"Structural Repairs to Conventionally Reinforced Concrete and Post Tensioned Members"

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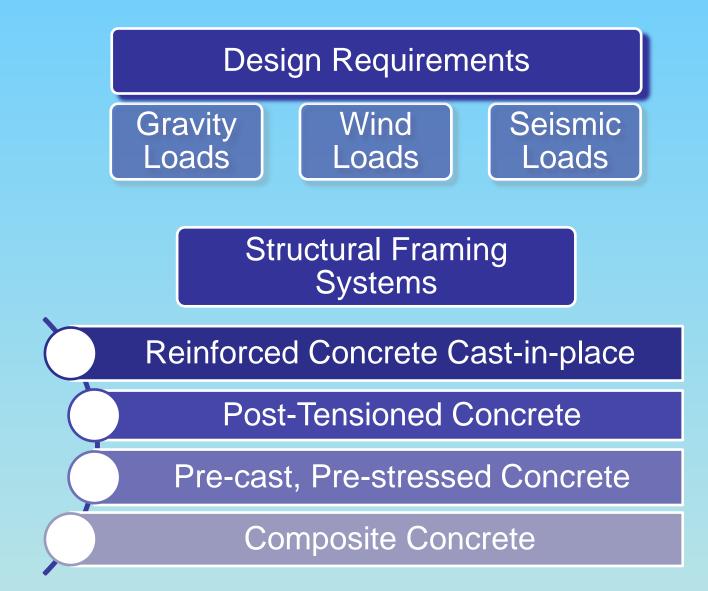


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Reinforced Concrete Buildings



LONGEVITY OF REINFORCED CONCRETE BUILDINGS



Selection of structural framing systems

Quality of construction during Original Construction

Maintenance by the Current Owners

Federal Drug Enforcement Agency Building in Miami August 5, 1974



Federal Drug Enforcement Agency Building in Miami August 5, 1974



Do you know what you are doing?



LONGEVITY OF REINFORCED CONCRETE STRUCTURES

Minimize possibility of future failure of structural components of the older buildings and to be better prepared for hurricane and seismic events.

Proper Maintenance

Regular Periodic Inspections by qualified individuals.

Follow recommendations of the professionals.

Implementation of structural repairs in a timely manner

STRUCTURAL EVALUATION

The fundamental propose of the required inspections is to confirm in reasonable fashion that the building or structure under consideration is safe for continued use under the present occupancy

•Visual Examination – Required of all exposed structural members.

- $\circ\,$ Movement of the structure.
- $\circ~$ Deterioration.
- Signs of structural distress
- Signs of Foundation Settlement
- Testing Not required unless its need is established by the inspector.
 - Concrete strength.
 - $\circ~$ Size of the structural member.
- Evaluation
 - Statement to the effect Safe or not safe.



Typical High-rise older building



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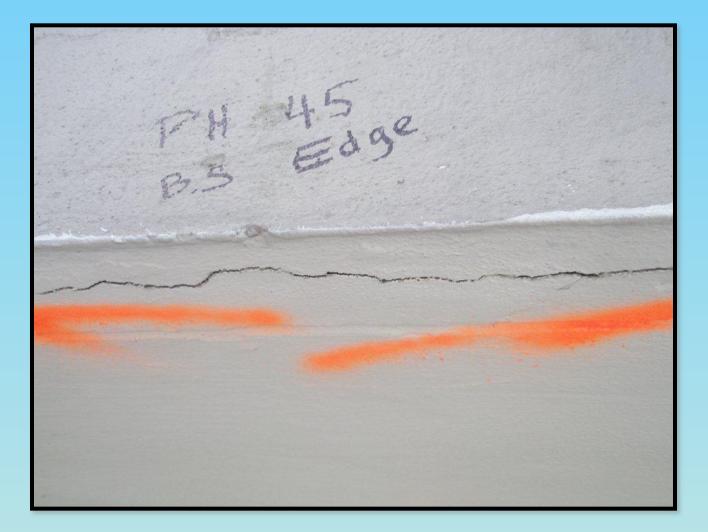
Repairs to Reinforced Concrete Building Components



Crack in reinforced concrete slab – Initial Symptom



Typical symptom of corroded rebar



Crack in reinforced concrete beam



Corroded reinforcing steel rebars with cracked and spalled concrete



Signs of structural distress in reinforced concrete beam



Corroded reinforcing steel rebars in reinforced concrete slab (TYP)



