# LOADING AND BRACING (CL & LCL) IN BOXCARS\* OF AMRAAM MISSILES PACKED IN CNU-415 (AIM-120) OR CNU-555 (CATM-120) SHIPPING AND STORAGE CONTAINERS

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- A. THIS DOCUMENT HAS BEEN PREPARED AND ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AR 740-1 AND AUGMENTS TM 743-200-1 (CHAPTER 5).
- B. THE OUTLOADING PROCEDURES SPECIFIED IN THIS DRAWING ARE APPLICABLE TO LOADS OF AMRAAM (AIM-120 OR CATM-120) MISSILES PACKED IN CNU-415 OR CNU-555 SHIPPING AND STORAGE CONTAINERS. SEE PAGE 4 AND NAVY DRAW-ING 6214480 FOR DETAILS OF THE CONTAINER.
- C. THE OUTLOADING PROCEDURES SPECIFIED HEREIN CAN ALSO BE USED FOR THE SHIPMENT OF THE CONTAINERS WHEN THEY ARE LOADED WITH AN ITEM THAT IS IDENTIFIED DIFFERENTLY BY NOMENCLATURE THAN THE ITEM IDENTI-FIED WITHIN THE DRAWING TITLE.
- D. THE OUTLOADING PROCEDURES DEPICTED WITHIN THIS DOCUMENT ARE APPLICABLE FOR SHIPMENTS IN CONVENTIONAL TYPE BOXCARS AND FOR SHIPMENTS IN CUSHIONED BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS.
- E. THE SELECTION OF RAILCARS FOR THE TRANSPORT OF CNU-415 OR CNU-555 CONTAINERS IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ORIGINATING CARRIER AND THE SHIPPER. ONLY CARS WHICH HAVE "SOUND" FLOORS AND ARE IN OTHERWISE PROPER CONDITION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE APPLICABLE REGULATORY DOCUMENTS, WILL BE SELECTED.
- F. WHEN SELECTING RAILCARS, EVERY EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO OBTAIN BOXCARS THAT DO NOT HAVE BOWED ENDWALLS. CARS HAVING BOWED ENDS CAN BE USED, HOWEVER, IF AN ENDWALL IS BOWED OUTWARD MORE THAN 2° EITHER FROM SIDE TO SIDE OR FROM FLOOR TO ROOF, AN ENDWALL GATE WITH SHIMS MUST BE INSTALLED TO PROVIDE A "SQUARED OFF" SURFACE FOR THE LOAD AT THE END OF THE CAR. REFER TO PAGE 16 FOR GUIDANCE.
- G. CONVENTIONAL BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH SLIDING DOORS HAVE BEEN SHOWN, HOWEVER, THE DEPICTED OUTLOADING PROCEDURES ARE ALSO APPLICABLE FOR CONVENTIONAL CARS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG DOORS. CAUTION: DUNNAGE MATERIAL MUST NOT BE NAILED TO ANY PLUG DOOR, WHETHER AUXILIARY OR MAIN. ALSO, AFTER THE PLUG DOORS ON A CAR ARE CLOSED AND READY FOR THE INSTALLATION OF CAR SEALS, A PIECE OF WIRE OF SUITABLE SIZE WILL BE USED IN ADDITION TO AND IN CONJUNCTION WITH EACH CAR SEAL USED TO SEAL THE CAR. THE WIRE WILL BE THREADED THRU THE HOLES IN THE DOOR LATCH ASSEMBLY ONE OR MORE TIMES, AND THE WIRE ENDS WILL BE TWISTED TOGETHER
- H. OTHER TYPES OF LADING ITEMS MAY BE LOADED IN CARS WHICH ARE PARTIALLY LOADED WITH CONTAINERS OF AMRAAMS, PROVIDING THE TOTAL LOAD IS COMPATIBLE, EXISTING DIRECTIVES ARE NOT VIOLATED, AND THE OTHER LADING ITEMS ARE BLOCKED AND BRACED TO EQUAL THE BLOCKING AND BRACING CRITERIA SPECIFIED HEREIN.

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# **MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS**

MATERIAL OF LOW TONIO				
<u>LUMBER</u> :	SEE TM 743-200-1 (DUNNAGE LUMBER) AND VOLUNTARY PRODUCT STANDARD PS 20.			
<u>NAI LS</u> :	ASTM F1667; COMMON STEEL NAIL (NLCMS OR NLCMMS).			
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:	COMMERCIAL GRADE.			
ANTI - CHAFING MATERIAL:	MIL-PRF-121 (OR EQUAL); NEUTRAL BARRIER MATERIAL.			
WIRE, CARBON STEEL -:	ASTM A853; ANNEALED AT FINISH, BLACK OXIDE FINISH, O. 0800" DIA, GRADE 1006 OR BETTER.			

