

- I) KERB
- 2) WEARING COURSE AS DESCRIBED BELOW
- 3) CARRIAGEWAY
- 4) BASE

25-30mm BS1447:1988 Type B or T50 Grade S with additional 25% 3mm aggregate. Surface has a sand rubbed finish and may be crimped for additional slip resistance.

Base may be concrete or BS4987 Macadam or Type I or

**PAVING Pt 2** 

Type 2 aggregate.

Mastic asphalt is used extensively as a long life wearing surface in urban situations where durability and surface consistency is paramount. Easy to clean and reinstate, the specifier can be assured that mastic asphalt provides the longest life expectancy of all seamless surfaces and is recyclable many times over. Coloured asphalts are available and they are capable of being laid to (almost) any pattern the designer chooses.

## Comment

When concrete bases are damp, difficulty in laying the mastic asphalt may be experienced due to 'blowing'. Glass fibre tissue laid directly to the concrete base may be considered to reduce the effects of blowing.