Corroded reinforcing steel rebars in main building column



Spalled concrete – Corroded Rebar



Water leaking through expansion joints



Main structural beam at expansion joint



Damage caused by water intrusion



Corroded reinforcing steel rebar in reinforced concrete beam



Cracks and spalled reinforced concrete beam



Crack in column, indicative of corroded reinforcing steel



Typical corroded reinforcing steel rebar ends



Corroded Rebars and Other Steel Inserts



Repairs to Reinforced Concrete Structural Members





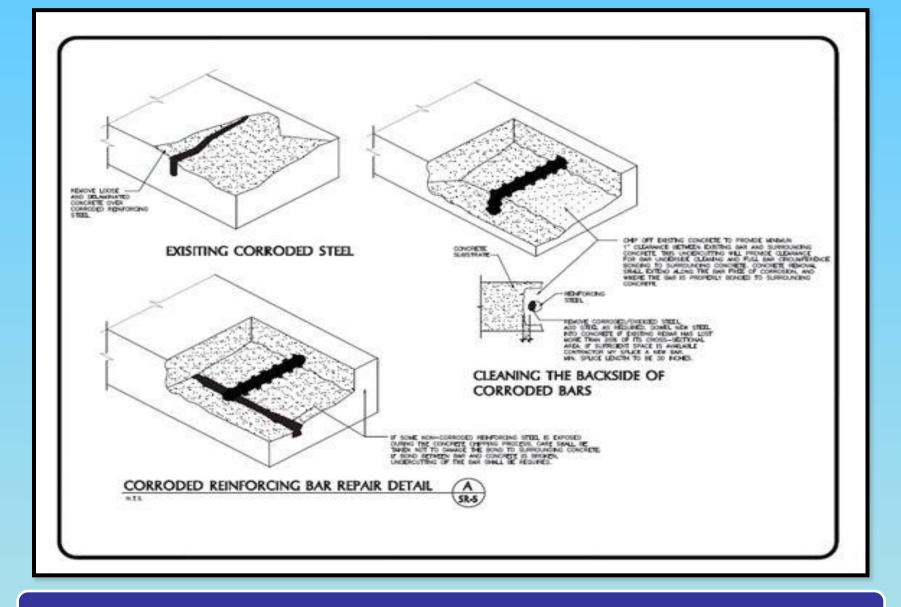
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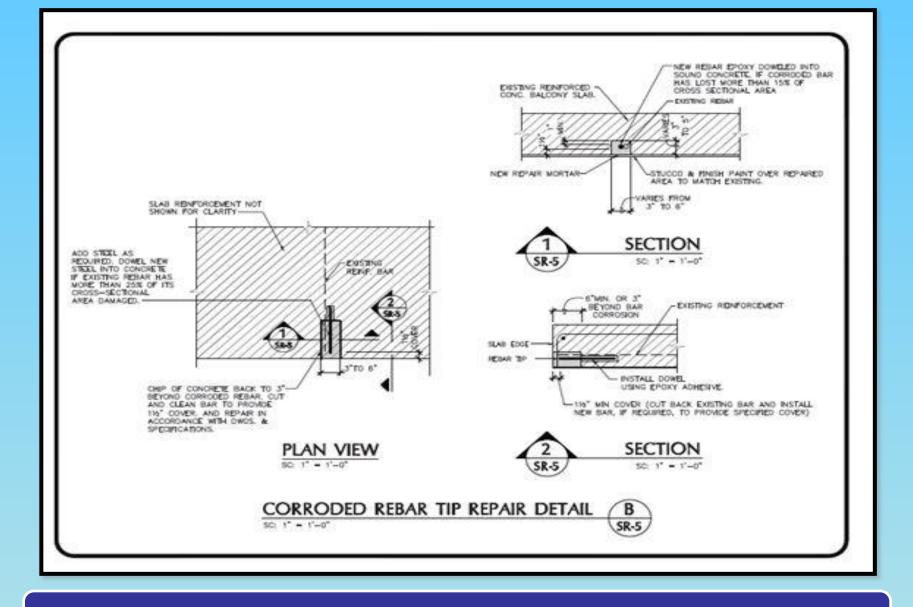
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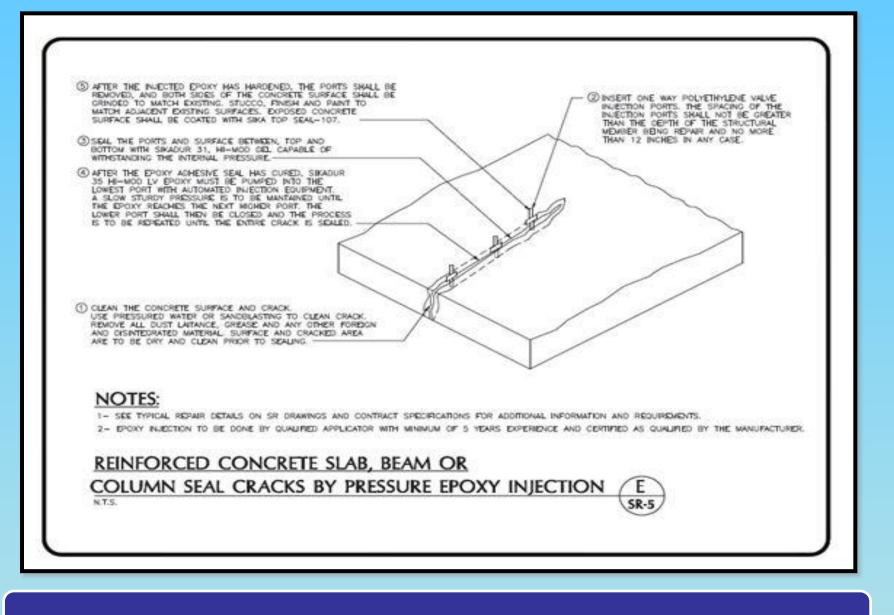
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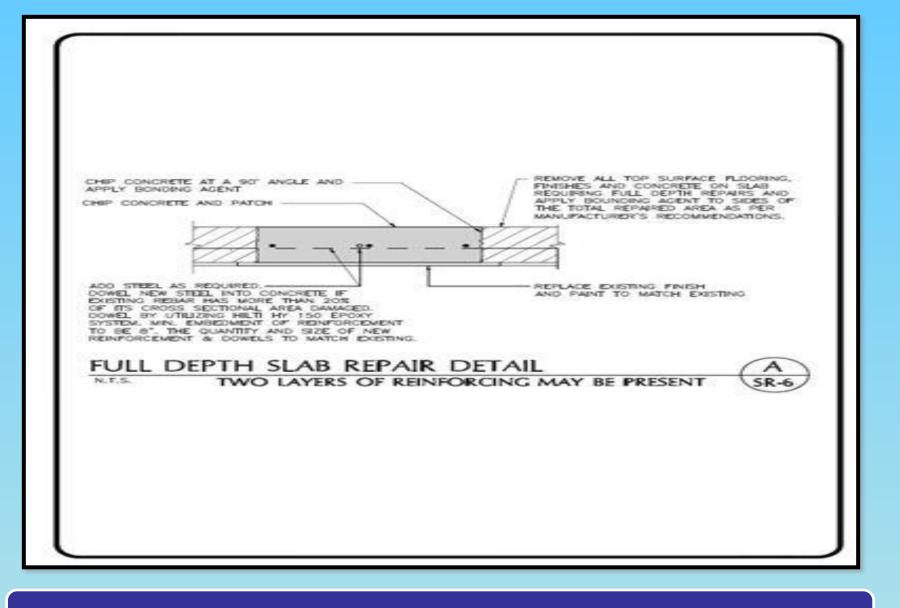
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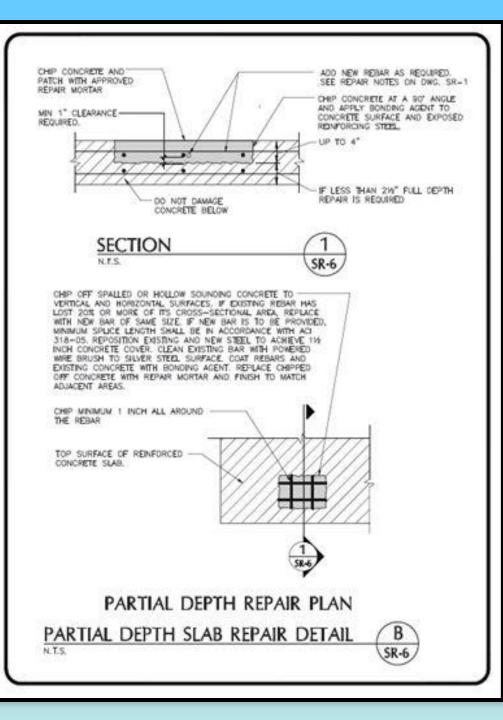


