# LOADING AND BRACING\* ON COM-MERCIAL FLATRACK ISO CONTAINERS OF AGM-130C-12 MISSILES PACKED IN CNU-578 CONTAINERS

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#### **GENERAL NOTES**

- A. THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1 AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-1 (CHAPTER 5).
- B. ALL LOADS SHIPPED BY THE PROCEDURES DEPICTED IN THIS DRAWING MUST BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN TITLE 49, THE UNITED STATES CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS; AR 55-355/AFM 75-2; DOD 4500.32-R; DOD 5100.76-M; DOD 6055.9-STD; AS WELL AS ANY AND ALL OTHER APPLICABLE SERVICE REGULATIONS.
- C. THE SPECIFIED OUTLOADING PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS OF AGM-130C-12 MISSILES PACKED IN CNU-578 SHIPPING AND STORAGE CON-TAINERS. SEE PAGE 3 AND AIR FORCE DRAWING 9531330 FOR DETAILS OF THE CONTAINER. CAUTION: REGARDLESS OF THE QUANTITY OF CONTAINERS TO BE SHIPPED, THE "MAXIMUM GROSS WEIGHT" OF THE FLATRACK ISO CONTAINER MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED
- D. THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS BASED ON A 5,700 POUND 20' LONG BY 8' WIDE THE LOAD AS SHOWN IS ASSED ON A 3,700 POUND 20 LONG BY 8 WIDE FLATRACK ISO CONTAINER WITH FULL HEIGHT ENDWALLS, AND INSIDE DI-MENSIONS OF 19'-4" LONG BY 86" WIDE. THE LOAD IS DESIGNED FOR TRAILER/ CONTAINER-ON-FLATCAR (T/COFC) SHIPMENT; HOWEVER, THE LOAD AS DESIGNED CAN ALSO BE MOVED BY OTHER SURFACE MODES OF TRANSPORT. NOTICE: OTHER CONTAINERS OF THE SAME DESIGN CONFIGURATION CAN BE USED.
- E. WHEN LOADING CONTAINERS, THEY ARE TO BE POSITIONED SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD BETWEEN THE END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY AND THE LADING. ALTHOUGH A TOTAL OF 1" OF UNBLOCKED SPACE ACROSS THE WIDTH OF A LOAD IS PERMITTED, LONGITUDINAL VOIDS WITHIN THE LOAD ARE TO BE HELD TO A MINIMUM, NOT EXCEEDING 1/2". EXCESSIVE SLACK CAN BE ELIMINATED FROM A LOAD BY INCREASING THE LENGTH OF THE
- F. DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED IS OF NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 1" X 4" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 3/4" THICK BY 3-1/2" WIDE AND 2" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 5-1/2" WIDE.
- G. A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHENEVER POSSIBLE WHEN NAILS ARE DRIVEN INTO JOINTS OF DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES OR WHEN LAMINATING DUNNAGE. ADDITIONALLY, THE NAILING PATTERN FOR AN UPPER PIECE OF LAMINATED DUNNAGE WILL BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED SO THAT A NAIL FOR THAT PIECE WILL NOT BE DRIVEN THROUGH ONTO OR RIGHT BE-SIDE A NAIL IN A LOWER PIECE.
- H. WHEN INSTALLING END BLOCKING ASSEMBLIES AND ENDWALL GATES, THE ASSEMBLIES MUST BE POSITIONED SO AS TO BE SUPPORTED AND IN LINE WITH THE STRONG POINTS OF THE FLATRACK ENDWALLS. **NOTE**: SOME FLATRACK ENDWALLS WILL REQUIRE FILL PIECES TO BE INSTALLED ON THE END WALL GATES TO PROVIDE A UNIFORM LOAD BEARING SURFACE. NAIL THESE FILL PIECES TO THE END WALL GATES W/1 APPROPRIATELY SIZED NAIL EVERY SIX INCHES. THESE PIECES ARE NOT REQUIRED IF THE ENDWALL IS SMOOTH (IF THE HINGES DO NOT PROTRUDE).
- J. WHEN STEEL STRAPPING IS SEALED IN AN END-OVER-END LAP JOINT. A MINI-MUM OF ONE SEAL WITH TWO PAIR OF NOTCHES WILL BE USED TO SEAL THE JOINT WHEN A NOTCH-TYPE SEALER IS BEING USED. A MINIMUM OF TWO SEALS, BUTTED TOGETHER WITH TWO PAIR OF CRIMPS PER SEAL, WILL BE USED TO SEAL THE JOINT WHEN A CRIMP-TYPE SEALER IS BEING USED. REFER TO THE "STRAP JOINT A" AND "STRAP JOINT B" DETAILS ON PAGE 8 FOR
- K. THE 2" STRAPPING USED FOR LOAD SECUREMENT, I.E., HOLD-DOWN STRAPS, THE 2 STRAFFING USED FOR LOAD SECUREMENT, I.E., HOLD-DOWN STRAPS, WILL ONLY BE FASTENED TO THE FLATRACK CONTAINER BY UTILIZING TIEDOWN PROVISIONS LOCATED ON THE TOP OR ALONG THE SIDE OF THE FLATRACK BOTTOM SIDE RAILS. CAUTION: THE LOAD SECUREMENT STRAPS WILL NOT BE POSITIONED AROUND THE UNDERSIDE OR THROUGH THE FORKLIFT POCKETS OF THE FLATRACK CONTAINER. ADDITIONALLY, THE FLATRACK TIEDOWN PROVISIONS MUST BE AT LEAST AS STRONG AS THE 2" LOAD SE-CUREMENT STRAPPING BEING USED; AND BE OF A SUFFICIENT WIDTH TO RECEIVE THE 2" STRAPPING AND BE OF A DESIGN WHICH WILL PROVIDE A BEARING SURFACE ACROSS THE FULL WIDTH OF THE 2" STRAPPING SO THAT THE STRAPPING WILL NOT BE DEFORMED, ESPECIALLY AT ITS EDGES, WHEN
- L. REFER TO ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS MANUAL "GENERAL FOR APPLICABLE LOADING OF COMMODITIES ON OPEN TOP CARS" FOR APPLICABLE LOADING RULES AS FOLLOWS: PREFACE, 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 13, 14, AND 15. NOTE THAT ALL STRAPPING USED FOR LOAD SECUREMENT, I.E., HOLD-DOWN STRAPS, MUST BE MARKED AS SPECIFIED IN LOADING RULE
- M. WHETHER A CONTAINER IS FULL OR IS LOADED WITH A REDUCED QUANTITY OF LADING UNITS, THE LENGTHWISE CENTER OF GRAVITY OF THE LOAD MUST BE WITHIN 12", IN EITHER DIRECTION, OF THE MID-POINT OF THE CON-
- N. PORTIONS OF THE FLATRACK DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DRAWING, SUCH AS THE ENDWALL, HAVE NOT BEEN SHOWN IN THE LOAD VIEWS FOR CLARITY PUR-