#### (GENERAL NOTES CONTINUED)

- J. DUNNAGE LUMBER SPECIFIED THROUGHOUT THIS PROCEDURAL DRAWING IS OF NOMINAL SIZE. FOR EXAMPLE, 2" X 4" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 3-1/2" WIDE AND 2" X 6" MATERIAL IS ACTUALLY 1-1/2" THICK BY 5-1/2" WIDE. IF THOSE MEMBERS SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFIED AS "STRUTS" WITHIN THE KEY NUMBERS OF A DEPICTED LOAD ARE SPECIFIED TO BE 4" X 4" MATERIAL, IT IS PERMISSIBLE TO USE TWO LAMINATED PIECES OF 2" X 6" MATERIAL IN LIEU OF EACH 4" X 4" STRUT. DOUBLED 2" X 6" STRUTS WILL BE LAMINATED W/1-10d NAIL EVERY 6".
- K. NOTICE: A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHEREVER POSSIBLE WHEN NAILS ARE DRIVEN INTO JOINTS OF DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES. ALSO, A STAGGERED NAILING PATTERN WILL BE USED WHEN DUNNAGE IS NAILED TO THE FLOOR OR SIDEWALL OF THE TRANSPORTING VEHICLE, OR WHEN LAMINATING DUNNAGE. THE NAILING PATTERN WILL BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED SO THAT A NAIL DOES NOT PENETRATE INTO OR NEAR A CRACK BETWEEN FLOOR BOARDS OR SIDEWALL BOARDS. 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 THE PIECE ONTO OR RIGHT BESIDE A NAIL IN A LOWER PIECE.
- L. POWER DRIVEN STAPLES MAY BE USED AS ALTERNATIVE FASTENERS FOR NAILS WHEN CONSTRUCTING DUNNAGE ASSEMBLIES THAT ARE TO BE USED IN THE DELINEATED BOXCAR LOADS SHOWN THROUGHOUT THIS DRAWING. THE STAPLES TO BE USED MUST BE EQUAL IN LENGTH TO THE SPECIFIED NAIL SIZE AND MUST BE SUBSTITUTED ON A ONE STAPLE FOR ONE NAIL BASIS. STAPLES WHICH ARE 2-1/2" OR LESS IN LENGTH SHOULD BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM F1667 AS NEARLY AS PRACTICABLE. STAPLES THAT ARE LONGER THAN 2-1/2" WILL BE A COMMERCIAL GRADE, OF A QUALITY EQUIVALENT TO THOSE MANUFACTURED BY SENCO PRODUCTS INCORPORATED. NOTE: STAPLES WILL NOT BE SUBSTITUTED FOR NAILS IN ANY LOAD RESTRAINING FLOOR DUNNAGE APPLICATION.
- M. WHEN STEEL STRAPPING IS SEALED AT AN END-OVER-END LAP JOINT, A MINIMUM 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 5 FOR GUIDANCE.
- N. THROUGHOUT THIS PROCEDURAL DRAWING, PORTIONS OF THE BLOCKING COMPONENTS AND OF THE DEPICTED CARS, SUCH AS A CAR SIDEWALL, HAVE BEEN OMITTED FROM THE LOAD VIEW FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.
- O. THE NUMBER OF LADING UNITS MAY BE ADJUSTED TO FIT THE SIZE OF THE BOXCAR BEING LOADED OR THE QUANTITY TO BE SHIPPED, HOWEVER, THE APPROVED METHODS SPECIFIED HEREIN MUST BE FOLLOWED AS CLOSELY AS POSSIBLE FOR BLOCKING, BRACING, AND STAYING OF THE UNITS. NOTICE: A SHIPMENT WILL BE POSITIONED IN THE RAILCAR IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS OF THE AAR
- P. <u>CAUTION</u>: WHEN POWER OR PNEUMATIC NAILERS ARE BEING USED IN THE APPLICATION OF NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING OR BRACING, CONTAINERS BEING LOADED INTO THE CONVEYANCE MUST BE POSITIONED TO ALLOW A CLEAR PATH OF EXIT FOR THE OPERATOR AT ALL TIMES, SHOULD AN EMERGENCY EXIT BECOME NECESSARY.
- Q. CONVERSION TO METRIC EQUIVALENTS: DIMENSIONS WITHIN THIS DOCUMENT 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 KG.
- R. THE TWO CNU CONTAINER INTERLOCKS LOCATED ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CONTAINERS CAN BE UTILIZED IN PLACE OF STEEL STRAPPING WHEN UNITIZING CONTAINERS. CONTAINERS MAY BE UNITIZED TWO HIGH USING INTERLOCKS. WHEN HANDLING INTERLOCKDE CONTAINERS LIFT BY BOTTOM CONTAINER ONLY. SEE THE "CONTAINER INTERLOCK DETAIL" ON PAGE 4 AND NAVY DRAWING 6214480 FOR FURTHER DETAILS.
- S. AS REQUIRED BY THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS (AAR), ALL 1-1/4" AND 2" STEEL STRAPPING USED FOR LOAD RESTRAINT MUST BE MARKED AS SPECIFIED WITHIN THE APPLICABLE AAR RULES GOVERNING LOADING, BLOCKING AND BRACING OF FREIGHT WITHIN THE CONVEYANCE. FOR THE SPECIFIC MARKING SIZE, FREQUENCY, ETC., REQUIRED, REFER TO THE APPROPRIATE AAR LOADING RULES.

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#### T. FOR CONVENTIONAL TYPE BOXCARS:

- 1. IF THE CAR BEING USED FOR A SHIPMENT IS EQUIPPED WITH A NAILABLE METAL FLOOR AND A NAIL SIZE FOR FLOOR NAILING IS MARKED ON THE SIDEWALL OF THE CAR, THAT GUIDANCE SHOULD BE APPLIED TO THE NAILING OF THE "DOORWAY BLOCKING" PIECES IN THE FULL LOADS AND TO THE NAILING TO THE CAR FLOOR OF THE LCL BRACES AND KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLIES IN THE LESS-THAN-FULL LOADS. IF A NAIL SIZE IS NOT SPECIFIED IN THE CAR, 30d NAILS SHOULD BE USED IN LIEU OF THOSE SPECIFIED IN THE APPLICABLE KEY NUMBERS.
- 2. NOTICE: WHEN POSITIONING CONTAINERS IN A CAR, THEY SHOULD BE PLACED TIGHTLY AGAINST A CAR SIDEWALL OR CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES AND ARE TO BE PRESSED TIGHTLY TOGETHER LENGTHWISE SO AS TO ACHIEVE A TIGHT LOAD. TO AID IN ACHIEVING TIGHTNESS LENGTHWISE IN A FULL LOAD, A LOAD-COMPRESSING JACK MAY BE EMPLOYED IN THE AREA OF THE CENTER GATES TO MOVE THE CONTAINERS INTO THEIR FINAL SHIPPING POSITION. A HYDRAULIC JACK IS RECOMMENDED FOR THIS OPERATION. CAUTION: WHEN USING A JACK TO COMPACT A LOAD, THE JACK MUST BE USED AGAINST STRONG POINTS OF THE CONTAINERS, SUCH AS THE JOINTS BETWEEN THE LAYERS OF CONTAINERS. PADDING, OF 2" THICK LUMBER OR ANY OTHER MATERIAL OF SIMILAR CONSISTENCY, SHOULD BE PLACED BETWEEN THE JACK AND THE LADING.
- 3. LOAD-BLOCKING STRUTS WHICH ARE 48" OR LONGER MUST BE STIFFENED BY THE APPLICATION OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL STRUT BRACING AS SHOWN ON PAGE 24. BRACING IS NOT REQUIRED IF THE STRUTS FOR THE LOAD BEING SHIPPED ARE SHORTER THAN 48". THE LENGTH OF THE LOAD-BLOCKING STRUTS SHOULD BE KEPT AS SHORT AS POSSIBLE (APPROX 18" MINIMUM), BUT IN THE EVENT IT IS NECESSARY TO USE STRUTS WHICH ARE 8'-0" OR MORE IN LENGTH, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO APPLY AN ADDITIONAL SET OF HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL STRUT BRACING PIECES. STRUT BRACING SHOULD BE APPLIED SO AS TO PROVIDE NEARLY EQUAL SPACES BETWEEN THE BRACING PIECES AND THE CENTER GATES AND/OR BETWEEN ADJACENT STRUT BRACING PIECES. NOTE THAT HORIZONTAL STRUT BRACING PIECES FOR THE UPPER LEVEL OF STRUTS FOR ALL BUT THE UPPERMOST TIER OF A LOAD MAY BE DIFFICULT TO APPLY TO THE TOP SURFACES OF THE STRUT AS DEPICTED. STRUT BRACING WILL BE EQUALLY EFFECTIVE IF APPLIED TO THE UNDER SIDE OF THOSE STRUTS.
- 4. TO ACHIEVE A TIGHTLY BLOCKED LOAD, A STRUT WILL BE CUT APPROXIMATELY 1/4\* TO 3/8\* LONGER THAN THE MEASURED DISTANCE BETWEEN
  THE STRUT BEARING AREAS ON THE TWO CENTER GATES. MEASUREMENTS FOR STRUT LENGTHS NEED TO BE ACCOMPLISHED AT SEVERAL
  PLACES DURING THE BLOCKING AND BRACING PROCESS. CARE MUST BE
  EXERCISED WHEN MEASURING FOR AND INSTALLING STRUTS. THE SPECIFIED APPROXIMATE DIMENSION FOR A STRUT LENGTH MAY BE ADJUSTED,
  AS NECESSARY, TO PROVIDE FOR A TIGHTLY BLOCKED LOAD WITHOUT
  DISTORTING, DENTING OR OTHERWISE DAMAGING THE CONTAINERS. ONE
  END OF THE STRUT WILL BE POSITIONED AT ITS BEARING AREA JUST
  ABOVE THE STRUT LEDGER ON ONE GATE. THE OTHER END, WHICH CAN
  BE BEVELED ON THE LOWER CORNER IF DESIRED, WILL THEN BE DRIVEN
  DOWNWARD UNTIL IT CONTACTS THE STRUT LEDGER ON THE OTHER
  GATE. EACH END OF THE STRUT WILL BE TOENAILED TO THE ADJACENT
  CENTER GATE, AS SPECIFIED WITHIN THE KEY NUMBERS FOR A LOAD, IN
  SUCH A MANNER SO THAT AS NEARLY AS PRACTICAL EQUAL LENGTHS OF
  A NAIL ARE EMBEDDED IN THE STRUT AND IN THE VERTICAL PIECE OF THE
  CENTER GATE, SEE THE "BEVEL CUT" DETAIL ON PAGE 5 FOR BEVELING
  INSTRUCTIONS AND THE "STRUT INSTALLATION" DETAIL ON THAT PAGE
  FOR A PICTORIAL VIEW SHOWING THE PROPER POSITIONING OF A BEVELED STRUT FOR INSTALLATION. NOTE THAT THE UPPER CORNER NEEDS
  TO BE BEVELED ONLY IF THE STRUTS ARE VERY SHORT. IF ONLY ONE END
  IS BEVEL CUT, THE BEVELED EDGE WILL BE PLACED IN THE DOWNWARD
  POSITION SO THAT IT WILL ALLOW THE STRUT END TO SLIDE MORE
  FREELY DOWN THE FACE OF THE VERTICAL PIECE ON THE ADJACENT
  CENTER GATE AS THE STRUT IS DRIVEN DOWN INTO ITS FINAL BLOCKING
  POSITION.
- 5. WHERE 2" X 2" PIECES ARE SPECIFIED FOR STRUT LEDGERS, 2" X 4" MATE-RIAL MAY BE SUBSTITUTED IF DESIRED.