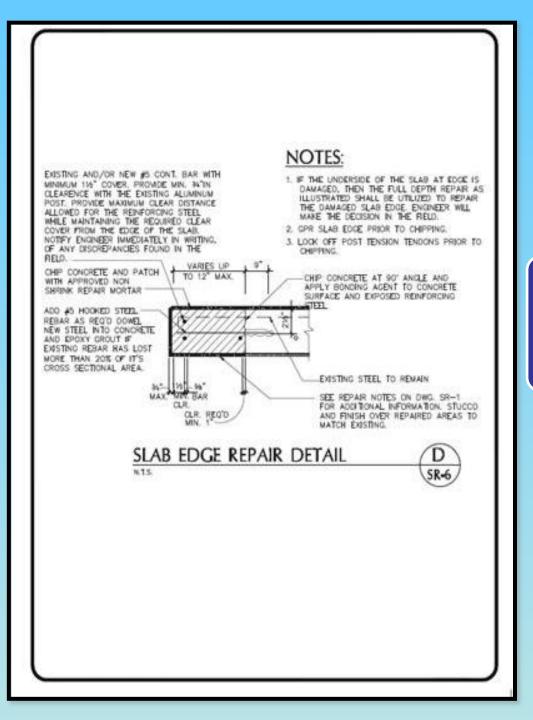
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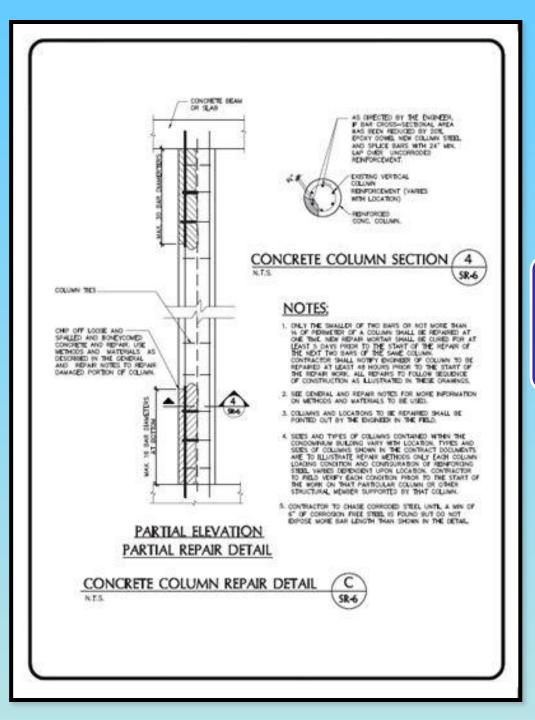


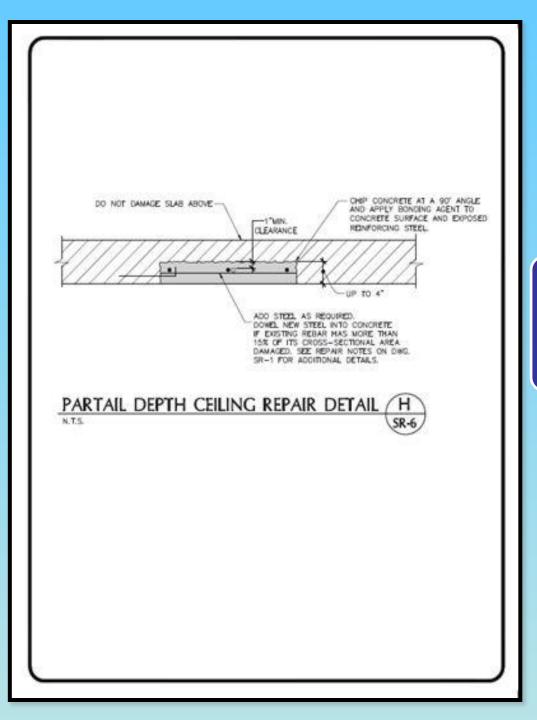
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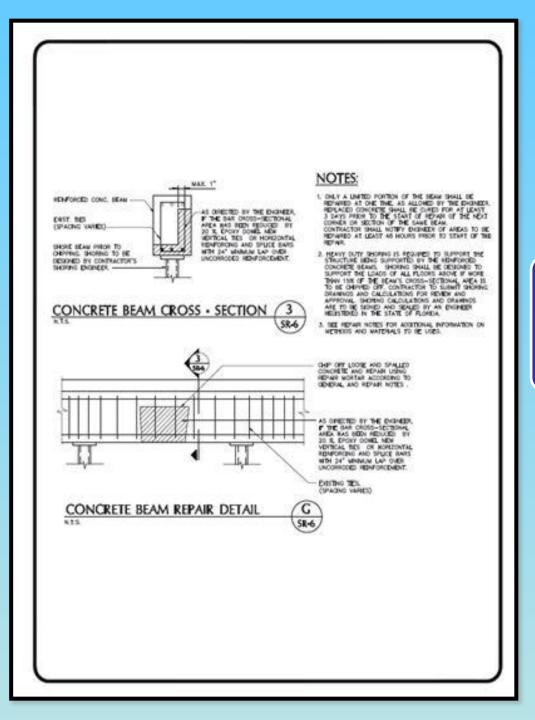












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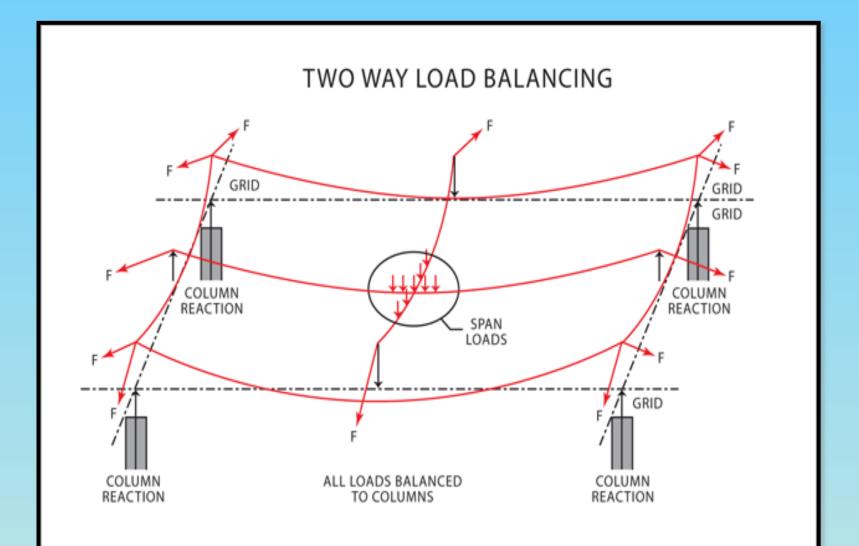
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Repairs to Post-Tensioned Concrete Building Components