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#### O. MAXIMUM LOAD WEIGHT CRITERIA:

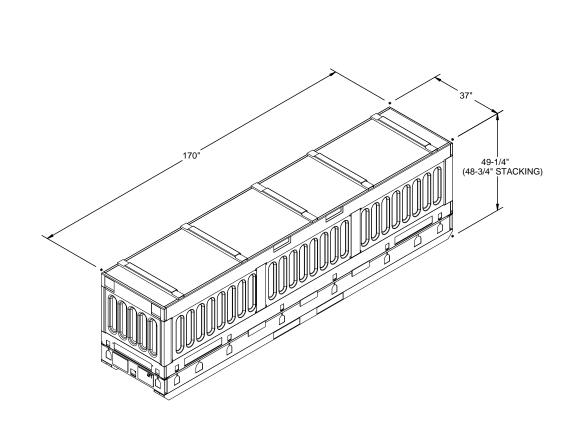
THE MAXIMUM LOAD WEIGHTS ARE CONTROLLED BY EQUIPMENT CAPABILITY FACTORS. ALTHOUGH THE HEAVIEST MAXIMUM LOADS ARE DELINEATED IN THE LOAD VIEWS, PROVISIONS ARE INCLUDED WITHIN THIS DRAWING SO THAT THE BASIC LOADS CAN BE ADJUSTED TO SATISFY A LESSER QUANTITY OF LADING UNITS. DEPENDING ON TRANSPORTATION ROUTING, IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO REDUCE THE LOAD WEIGHT TO SATISFY "WEIGHT LAWS" OF CERTAIN STATES. ALSO, IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO REDUCE THE LOAD WEIGHT TO SATISFY OTHER WEIGHT RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED ON THE IN-TERMODAL CONTAINER SYSTEM.

