METHOD OF TEST FOR DUCTILITY OF BITUMINOUS MATERIAL

Follow AASHTO T 51 in its entirety with the following exceptions:

A mixture of glycerin and talc is the only approved release agent.

The temperature tolerance at 4°C (39.2°F) is ±0.2°C (±0.36°F).

The temperature equilibration time in the water bath after trimming and prior to testing shall be 60 to 120 minutes.

For polymer modified asphalt cements, a normal test is one in which the material ruptures at any point between or at the two clips or reaches the length limitations of the testing machine.