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REPORT OF: TEST OF WELDED STEEL WIRE FABRIC

PROJECT: MATERIAL EVALUATION  
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GENERAL:

On June 12, 1985, we received a section of welded steel wire fabric removed from a 9'-10 1/2" wide by 21'-4" high concrete/metal stud wall panel. The composite wall panel was load tested, and the results were reported on our Laboratory Number 4-5792 dated March 5, 1985 (revision date). The wire fabric was identified as 6 gauge SP-3 modified Bolster steel wire. It consisted of W3 (6 gauge) wire welded to W4 (4 gauge) circumferential wire.

A tensile test was conducted on two samples of the W4 circumferential wire according to AASHTO Specification M32-81. A shear test was conducted on four sample welds according to AASHTO Specification M55-81.

TEST RESULTS:

Tensile Test Results -

Sample Number	Nominal Diameter of Circumferential Wire, in.	Nominal Area of Circumferential Wire, in. <sup>2</sup>	Yield Strength (0.5% Ext), psi	Tensile Strength, psi	Reduction in Area, %
1	0.226	0.040	89,700	95,800	69.3
2	0.226	0.040	89,200	95,300	71.8

Shear Test Results -

Sample Number	Nominal Diameter of Circumferential Wire, in.	Nominal Area of Circumferential Wire, in. <sup>2</sup>	Shear Load, lb	Shear Strength, psi	Location of Failure
3	0.226	0.040	1850	46,200	Base Metal
4	0.226	0.040	2166	54,100	In Weld
5	0.226	0.040	1616	40,400	In Weld
6	0.226	0.040	1904	47,600	Base Metal

REMARKS:

According to the above test results, this wire fabric conforms to AASHTO Specifications M32-81 and M55-81.

Test material will be retained for thirty days.

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