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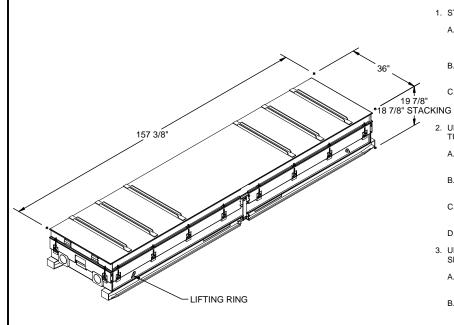
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#### U. FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS:

- 1. CAUTION: FOR CUSHIONED BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS, ONLY CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDERS MANUFACTURED BY EVANS, EQUIPCO, OR PRECO MAY BE USED. LOAD DIVIDERS MANUFACTURED BY TRANSCO ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE WHETHER OF ALUMINUM OR STEEL CONSTRUCTION. THE DEPICTED PROCEDURES ARE APPLICABLE FOR CARS OF VARIOUS LENGTHS AND WIDTHS. THE AAR MECHANICAL DESIGNATION CLASS FOR THESE CARS, AS IDENTIFIED IN "THE OFFICIAL RAILWAY EQUIPMENT REGISTER", WILL BE RBL, XL, OR XLI.
- 2. THE USE OF LOAD DIVIDER EQUIPPED CARS WILL ELIMINATE THE NEED FOR CENTER GATES AND STRUTS, AND GATE HOLD DOWNS (WHEN APPLICABLE) WHICH ARE REQUIRED IN CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR LOADS. THIS WILL ACCOUNT FOR A CONSIDERABLE SAVING IN MATERIAL AND LABOR COSTS. THEREFORE, EVERY EFFORT SHOULD BE MADE TO ACQUIRE CUSHIONED CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDERS FOR SHIPMENT OF COMPLETE ROUNDS. <u>MOTICE</u>: ONLY CUSHIONED CARS THAT HAVE SLIDING CENTER SILL TYPE CUSHIONED DEVICES OR END-OF-CAR TYPE DEVICES WHICH HAVE AT LEAST 15" OF TRAVEL ARE ACCEPTABLE.
- 3. IF NAILING TO A CAR SIDEWALL IS NOT REQUIRED, BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH ADJUSTABLE SIDE FILLERS THAT HAVE 3/8" OR THICKER PANELS MAY BE USED, HOWEVER, THESE SIDE FILLERS MUST NOT BE USED FOR LATERAL BLOCKING; THEY MUST BE RETRACTED AND LOCKED AGAINST THE CAR SIDEWALL. A "FILL PIECE" MUST BE INSTALLED IN THE VOID BETWEEN THE CAR SIDEWALL AND THE SIDE FILLER PANEL. SEE THE "TYPICAL TYPE A" VIEW ON PAGE 21 FOR GUIDANCE. IF THE BACK OF THE SIDE FILLER PANELS ARE REINFORCED WITH VERTICAL AND HORIZONTAL STEEL MEMBERS AS SHOWN IN THE "TYPICAL TYPE B" VIEW ON PAGE 21, THE "FILL PIECE" MATERIAL IS NOT REQUIRED.
- 4. NOTICE: AFTER THE LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS ARE POSITIONED AGAINST THE LADING, AND THE LOCKING PINS ARE ENGAGED IN THE HOLES OF THE RAILS, THE LOWER LOCKING PINS MUST BE INSPECTED TO ENSURE THAT THE PINS ARE FULLY ENGAGED IN THE LOCKING HOLES. IF THE PINS ARE NOT FULLY SEATED IN THE LOCKING HOLES, THE LINKAGE MECHANISM WILL BE ADJUSTED AS REQUIRED SO THAT THE PINS WILL BE FULLY SEATED INTO THE LOCKING HOLES OF THE LOWER RAILS. IF PRESENT, DEBRIS MUST BE REMOVED FROM BENEATH THE LOCKING HOLES WHICH HAVE BEEN SELECTED FOR SECURING A LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD.
- 5. A "STRUT ASSEMBLY" MUST BE INSTALLED BETWEEN THE LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS IF THE CAR CONTAINS HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.1, 1.2, OR 1.3 EXPLOSIVES AND THE LOAD IN EITHER END OF THE CAR WEIGHS 50,000 POUNDS OR MORE. A STRUT ASSEMBLY IS NOT REQUIRED FOR LOADS OF HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.4 EXPLOSIVES, REGARDLESS OF THE WEIGHT OF THE LOAD. NOTE THAT THE STRUT ASSEMBLY MAY BE OMITTED FROM LOADS OF HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.1, 1.2, OR 1.3 EXPLOSIVES WEIGHING 50,000 POUNDS WHEN THE LADING AND ADEQUATE BLOCKING AND BRACING ARE POSITIONED TO COMPLETELY FILL THE SPACE BETWEEN THE INSTALLED BULKHEADS AS SPECIFIED IN GENERAL NOTE "U.6" BELOW. DETAILS OF STRUT ASSEMBLIES FOR USE BETWEEN 2-PIECE BULKHEADS AND BETWEEN 1-PIECE BULKHEADS ARE SHOWN ON PAGE 70
- 6. THE NORMAL LOADING PATTERN IN CARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS IS TO POSITION THE LADING BETWEEN A CAR ENDWALL AND A LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD IN FULL LAYERS. OBVIOUSLY, A LOAD QUANTITY MUST THEN BE A MULTIPLE OF THE NUMBER OF CONTAINERS THAT ARE IN ONE LOAD UNIT. A LOAD UNIT IS DEFINED AS A STACK OF CONTAINERS THAT IS FULL CAR WIDTH BY FULL LOAD HEIGHT BY ONE UNIT IN LENGTH. IF THE QUANTITY TO BE SHIPPED CANNOT BE ATTAINED BY ADJUSTING THE NUMBER OF TIERS IN ONE OR BOTH ENDS OF A CAR, OR BY ADJUSTING THE NUMBER OF LOAD UNITS IN EITHER END OF THE CAR, ONE OF THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES MUST BE USED IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE DESIRED QUANTITY. ONE OR MORE UNITS CAN BE POSITIONED IN CONTACT WITH A LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD ON THE CENTER-OF-CAR SIDE, BLOCK AND BRACE WITH LCL BRACES AS SHOWN ON PAGE 14 OR WITH KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLIES, AS SHOWN ON PAGE 12. A FILLER ASSEMBLY MAY ALSO BE USED TO REPLACE ONE CONTAINER, SEE THE DETAILS ON PAGE