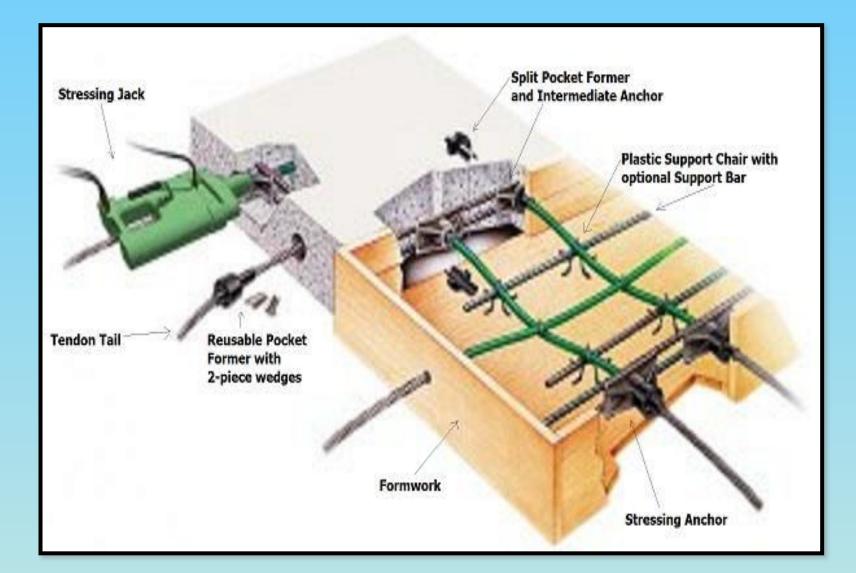




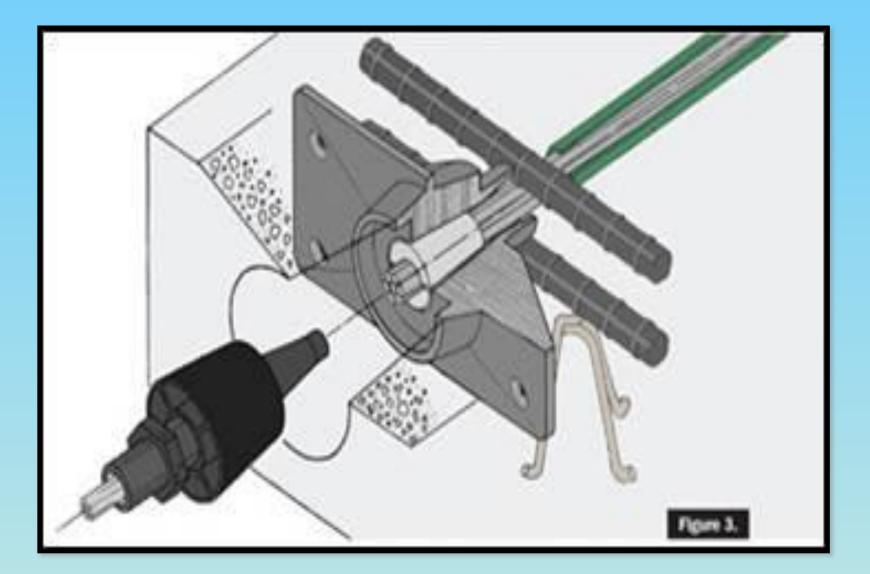
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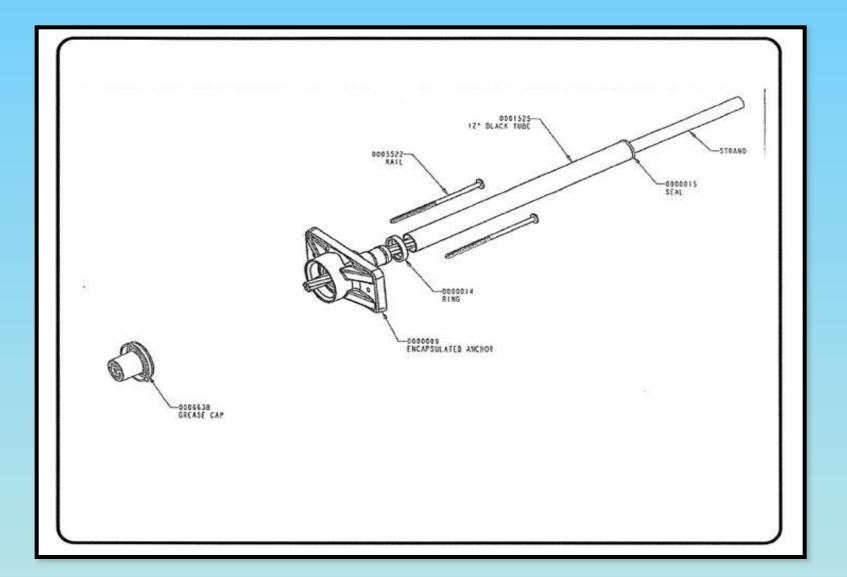
Post-Tension Slab



