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AASHTO M 297-10 (2021) is identical to ASTM D3542-08(2019) except for the following provisions:

1. Replace the last sentence of Section 6.1.1 of ASTM D3542-08(2019) with the following:  
The relationship of a seal's height to its depth is significant to its performance. Thus, the height shall be as agreed upon between the purchaser and the supplier.
2. The last two sentences of Section 6.2.3 of ASTM D3542-08(2019) are not included in M 297-10 (2021).
3. The last four sentences of Section 8.1 of ASTM D3542-08(2019) are not included in M 297-10 (2021).
4. Replace Section 10.1.2 of ASTM D3542-08(2019) with the following:  
10.1.2. A certification of test results by an independent testing agent and a statement that the material has been sampled, tested, and inspected in accordance with the provisions of the specification. Each certification so furnished shall be signed by an authorized agent of the testing agency.