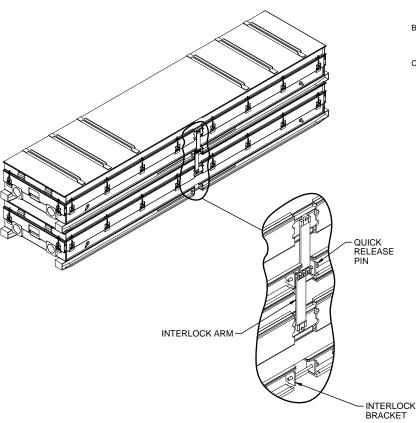
#### UNITIZATION AND HANDLING GUIDANCE

- 1. STACKING CONTAINERS FOR UNITIZING:
  - A. AN UPPER CONTAINER SHOULD BE PLACED AS CLOSE AS POSSIBLE IN VERTICAL ALIGNMENT WITH THE NEXT LOWER CONTAINER.
  - B. POSITION THE AFT END OF AN UPPER CONTAINER ABOVE THE AFT END OF THE NEXT LOWER CONTAINER.
  - C. THE CONTAINER SKIDS OF AN UPPER CONTAINER SHOULD BE FULLY SEATED AGAINST THE SKID LOCATOR PIECES ON THE COVER OF THE NEXT LOWER CONTAINER.
- UNITIZING PROCEDURE USING PREFERRED INTERLOCKING FEA-TURE.
  - A. DETACH QUICK RELEASE PIN (BOTH SIDES) ON CONTAINER TO BE PLACED ON TOP.
  - B. STACK TWO CONTAINERS AS SHOWN. BE SURE TO ALIGN THE STACKING FEATURES.
  - C. SECURE TOP CONTAINER TO BOTTOM CONTAINER USING INTERLOCKING FEATURE.
  - D. INSTALL QUICK RELEASE PIN (BOTH SIDES).
- 3. UNITIZING PROCEDURE USING OPTIONAL 1-1/4" BANDING STRAPS. SEE THE LOAD ON PAGE 6 FOR FURTHER DETAIL.
  - A. STACK TWO CONTAINERS AS SHOWN. BE SURE TO ALIGN THE STACKING FEATURES.
  - B. FEED UNITIZING STRAP THROUGH FORK POCKETS OF BOTH CONTAINERS (2 PLACES).
  - C. TENSION AND SECURE EACH STRAP WITH ONE DOUBLE-NOTCHED SEAL.
- 4. CONTAINER OR CONTAINER STACK HANDLING:
  - A. ONLY APPROVED AND APPROPRIATELY SIZED MATERIAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT WILL BE USED FOR HANDLING THE DEPICTED CONTAINERS. APPROVED MATERIAL HANDLING EQUIPMENT (FORKLIFT TRUCKS, CRANES, HAND TRUCKS, DOLLIES, ROLLER ASSEMBLIES, SLINGS, SPREADER BARS, ETC.) IS SPECIFIED ELSEWHERE.
  - B. PRECAUTIONARY HANDLING TECHNIQUES NORMALLY EMPLOYED OR AS SPECIFIED FOR THE TYPE OF COMMODITY INVOLVED WILL BE OBSERVED.
  - C. IF HANDLING IS ACCOMPLISHED WITH A FORKLIFT TRUCK, THE CONTAINERS SHOULD BE HANDLED FROM A SIDE POSITION AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. CARE MUST BE EXERCISED WHEN INSERTING FORKS UNDER A CONTAINER, TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO THE CONTAINER BY THE FORK TINES OR THE FORKLIFT PACKAGE GUARD. IF ONE CONTAINER IS HANDLED BY SLINGING, THE SLING MAY BE ATTACHED TO THE LIFTING POINTS ON THE CONTAINER. DO NOT HANDLE STACKED CONTAINERS WITH A SI ING



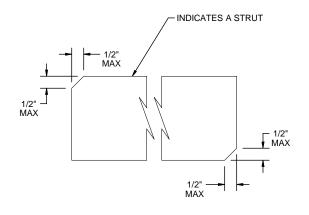
# **CNU-415 OR CNU-555 CONTAINER**

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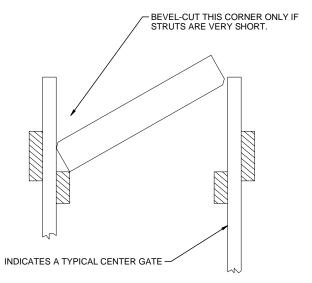
#### **CONTAINER INTERLOCK DETAIL**

REMOVE THE QUICK RELEASE PINS OF BOTH CONTAINERS. LIFT THE INTERLOCK ARMS OF THE LOWER CONTAINER UP INTO THE INTERLOCK BRACKETS OF THE UPPER CONTAINER AND SECURE WITH QUICK RELEASE PINS. PINS SHALL BE INSERTED THROUGH ONE BUSHING ONLY. RE-SECURE THE LOWER CONTAINER'S QUICK RELEASE PINS INTO THE INTERLOCK BRACKETS. BOTH SIDES OF CONTAINERS MUST BE INTERLOCKED AS SHOWN BY THIS DETAIL. SEE GENERAL NOTE "R" ON PAGE 2.