- P. REQUIREMENTS CITED WITHIN THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS
  (AAR) INTERMODAL LOADING GUIDE APPLY WHEN THE SHIPMENT MOVES BY TRAILER/CONTAINER-ON-FLATCAR (T/COFC). SPECIAL T/COFC NOTES FOL-
  - 1. A LOADED CONTAINER MUST BE ON A CHASSIS EQUIPPED WITH TWO BO-GIF ASSEMBLIES WHEN BEING MOVED IN TOFC SERVICE
  - 2. THE LOAD LIMIT OF A T/COFC RAILCAR MUST NOT BE EXCEEDED, NOR WILL A CAR BE LOADED SO THAT THE TRUCK UNDER ONE END OF THE CAR CARRIES MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF THE LOAD LIMIT FOR THAT CAR.
- Q. DURING INTRASTATE AND/OR INTERSTATE MOVES BY MOTOR CARRIER, A PROPER CHASSIS OR MODIFIED FLATBED TRAILER MUST BE USED TO PRE-CLUDE VIOLATION OF ONE OR MORE "WEIGHT LAWS" APPLICABLE TO THE STATE OR STATES INVOLVED.
- R. THE LOAD AS SHOWN ON PAGE 4 MAY BE REDUCED TO ONE CONTAINER, F DESIRED. SEE THE "LESS-THAN-FULL-LOAD PROCEDURES" ON PAGE 7.
- S. ANTI-CHAFING MATERIAL MAY BE INSTALLED AT POINTS OF CONTACT BE-TWEEN CONTAINERS AND BETWEEN CONTAINERS AND STEEL STRAPPING, IF DESIRED, TO PREVENT CHAFING DAMAGE TO CONTAINER PAINT AND MARK-
- T. CONVERSION TO METRIC EQUIVALENTS: DIMENSIONS WITHIN THIS DOCU-MENT ARE EXPRESSED IN INCHES AND WEIGHTS ARE EXPRESSED IN POUNDS. WHEN NECESSARY, THE METRIC EQUIVALENTS MAY BE COMPUTED ON THE BASIS OF ONE INCH EQUALS 25.4MM AND ONE POUND EQUALS 0.454

#### MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

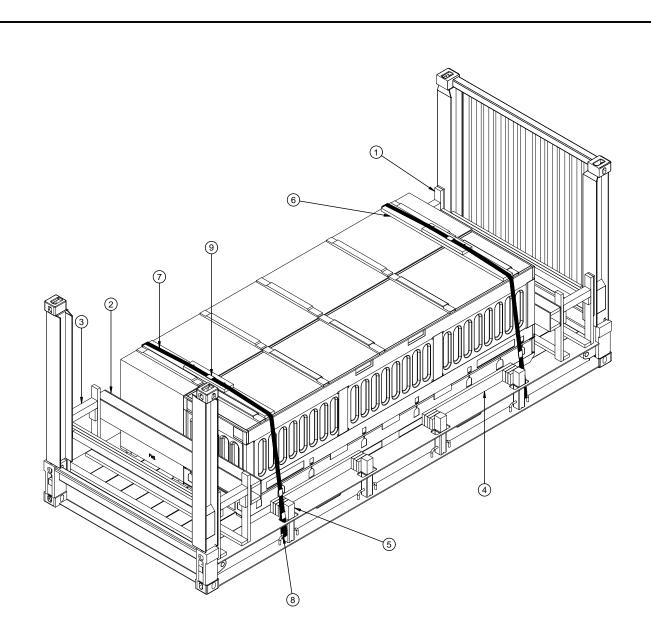
| <u>LUMBER</u> :           | SEE TM 743-200-1 (DUNNAGE LUMBER) AND VOL-<br>UNTARY PRODUCT STANDARD PS 20.   |
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| <u>NAILS</u> :            | ASTM F1667; COMMON STEEL NAIL (NLCMS OR NLCMMS).   |
| PLYWOOD:                  | COMMERCIAL ITEM DESCRIPTION A-A-55057, IN-<br>DUSTRIAL PLYWOOD, INTERIOR WITH EXTERIOR<br>GLUE, GRADE C-D. IF SPECIFIED GRADE IS<br>NOT AVAILABLE, A BETTER INTERIOR OR AN EX-<br>TERIOR GRADE MAY BE SUBSTITUTED. |
| STRAPPING, STEEL:         | ASTM D3953; FLAT STRAPPING, TYPE 1, HEAVY DUTY, FINISH A, B (GRADE 2), OR C.   |
| SEAL, STRAP:              | ASTM D3953; CLASS H, FINISH A, B (GRADE 2), OR C, DOUBLE NOTCH TYPE, STYLE I, II, OR IV.   |
| STAPLE, STRAP:            | COMMERCI AL GRADE.   |
| ANTI-CHAFING<br>MATERIAL: | MIL-PRF-121 (OR EQUAL); NEUTRAL BARRIER<br>MATERIAL.   |

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## **CNU-578 CONTAINER**

GROSS WEIGHT - - - - - 4,960 LBS (APPROX) CUBE - - - - - - - 179.3 CU FT (APPROX)



#### **ISOMETRIC VIEW**

#### (KEY NUMBERS CONTINUED)

- (6) STRAPPING BOARD ASSEMBLY (2 REQD). SEE DETAIL ON PAGE 5.
- (7) HOLD-DOWN STRAP, 2" X .050" OR .044" X 21'-0" LONG STEEL STRAPPING (2 REQD). INSTALL EACH STRAP FROM TWO PIECES, EACH 10'-6" LONG. FASTEN TO TIEDOWN PROVISION ON THE SIDE OF THE FLATRACK AND BRING UP TO THE TOP OF THE LOAD WHERE THEY CAN BE TENSIONED AND SEALED. STAPLE TO STRAPPING BOARD W/2 STAPLES EACH.
- (8) PAD, STRAPPING 2" X .050" OR .044" X 18" (4 REQD). PRE-POSITION THE PAD BETWEEN THE HOLD-DOWN STRAP AND THE FLATRACK TIEDOWN PROVISIONS. SEE THE "TIEDOWN DETAIL" ON PAGE 8.
- (9) SEAL FOR 2" STRAPPING (10 REQD, 5 PER STRAP). FASTEN 2" HOLD DOWN STRAP WITH ONE SEAL AT EACH LOCATION CRIMPED WITH TWO PAIR OF NOTCHES. FAS-TEN PAD WITH ONE SEAL CRIMPED WITH ONE PAIR OF NOTCHES. SEE THE "TIEDOWN DETAIL" ON PAGE 8.

#### **KEY NUMBERS**

- ① ENDWALL GATE (2 REQD). NAIL THE RETAINER PIECE TO THE DECK W/6-10d NAILS. SEE DETAIL ON PAGE 6.
- 2 END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY (2 REQD). NAIL THE RETAINER PIECE TO THE DECK W/6-10d NAILS. SEE DETAIL ON PAGE 6.
- 3 STRUT, 4" X 4" BY CUT-TO-FIT (REF: 16") (4 REQD). TOENAIL TO THE BUFFER PIECES OF THE END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY AND THE VERTICAL PIECES OF THE ENDWALL GATE W/2-12d NAILS AT EACH END. SEE THE "BEVEL-CUT" DETAIL ON PAGE 8.
- (4) SIDE BLOCKING ASSEMBLY (4 REQD). SEE DETAIL ON PAGE 5.
- (5) STAKE, 4" X 4" X 18" (8 REQD). INSTALL THE STAKE INTO THE FLATRACK STAKE POCKETS WITH A TIGHT (SNUG) FIT. **NOTE**: REFERENCE DIMENSIONS FOR A TIGHT FITTING STAKE ARE 3-1/4" (ACTUAL) X 3-1/4" (ACTUAL). NAIL 1-20d NAIL THROUGH THE HOLE PROVIDED IN THE FACE OF THE FLATRACK STAKE POCKET AND INTO THE STAKE. BEND THE PROTRUDING HEAD OF THE NAIL OVER AND AGAINST THE STAKE POCKET. TOENAIL TO THE FILL PIECE AND/OR TO THE SUPPORT PIECE W/2-20d NAILS.