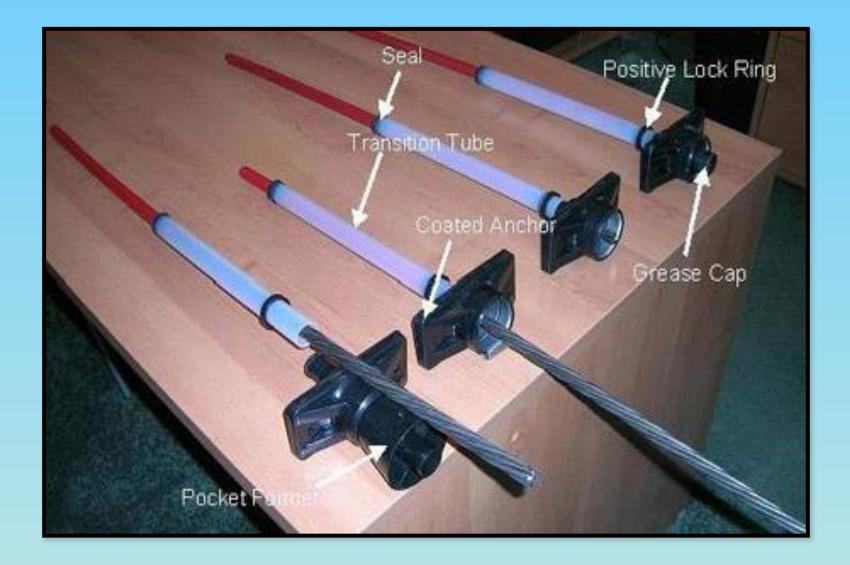
Post Tension Anchorage Assembly



Standard PosiLock Stressing End



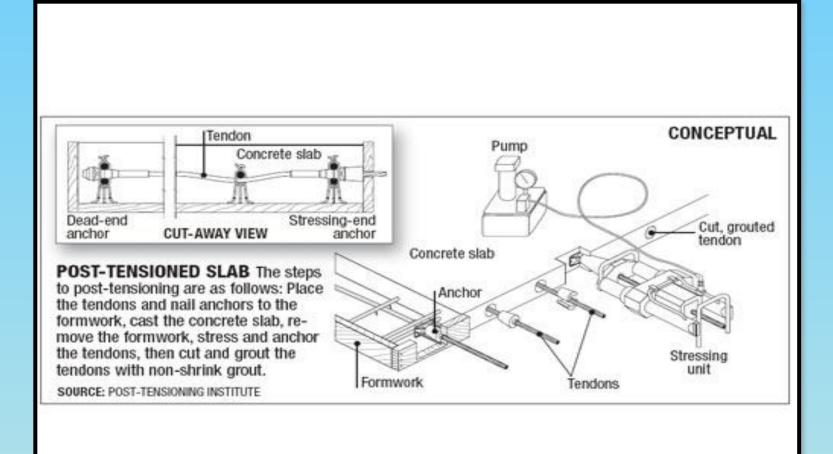
Typical Encapsulated Anchor Assembly



Typical Steel Wedges



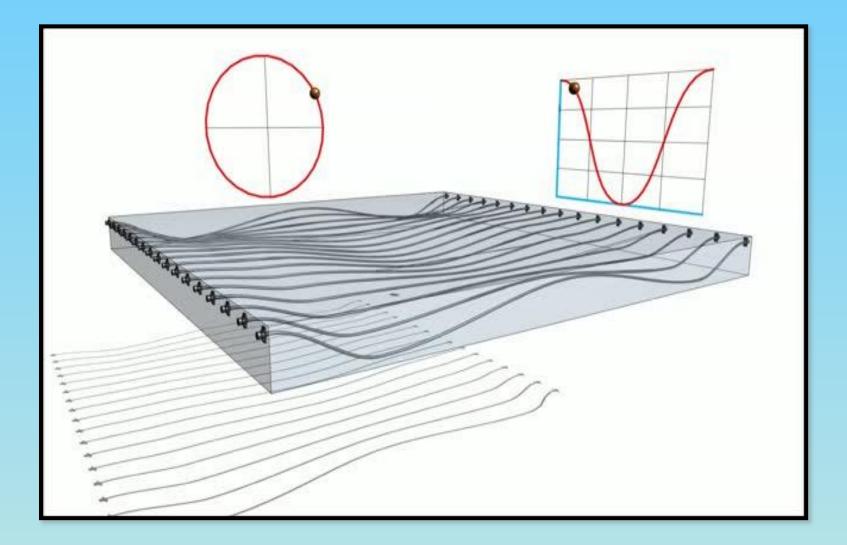
Stressing Tendons with Hydraulic Jack



Typical Tendons Layout



Typical PT Slab Layout







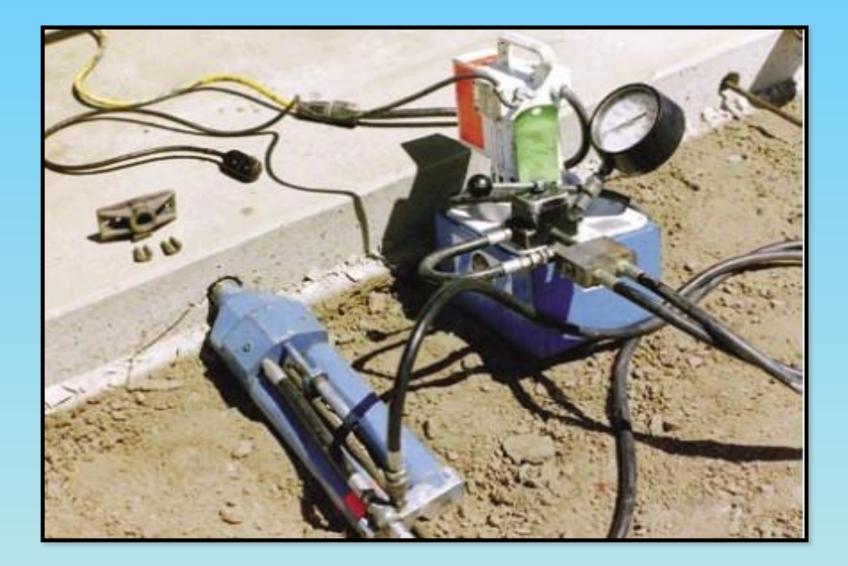
Post-Tensioned Transfer Slab



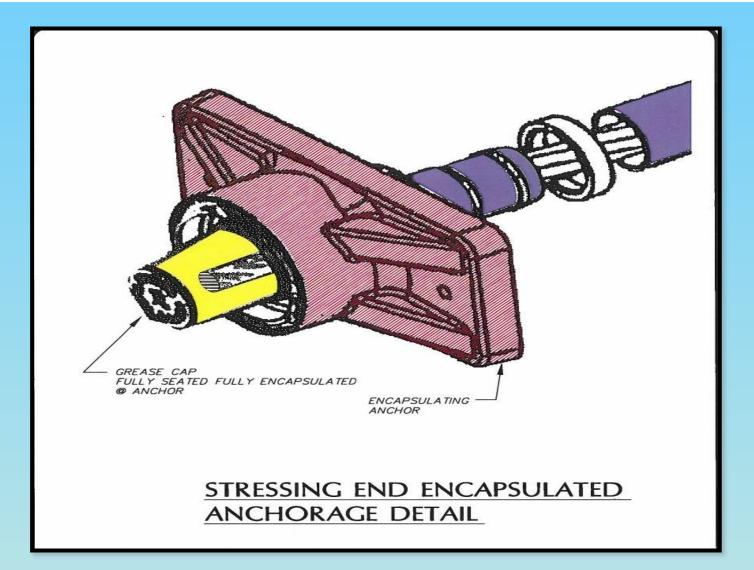
Tendons prior to stressing



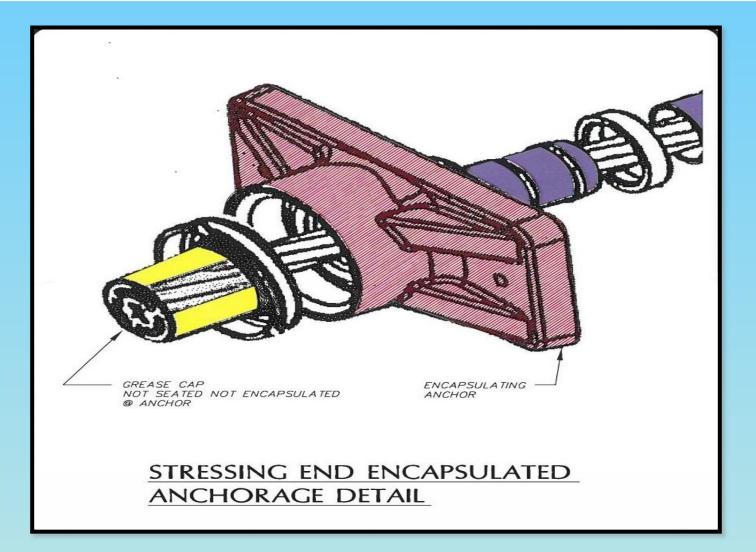
Stressing Hydraulic Jack



Properly Seated Plastic Cap



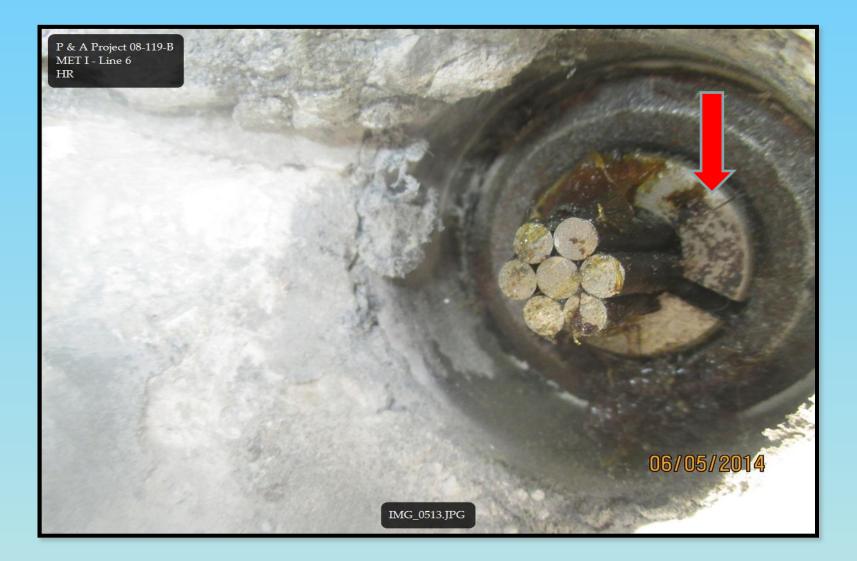
