

## **CERTIFICATE**OF ACCREDITATION

No. T-006

dated 17.09.2025

The Slovak National Accreditation Service issues a Certificate of Accreditation to an accredited body pursuant to Section 26 par.6 of Act No. 53/2023 Coll. on Accreditation of Conformity Assessment Bodies (hereinafter referred to as the "Accreditation Act").

## PT Provider UCLSB Ltd.

6 Ivan Dimov str., 5300 Gabrovo, Bulgaria Identification No.: BG 206 627 780

Organizational unit performing the activity of the Accredited Body:
Proficiency Testing Provider UCLSB

**Workplace of the Accredited Body:** 6 Ivan Dimov str., 5300 Gabrovo, Bulgaria

Identification number of the Accredited Body: 786/T-006

Area of accreditation: Proficiency testing

The accredited body demonstrated its competence to perform the accredited activity fulfilling the accreditation requirements of ISO/IEC 17043: 2010 Standard and ISO/IEC 17043: 2023 Standard as amended by ISO/IEC 17043: 2023/A11: 2024 Standard when performing organization of proficiency tests/interlaboratory comparisons in the field of construction materials within the scope of accreditation stated in the Annex of this Certificate of Accreditation. The Annex shall form an integral part of the Certificate of Accreditation.

Number and date of issue of the accreditation decision: No. 786/12236/2025/1 dated 17.09.2025

## Validity of the accreditation decision:

The accreditation decision No. 786/12236/2025/1 dated 17.09.2025 is valid from 17.09.2025 to 18.12.2028.

The validity of this Accreditation Certificate expires upon the expiry of the accreditation decision, the decision on withdrawal of the accreditation pursuant to Section 31 or the expiry of the accreditation pursuant to Section 32 of the Accreditation Act.

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SNAS is signatory to the EA MLA and ILAC MRA.

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## Scope of Accreditation

Accredited body:

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Place of performance of the accredited body:

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Item	Field	Subject of proficiency testing	Compared properties (parameters, indicators, analytes) Range of compared values	Indication of the proficiency testing program	Other specifications
1	Construction	Aggregates (lightweight and normal- weight coarse, fine and all-in aggregates)	Resistance to fragmentation by the Los Angeles test method /Los Angeles coefficient LA Percentage of fines (passing the 63 µm sieve; passing the 75 µm sieve) Resistance to fragmentation Shape index Loose bulk density Magnesium sulfate test - Magnesium sulfate value MS /loss of mass Particle density: - Specific particle density - Oven- dried particle density - Saturated and surface-dried particle density Specific density of pre-dried particle Water absorption Flakiness index Resistance to wear (micro-Deval coefficient MDE) Sand equivalent test Assessment of fines - Methylene blue test /Methylene blue value MB/ Percentage voids Water content Resistance to freezing and thawing/freeze-thaw test, F Polished stone value Loss in mass of basalt Strength loss of basalt Content of acid soluble sulfates Content of lightweight contaminators	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years

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1	Construction	Aggregates (lightweight and normal- weight coarse, fine and all-in aggregates)	Content of particles with crushed and broken surfaces: - crushed and broken particles - rounded particles - completely crushed and broken particles - completely rounded particles - completely rounded particles Particle density of filler - Pyknometer method Affinity between aggregate and bitumen Particle size distribution - sieving method Percentage of shells Percentage voids Water content Resistance to freezing and thawing/freeze-thaw test, Polished stone value Loss in mass of basalt Strength loss of basalt Content of acid soluble sulfates Content of water-soluble sulfates Content of lightweight contaminators Potential presence of humus (positive test - darker than the standard colour) Content of water-soluble chloride salts Content of acid soluble chloride salts Total sulfur content	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years
2	Construction	Hardened concrete	Compressive strength Freeze-thaw Resistance with de – icing salts Density Tensile splitting strength Flexural strength Water impermeability/ Depth of penetration of water under pressure Frost resistance: - Relative loss of mass - Relative reduction of compressive strength	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years
3	Construction	Filler	Methylene blue value Specific density Particle density Plasticity Index Liquid limit Plastic Limit Particle size distribution Water content	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years

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3	Construction	Filler	Content of water-soluble chlorides salts  Content of acid soluble chlorides salts  Total sulfur content  Content of water-soluble sulfate  Content of acid soluble sulfates  Content of water-soluble salts  Change of softening point by delta  Ring and Ball test	МС тт /уууу	At least once per five years
4	Construction	Bitumen and bitumen products (bitumen, modified bitumen, emulsion)	Penetration Softening point Fraass breaking point Elastic recovery Flash point Density Solubility Resistance to hardening - Mass variation - Retained penetration - Softening point variation	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years
5.	Construction	Construction soils / Aggregates for unbound and hydraulically bound mixtures / All-in aggregate	Resistance to fragmentation by the Los Angeles test method /Los Angeles coefficient LA/ Percentage of fines (passing the 63µm sieve; passing the 75µm sieve) Magnesium sulfate test – Magnesium sulfate value MS /loss of mass/ Sand equivalent test Laboratory reference density and water content - Proctor / modified Proctor compaction: -maximum bulk density - optimum water content Plasticity index Liquid limit Plastic limit California Bearing Ratio- CBR Water content Particle size distribution Shape index Flakiness index Bulk density Particle density/apparent particle density, oven-dried particle density, saturated and surface-dried particle density/ Water absorption Percentage voids Elastic and deformation moduli, ratio of deformation moduli	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years

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5	Construction	Construction soils / Aggregates for unbound and hydraulically bound mixtures / All-in aggregate	Resistance to wear (micro-Deval coefficient MDE)  Bulk density  Particle density  Content of particles with crushed and broken surfaces: - crushed and broken particles - rounded particles - completely crushed and broken particles  - completely rounded particles  Resistance to fragmentation by static loading	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years
6	Construction	Concrete products (Concrete paving flags, Concrete kerb units, Concrete paving blocks)	Tensile splitting strength Bending strength Water absorption Loss of mass after test freeze - thaw with de-icing salt Failure load Unpolished slip resistance value Thickness of cover layer Abrasion according to the Bohme test Shape and dimensions	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years
7	Construction	Asphalt (bitouminous mixtures and compacted bituminous layers)	Bulk density  Maximum density Air voids content  Stability Flow Soluble binder content Particle size distribution Strength of indirect tensile Binder drainage Coefficient of strength under indirect tensile loading, ITSR (Sensitivity to water) Dimensions of a bituminous specimen/height;diameter Irregularity of pavement courses:(Transverse; Longitudinal) Thickness of a bituminous pavement	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years
8	Construction	Cement	Compressive strength  Determination of setting times/initial setting time; final setting time/ Soundness test  Standard consistence	MC mm /yyyy	At least once per five years

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