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#### SPECIAL NOTES:

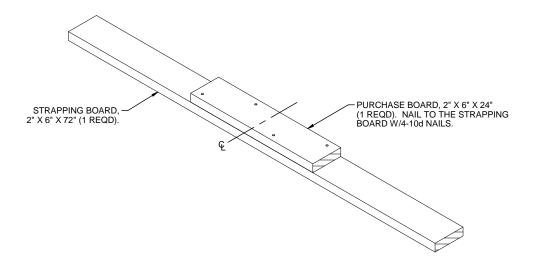
- IF THE CORNER POSTS OF THE FLATRACK ARE SMOOTH, I.E., THE ENDWALL HINGE DOES NOT PROTRUDE FROM THE CORNER POST, THE FILL PIECES MAY BE ELIMINATED FROM THE ENDWALL GATES. ALSO, THE LENGTH OF THE FILL PIECE MUST BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED DEPENDING ON THE LENGTH OF THE PROTRUDING HINGE.
- 2. POSITION THE STRAPPING BOARD ASSEMBLY AND THE HOLD-DOWN STRAPS TO BE VERTICALLY IN LINE WITH THE FLATRACK TIEDOWN POINTS.
- 3. THE LOAD AS SHOWN MAY BE REDUCED TO ONE CONTAINER IF DESIRED.

SUPPORT PIECE, 2" X 6" X 6" (DOUBLED) (2 REQD). NAIL THE FIRST PIECE TO THE LONGITUDINAL PIECE W/3-10d NAILS AND LAMINATE THE SECOND PIECE TO THE FIRST W/3-10d NAILS.

- FILL PIECE, APPROPRIATE SIZED THICKNESS X 6" X 6" (2 REQD). LAMINATE TO THE SIDE BLOCKING ASSEMBLY W/3-10d NAILS.

LONGITUDINAL PIECE, 2" X 6" X 52" (1 REQD).

#### SIDE BLOCKING ASSEMBLY



| BILL OF MATERIAL                                |                        |                          |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|------------------------|--------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| LUMBER  | LI NEAR FEET           | BOARD FEET               |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1" X 4"<br>2" X 4"<br>2" X 6"<br>4" X 4"        | 7<br>98<br>61<br>5     | 2<br>65<br>61<br>7       |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NAI LS  | NO. REQD               | POUNDS                   |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6d (2")<br>10d (3")<br>12d (3-1/4")<br>20d (4") | 104<br>176<br>16<br>24 | 3/4<br>2-3/4<br>1/2<br>1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

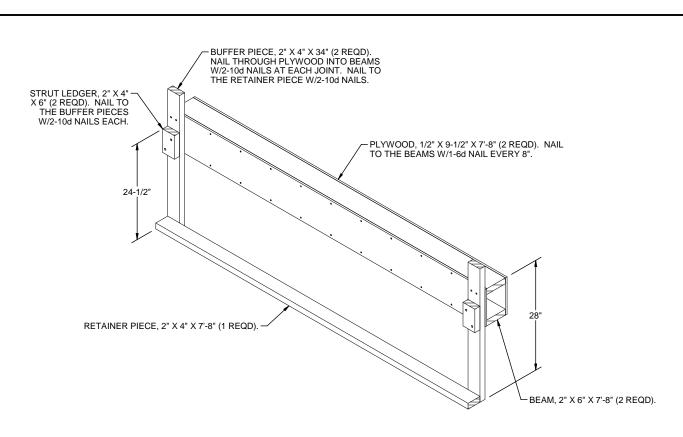
STEEL STRAPPING, 2" - - 39.08' REQD - 13.03 LBS SEAL FOR 2" STRAPPING - - - 10 REQD - - - 2 LBS STAPLE FOR 2" STRAPPING - - - 4 REQD - - - - NIL PLYWOOD, 1/2" - - - 24.28 SQFT REQD - 33.38 LBS