Improperly Seated Plastic Cap



Improperly installed plastic cap – Tail length too long







Use Qualified Individuals

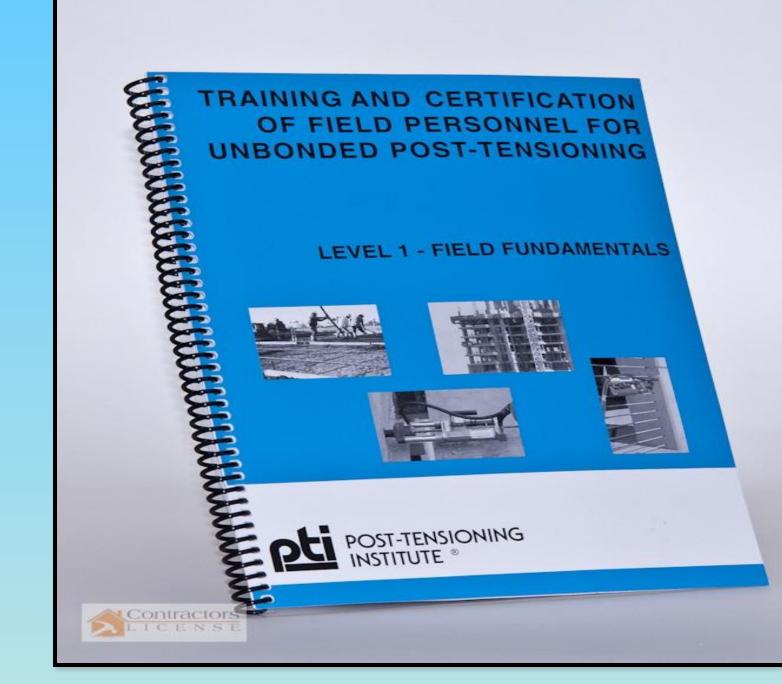




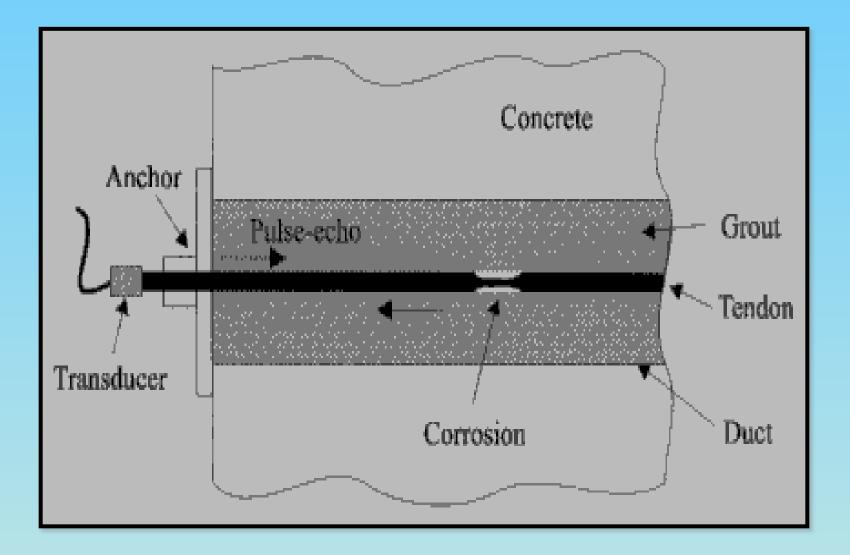








Corrosion of PT Tendons



Corroded reinforcing steel and posttensioned anchor



Corroded Post-tensioned tendon anchor and reinforcing steel rebars



Corroded reinforcing steel rebar and Post-Tensioned tendon



Corroded Post-Tensioned Tendon



Damaged Post-Tensioned Tendons



Corroded Post-Tensioned Tendon's Anchorage Assembly



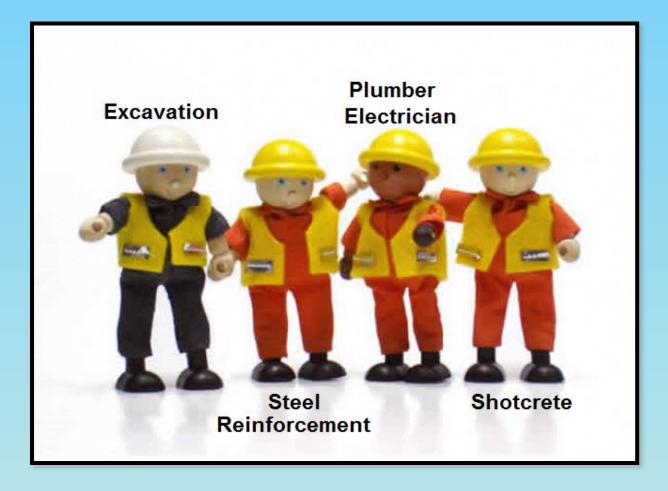
Corroded Post-Tensioned Tendon Anchorage Assembly