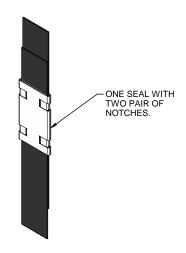
#### **BEVEL CUT**

IF DESIRED, EACH END OF A STRUT MAY BE BEVEL-CUT AS SHOWN ABOVE TO FACILITATE INSTALLING THE STRUTS WITH A "DRIVE" FIT.



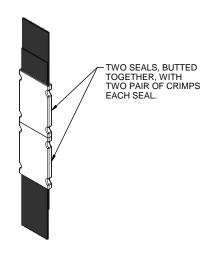
#### **STRUTINSTALLATION**

SEE GENERAL NOTE "S" ON PAGE 3 FOR ADDITIONAL STRUT INSTALLATION GUIDANCE.



# **STRAP JOINT A**

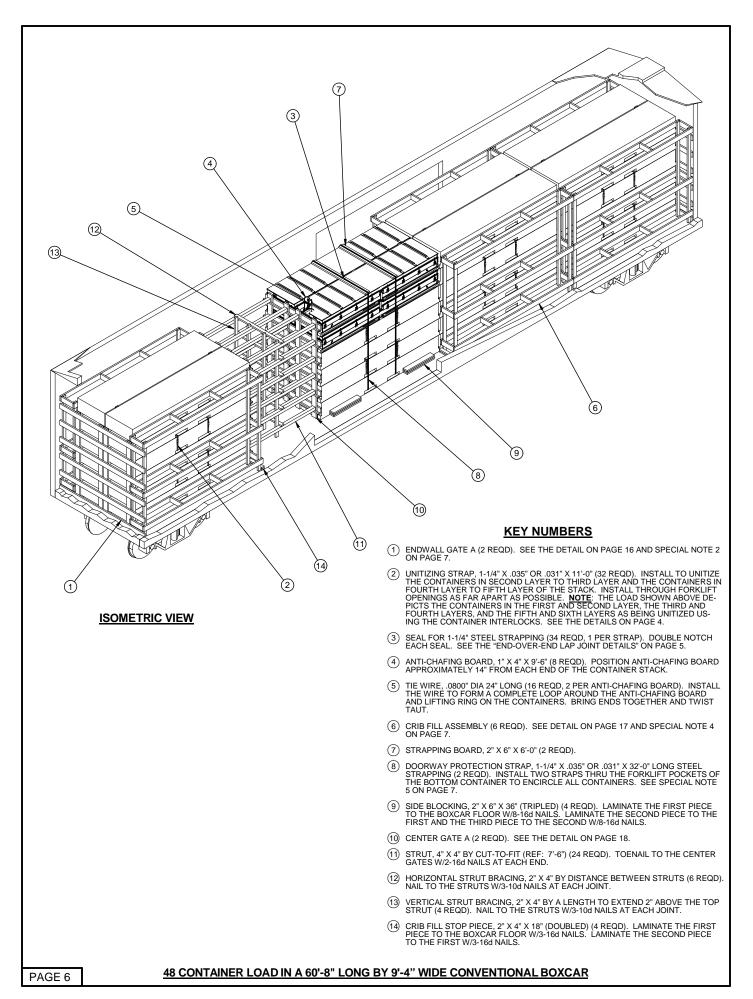
METHOD OF SECURING A STRAP JOINT WHEN USING A NOTCH-TYPE SEALER.



# STRAP JOINT B

METHOD OF SECURING A STRAP JOINT WHEN USING A CRIMP-TYPE SEALER.

# **END-OVER-END LAP JOINT DETAILS**



#### SPECIAL NOTES:

- A 48 CONTAINER LOAD IS SHOWN IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH 14'-0" WIDE STAGGERED DOOR OPENINGS. BOXCARS OF OTHER DIMENSIONS AND BOXCARS HAVING WIDER, NARROWER OR THROUGH DOOR OPENINGS CAN BE USED.
- IF THE CAR TO BE LOADED HAS NAILABLE ENDWALLS, BATTENS MAY BE NAILED TO THE ENDWALL IN LIEU OF USING THE ENDWALL GATE. POSITION AT THE HEIGHTS SHOWN FOR THE ENDWALL GATE AND NAIL TO THE CAR ENDWALL W/1-10d NAIL EVERY 12".
- CONTAINERS SHOULD BE STACKED IN THE DOORWAY AREA OF THE CAR FOR UNITIZING. AFTER THE STACK IS COMPLETED AND THE UNITIZING STRAPS HAVE BEEN INSTALLED, THE CONTAINER STACK CAN BE PARTIALLY LIFTED FROM THE END AND PUSHED INTO PLACE.
- 4. CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES ARE REQUIRED WHEN THE TOTAL LATERAL SPACE ACROSS THE WIDTH OF THE LOAD EXCEEDS 6", AS MEASURED FROM CONTAINERS TO EACH SIDE WALL.
- 5. DOORWAY PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTAINERS STACKS WHICH ARE COMPLETELY WITHIN THE DOORWAY AREA OR WHICH EXTEND INTO THE DOORWAY AREA BY ONE-HALF OR MORE OF THE STACK LENGTH. DOORWAY PROTECTION WILL CONSIST OF NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING, STRAPPING BOARDS, AND DOORWAY PROTECTION STRAPS ENCIRCLING THE LOAD UNIT. TWO STRAPS ARE REQUIRED AROUND A LOAD UNIT WHICH IS NOT RETAINED BY AT LEAST SIX INCHES OF THE CAR SIDEWALL. ONE STRAP IS REQUIRED AROUND A LOAD UNIT WHICH IS RETAINED BY AT LEAST SIX INCHES BUT LESS THAN HALF OF THE CONTAINER LENGTH. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS AND NAILABLE DOOR POSTS, A WOODEN GATE TYPE OF DOORWAY PROTECTION MAY BE USED. SEE DETAILS ON PAGES 22 AND 23.
- 6. FOR SHIPMENTS OF A LOAD WHICH CONTAINS FEWER CONTAINERS THAN WHAT IS SHOWN, SEE THE PROCEDURES ON PAGES 8 THRU 15.

