Project Management Director  
Project Management Director  
District Traffic Engineers  
District LPA Coordinators  
Project Engineers/Supervisors  
Field Engineers

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SUBJECT: Binder Deficiency Adjustment

In order to move forward with a means for applying and tracking adjustments due to the HMA binder deficiency issue, a new pay item has been established.

This item is as follows:

109-12027 QUALITY ADJUSTMENTS, CONTRACTOR DISPUTED BINDER DEFICIENCY

The item will appear in CES as:

109-12027 QUALITY ADJUSTMENTS, CDBD

For tracking purposes, this item is to be used only in conjunction with adjustments related to this single issue. For all other HMA adjustments, continue to utilize the HMA Quality Adjustment item set out in most contracts.

This item is ready for immediate implementation and should be incorporated into applicable contracts via change order.

Any questions should be directed to the Office of Construction Management.

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