Corroded and Broken Post-Tensioned Tendons



Repairs to Post-Tensioned Structural Members



Concrete Chipping



Chipping of Concrete







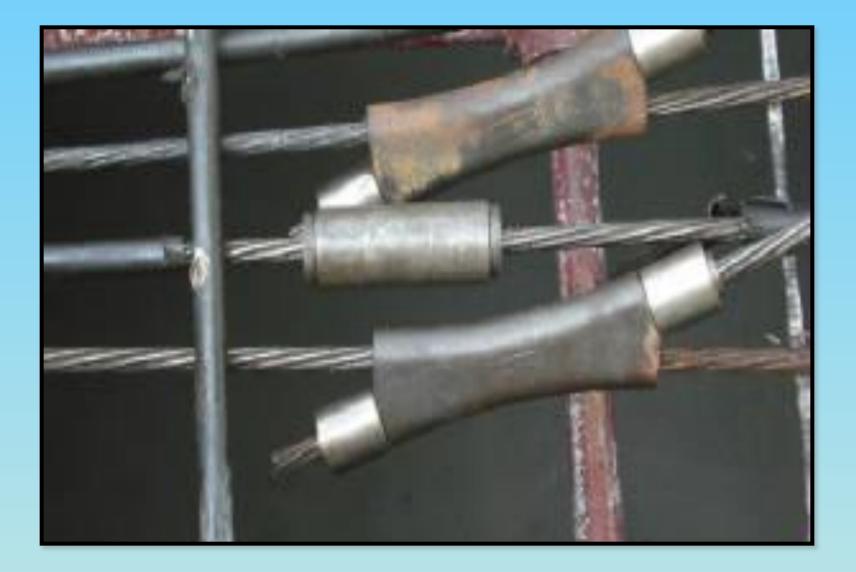


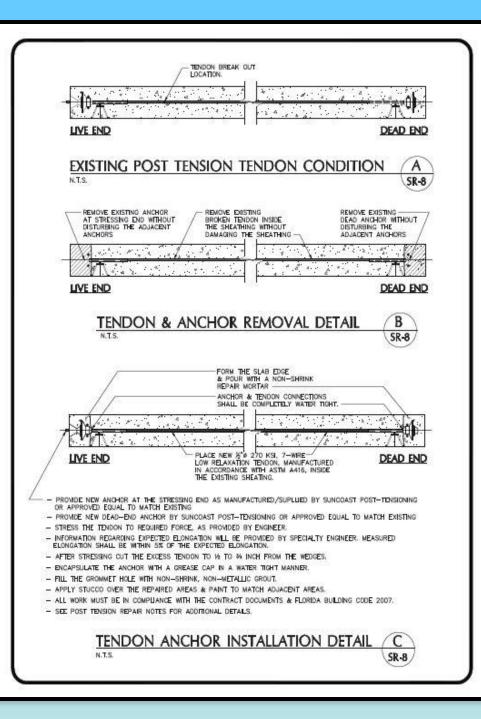


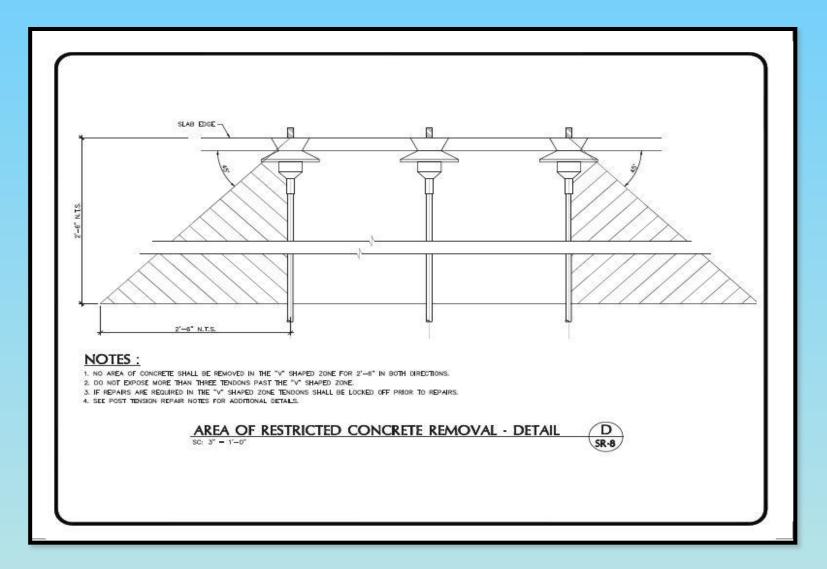


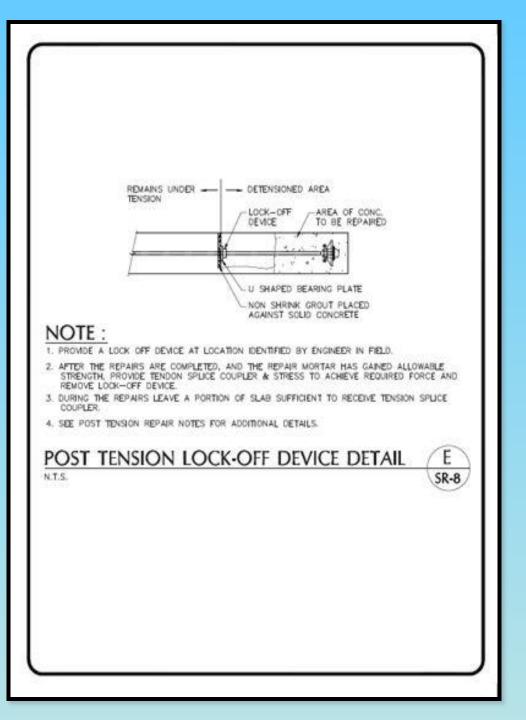


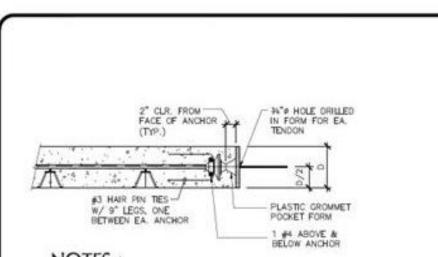








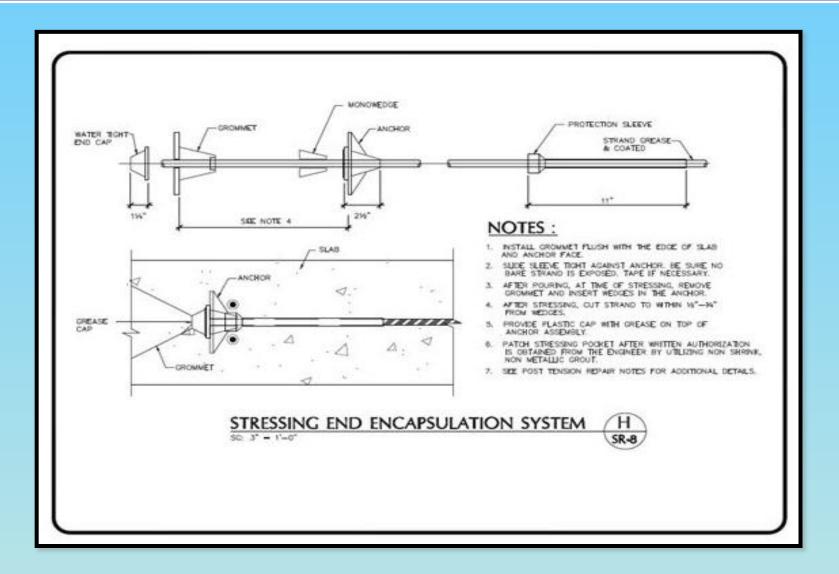




NOTES :

- 1. REMOVE PLASTIC CAP FROM GROWNET, POCKET.
- 2. LOCK OFF TENDON AT LOCATION IDENTIFIED BY ENGINEER IN FIELD.
- 3. REMOVE EXISTING ANCHOR AND INSTALL NEW ANCHOR.
- 4. PROVIDE TENDON WITH SPLICE COUPLER AND STRESS THE TENDON.
- 5. STRESS THE TENDON.
- USE HYDRAULIC SHEARS OR GRINDERS TO TRIM EXCESS TENDON TO 10" TO 14" FROM THE WEDGES.
- 7. PROVIDE PLASTIC CAP WITH GREASE ON TOP OF ANCHOR ASSEMBLY.
- 8. ENCAPSULATE THE ANCHOR WITH A GREASE CAP IN A WATER TIGHT MANNER.
- 9. FILL THE GROMMET HOLE WITH NON-SHRINK, NON-METALUC GROUT.
- 10. APPLY STUCCO OVER THE REPAIRED AREAS & PAINT TO MATCH ADJACENT AREAS.
- ALL WORK MUST BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS & FLORIDA BUILDING CODE 2007.
- SEE POST TENSION REPAIR NOTES STRESSING END ENCAPSULATION SYSTEM FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

TYPICAL POST TENSION ANCHOR REPLACEMENT DETAIL SC: 1" = 1"-0"





Reinforced Concrete High-Rise

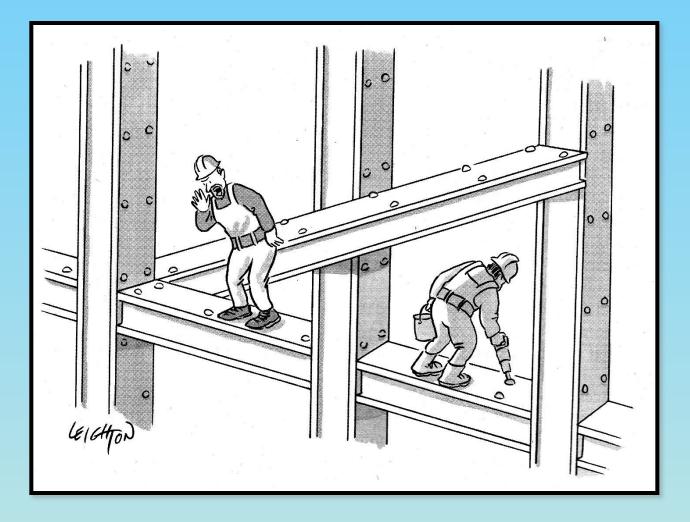
Typical structural repairs to High-Rise Building using swing stage