BILL OF MATERIAL				
LUMBER	LINEAR FEET	BOARD FEET		
1" X 4"	76	25		
2" X 2"	73	24		
2" X 4"	323	216		
2" X 6"	943	943		
4" X 4"	180	240		
NAI LS	NO. REQD	POUNDS		
10d (3")	1, 232	19		
16d (3-1/2")	216	4-3/4		
STEEL STRAPPING,	1-1/4" - 416' RE	QD 63 LBS		

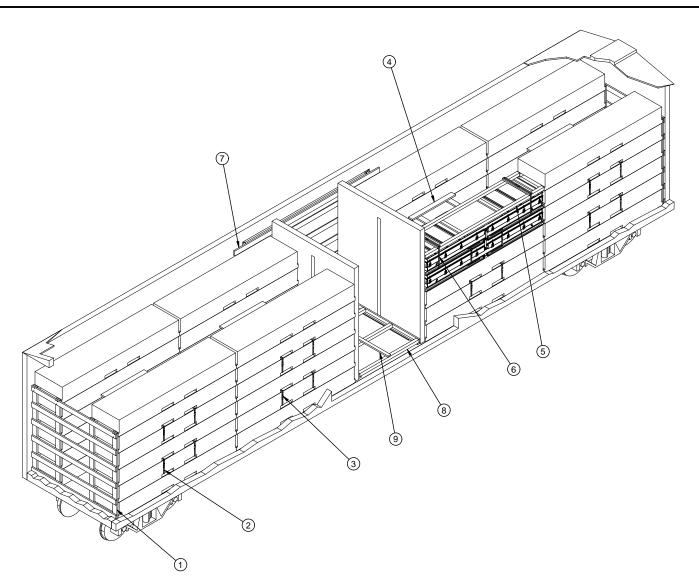
STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 416' REQD - - - 63 LBS SEAL FOR 1-1/4" STRAPPING - 34 REQD - - - 2 LBS WIRE, .080" DIA - - - - 32' REQD - - 1/2 LBS

# LOAD AS SHOWN

CNU CONTAINER - - - 48 - - - - 105, 168 LBS
DUNNAGE - - - - - - - - - - 108, 154 LBS (APPROX)

TOTAL WEIGHT - - - - 108, 154 LBS (APPROX)

48 CONTAINER LOAD IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR



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# **KEY NUMBERS**

- $\begin{tabular}{ll} \hline \end{tabular}$  ENDWALL GATE B (2 REQD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 16 AND SPECIAL NOTE 2 ON PAGE 9.
- (2) UNITIZING STRAP, 1-1/4" X .035" OR .031" X 11'-0" (32 REQD). INSTALL TO UNITIZE THE CONTAINERS IN SECOND LAYER TO THIRD LAYER AND THE CONTAINERS IN FOURTH LAYER TO FIFTH LAYER OF THE STACK. INSTALL THROUGH FORKLIFT OPENINGS AS FAR APART AS POSSIBLE. NOTE: THE LOAD SHOWN ABOVE DEPICTS THE CONTAINERS IN THE FIRST AND SECOND LAYERS, THE THIRD AND FOURTH LAYERS, AND THE FIFTH AND SIXTH LAYERS AS BEING UNITIZED USING THE CONTAINER INTERLOCKS. SEE THE DETAILS ON PAGE 4.
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- (4) ANTI-SWAY BRACE (12 REQD, WITH 51" RETAINER PIECE, 3 PER STACK OF CONTAINERS). INSTALL BETWEEN THE LATERALLY ADJACENT CONTAINERS IN THE FIRST, THIRD AND FIFTH LAYERS. SEE DETAIL ON PAGE 17 AND SPECIAL NOTE 4 ON PAGE 9.
- (5) FILLER ASSEMBLY (1 REQD). SEE DETAIL ON PAGE 24.
- (6) FILLER ASSEMBLY STRAP, 1-1/4" X .035" OR .031" X 11'-3" LONG STEEL STRAP-PING (2 REQD). INSTALL STRAPS THRU THE END POCKETS OF THE TOP CON-TAINER TO ENCIRCLE THE CONTAINER AND THE FILLER ASSEMBLY.
- $\bigcirc$  DOORWAY PROTECTION D (2 REQD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 23 AND SPECIAL NOTE 5 ON PAGE 9.
- (8) STRUT ASSEMBLY (1 REQD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 20. SEE SPECIAL NOTE 6 ON PAGE 9.
- STRUT BRACING, 2" X 4" BY DISTANCE BETWEEN STRUTS (1 REQD). POSITION TO BE CENTERED ON STRUTS. NAIL TO THE STRUTS W/3-10d NAILS AT EACH JOINT.

47 CONTAINER LOAD IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS

#### SPECIAL NOTES:

- A 47 CONTAINER LOAD IS SHOWN IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE CUSHIONED TYPE BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDERS AND 14'-0" WIDE THROUGH DOOR OPENINGS. BOXCARS OF OTHER DIMENSIONS AND BOXCARS HAVING WIDER, NARROWER OR OFFSET DOOR OPENINGS CAN BE USED.
- IF THE CAR TO BE LOADED HAS NAILABLE ENDWALLS, BATTENS MAY BE NAILED TO THE ENDWALL IN LIEU OF USING THE ENDWALL GATE. POSITION AT THE HEIGHTS SHOWN FOR THE ENDWALL GATE AND NAIL TO THE CAR ENDWALL W/1-10d NAIL EVERY 12".
- CONTAINERS SHOULD BE STACKED IN THE DOORWAY AREA OF THE CAR FOR UNITIZING. AFTER THE STACK IS COMPLETED AND THE UNITIZING STRAPS HAVE BEEN INSTALLED, THE CONTAINER STACK CAN BE PARTIALLY LIFTED FROM THE END AND PUSHED INTO PLACE.
- 4. CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES OR ANTI-SWAY BRACES ARE REQUIRED WHEN THE TOTAL LATERAL SPACE BETWEEN THE CONTAINERS EXCEEDS 6", AS MEASURED FROM CONTAINER TO LATERALLY ADJACENT CONTAINER. ANTI-SWAY BRACES MUST BE USED FOR EVERY LAYER OF CONTAINERS IF CONTAINER INTERLOCKS ARE NOT UTILIZED.
- 5. DOORWAY PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTAINER STACKS WHICH ARE COMPLETELY WITHIN THE DOORWAY AREA OR WHICH EXTEND INTO THE DOORWAY AREA BY ONE-HALF OR MORE OF THE STACK LENGTH. THE WOODEN GATE TYPE OF DOORWAY PROTECTION IN THE LOAD ON PAGE 8 IS APPLICABLE FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS AND NON-NAILABLE DOOR POSTS. REFER TO PAGES 22 AND 23 FOR ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PROTECTION FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG TYPE DOORS OR COMBINATION PLUG AND SLIDING DOORS, NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING AND DOORWAY PROTECTION STRAPS MUST BE USED. SEE THE LOAD ON PAGE 6 FOR GUIDANCE.
- 6. STRUT ASSEMBLIES ARE REQUIRED WHEN THE LOAD IN EITHER END OF A CAR IS 50,000 POUNDS OR MORE. FOR THE LOAD SHOWN ON PAGE 8, THE STRUT AS-SEMBLY WOULD NOT BE REQUIRED IF THE LOAD CONSISTED OF 22 CONTAINERS OR LESS ON EACH END OF THE BOXCAR.
- 7. FOR SHIPMENTS OF A LOAD WHICH CONTAINS MORE OR FEWER CONTAINERS THAN WHAT IS SHOWN, SEE THE PROCEDURES ON PAGES 6 AND 10 THRU 15.