#### STRAPPING BOARD ASSEMBLY

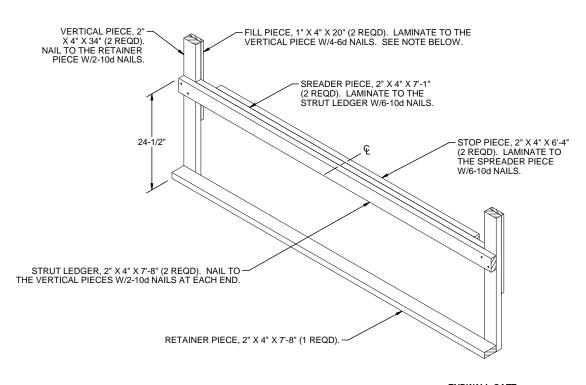
## LOAD AS SHOWN

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|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|----|-----------------|-----|----|---|---|---|---|---|---------|----------|
| CNU-578 -<br>DUNNAGE -<br>CONTAI NER | - | - | - | - | - | -  | -               | -   | -  | - | - | - | - | - | 323     | LBS      |

TOTAL WEIGHT - - - - - 15,943 LBS (APPROX)

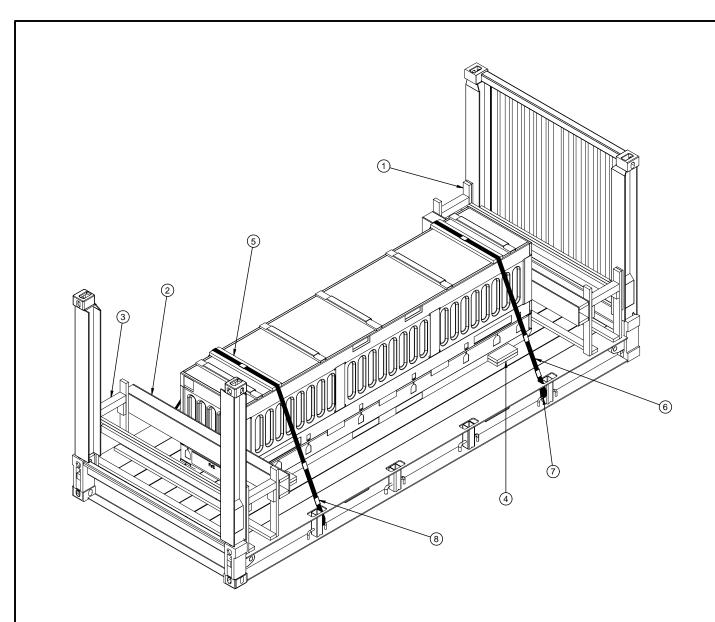


#### **END BLOCKING ASSEMBLY**



### ENDWALL GATE

NOTE: THE FILL PIECES ARE ONLY REQUIRED IF THE ENDWALL HINGES PROTRUDE BEYOND THE EDGES OF THE FLATRACK CORNER POSTS, ELIMINATE IF THE CONTACT SURFACE IS FLAT.



#### **LESS-THAN-FULL-LOAD PROCEDURES**

#### (KEY NUMBERS CONTINUED)

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- 4 SIDE BLOCKING, 2" X 6" X 12" (DOUBLED) (4 REQD). POSITION THE FIRST PIECE AGAINST THE CONTAINER AS SHOWN AND NAIL TO THE FLOOR W/4-10d NAILS. LAMINATE THE SECOND PIECE TO THE FIRST W/4-10d NAILS.
- (5) STRAPPING BOARD, 2" X 6" X 37" (2 REQD).

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