Typical repair of High-Rise Building using swing stage



Do Not Make Mistakes



Concrete Repair Steps and Effects

Removal of damaged Concrete by Chipping

- Follow Engineer of Record's direction
- Extent of concrete chipping Limits of Corrosion
- Follow ICRI Recommendations Vertical and horizontal surface

Reinforcing steel rebars cleaning

- Sand blast
- Powered wire brush

 Coating of concrete surface and steel rebars with rust inhibitor and bonding agent

Placement of the Repair Mortar

Selection of repair mortar

Repair Material adhesion (Bond) with substrate Mechanical Bond

- Roughen substrate sandblasting, shot blasting, scarifying, water blasting & jetting and hammer chipped surfaces
- Open cavities of substrate Interface texture
- Capillary absorption
- Substrate moisture condition Optimal Moisture contents only

Chemical Bond Bonding Agent

Properties of Repair Material Mechanical Bond

- Early age strength and bond durability
- Shrinkage compensated Non Shrink repair mortar
- Workability, compaction and consolidation
- Horizontal, vertical and overhead repairs

Concrete Repairs - Steps and Effects

Hardened repair material

- **o** Directly influence the bond strength
- Development of stresses due to shrinkage
- Elastic modulus, Thermal coefficient, Creep, Permeability
- Concrete carbonation

Substrate Temperature

- At the time of repair mortar placement has significant effect on shear strength
- Curing of repaired areas.



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