BILL OF MATERIAL				
LUMBER	LINEAR FEET	BOARD FEET		
1" X 4"	3	1		
1" X 6"	168	84		
1" X 8"	16	11		
2" X 4"	159	106		
2" X 6"	426	426		
4" X 4"	52	70		
NAI LS	NO. REQD	POUNDS		
6d (2")	102	3/4		
10d (3")	364	5-3/4		
12d (3-1/4")	36	3/4		
STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 375' REQD 57 LBS				
SEAL FOR 1-1/4" STRAPPING - 34 REQD 2 LBS				

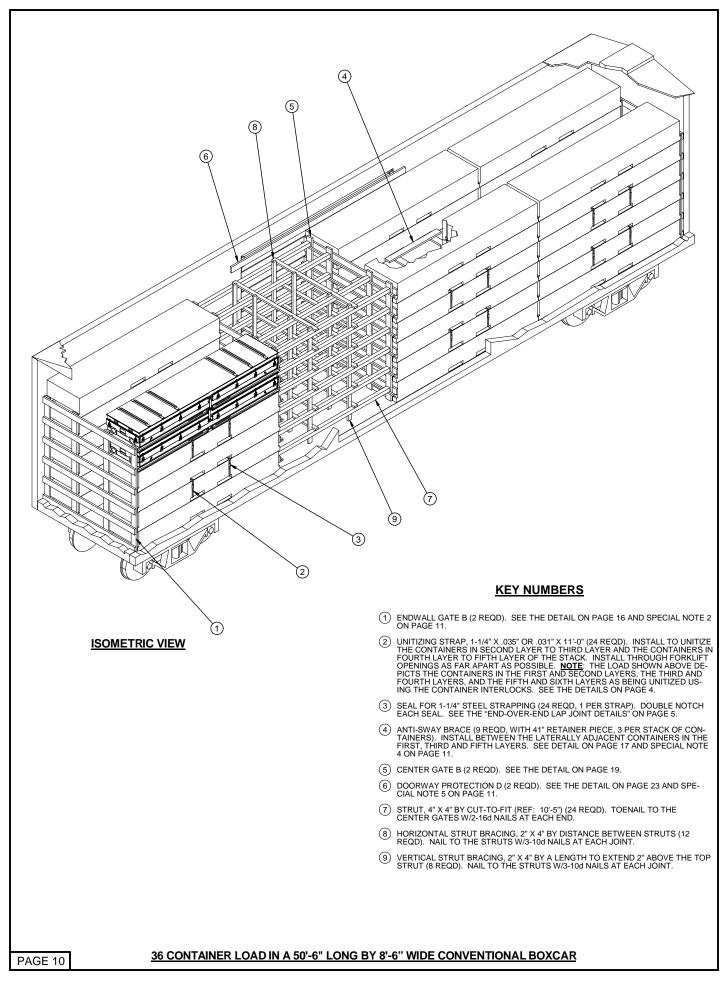
LOAD AS SHOWN

 CNU CONTAINER - - - 47 - - 47 - - - 102, 977 LBS

 DUNNAGE - - - - 107AL WEIGHT - - - - - 104, 539 LBS

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47 CONTAINER LOAD IN A 60'-8" LONG BY 9'-4" WIDE BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS



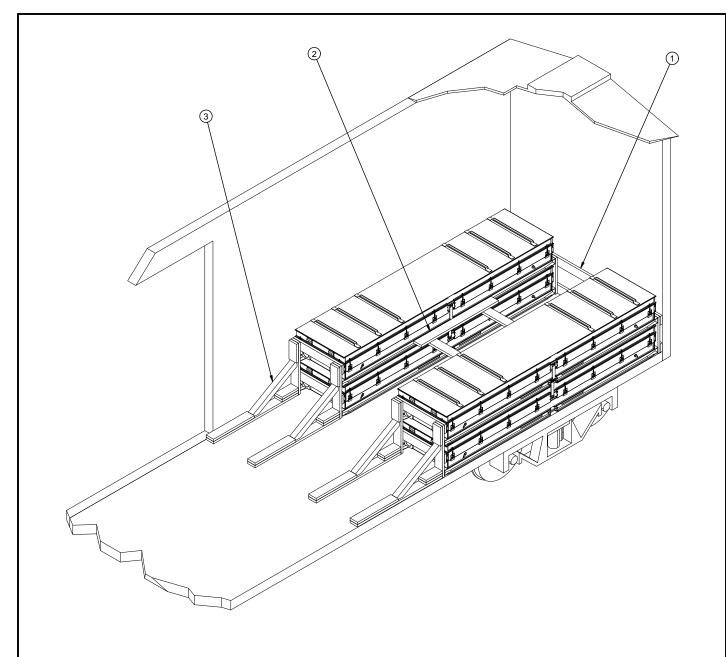
#### SPECIAL NOTES:

- A 36 CONTAINER LOAD IS SHOWN IN A 50'-6" LONG BY 8'-6" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR EQUIPPED WITH 14'-0" WIDE THROUGH DOOR OPENINGS. CARS OF OTHER DIMENSIONS AND CARS HAVING WIDER, NARROWER OR OFFSET DOOR OPENINGS CAN BE USED.
- IF THE CAR TO BE LOADED HAS NAILABLE ENDWALLS, BATTENS MAY BE NAILED TO THE ENDWALL IN LIEU OF USING THE ENDWALL GATE. POSITION AT THE HEIGHTS SHOWN FOR THE ENDWALL GATE AND NAIL TO THE CAR ENDWALL W/1-10d NAIL EVERY 12".
- CONTAINER SHOULD BE STACKED IN THE DOORWAY AREA OF THE CAR FOR UNITIZING. AFTER THE STACK IS COMPLETED AND THE UNITIZING STRAPS HAVE BEEN INSTALLED, THE CONTAINER STACK CAN BE PARTIALLY LIFTED FROM THE END AND PUSHED INTO PLACE.
- 4. CRIB FILL ASSEMBLIES OR ANTI-SWAY BRACES ARE REQUIRED WHEN THE TOTAL SPACE BETWEEN THE CONTAINERS EXCEEDS 6", AS MEASURED FROM CONTAIN-ER TO LATERALLY ADJACENT CONTAINER. ANTI-SWAY BRACES MUST BE USED FOR EVERY LAYER OF CONTAINERS IF CONTAINER INTERLOCKS ARE NOT UTI-LIZED.
- 5. DOORWAY PROTECTION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CONTAINER STACKS WHICH ARE COMPLETELY WITHIN THE DOORWAY AREA OR WHICH EXTEND INTO THE DOOR WAY AREA BY ONE-HALF OR MORE OF THE STACK LENGTH. THE WOODEN GATE TYPE OF DOOR-WAY PROTECTION IN THE LOAD ON PAGE 10 IS APPLICABLE FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS AND NON-NAILABLE DOOR POSTS. REFER TO PAGES 22 AND 23 FOR ALTERNATIVE DOORWAY PROTECTION FOR CARS EQUIPPED WITH CONVENTIONAL SLIDING DOORS. IF THE CAR BEING LOADED IS EQUIPPED WITH PLUG TYPE DOORS OR COMBINATION PLUG AND SLIDING DOORS, NAILED FLOORLINE BLOCKING AND DOORWAY PROTECTION STRAPS MUST BE USED. SEE THE LOAD ON PAGE 6 FOR GUIDANCE.
- 6. FOR SHIPMENT OF A LOAD WHICH CONTAINS MORE OR FEWER CONTAINERS THAN WHAT IS SHOWN, SEE THE PROCEDURES CONTAINED ON PAGES 6, 8, 12, 14 AND 15.

BILL OF MATERIAL				
LUMBER	LINEAR FEET	BOARD FEET		
1" X 4"	3	1		
1" X 6"	168	84		
2" X 2"	102	34		
2" X 4"	288	192		
2" X 6"	523	523		
4" X 4"	250	334		
NAI LS	NO. REQD	POUNDS		
6d (2")	88	1/2		
10d (3")	852	13-1/4		
12d (3-1/4")	20	1/2		
16d (3-1/2")	96	2-1/4		
STEEL STRAPPING, 1-1/4" - 264' REQD 40 LBS SEAL FOR 1-1/4" STRAPPING - 24 REQD 1 LBS				

# LOAD AS SHOWN

36 CONTAINER LOAD IN A 50'-6" LONG BY 8'-6" WIDE CONVENTIONAL BOXCAR



# **ISOMETRIC VIEW**

#### SPECIAL NOTES:

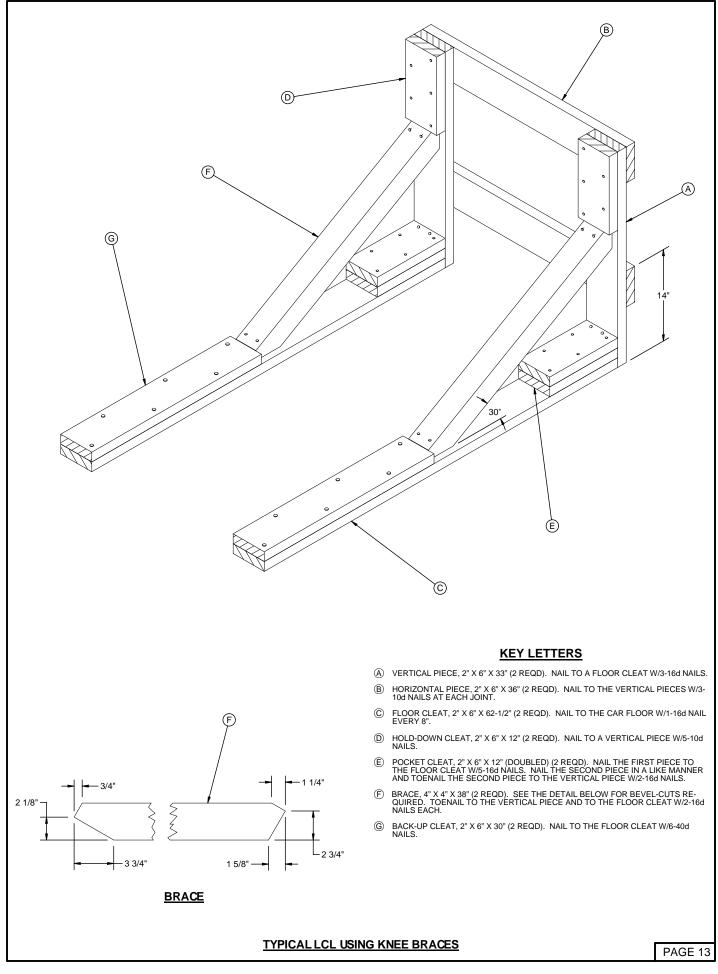
- A FOUR CONTAINER LOAD IS SHOWN IN A 9'-4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL TYPE BOX-CAR HAVING A WOOD OR NAILABLE METAL FLOOR. CARS OF OTHER WIDTHS AND CARS HAVING METAL LININGS MAY BE USED.
- IF THE CAR TO BE LOADED HAS NAILABLE ENDWALLS, BATTENS MAY BE NAILED TO THE ENDWALL IN LIEU OF USING THE ENDWALL GATE. POSITION AT THE HEIGHTS SHOWN FOR THE ENDWALL GATE AND NAIL TO THE CAR ENDWALL W/1-10d NAIL EVERY 12".
- THE LOAD SHOWN DEPICTING THE KNEE BRACE METHOD OF PARTIAL-LAYER BRACING IS TYPICAL. THE QUANTITY MAY BE ADJUSTED TO SUIT, PROVIDED THE LIMITATIONS OF THE KNEE BRACE AS SET FORTH IN SPECIAL NOTE 4 ARE NOT EXCEEDED.
- 4. A KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLY WILL BE USED FOR EACH ROW OF CONTAINERS. ONE KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLY IS ADEQUATE FOR RETAINING A MAXIMUM LOAD OF NOT MORE THAN 8,500 POUNDS OR FOUR CONTAINERS.
- WHEN USING CRIB FILL OR SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES WITH KNEE BRACE ASSEM-BLIES, PROVISIONS MUST BE MADE TO PREVENT LONGITUDINAL MOVEMENT OF THE CRIB FILL OR SIDE FILL ASSEMBLIES.
- 6. CONTAINERS WILL NOT BE STACKED MORE THAN TWO LAYERS HIGH FOR BRAC-

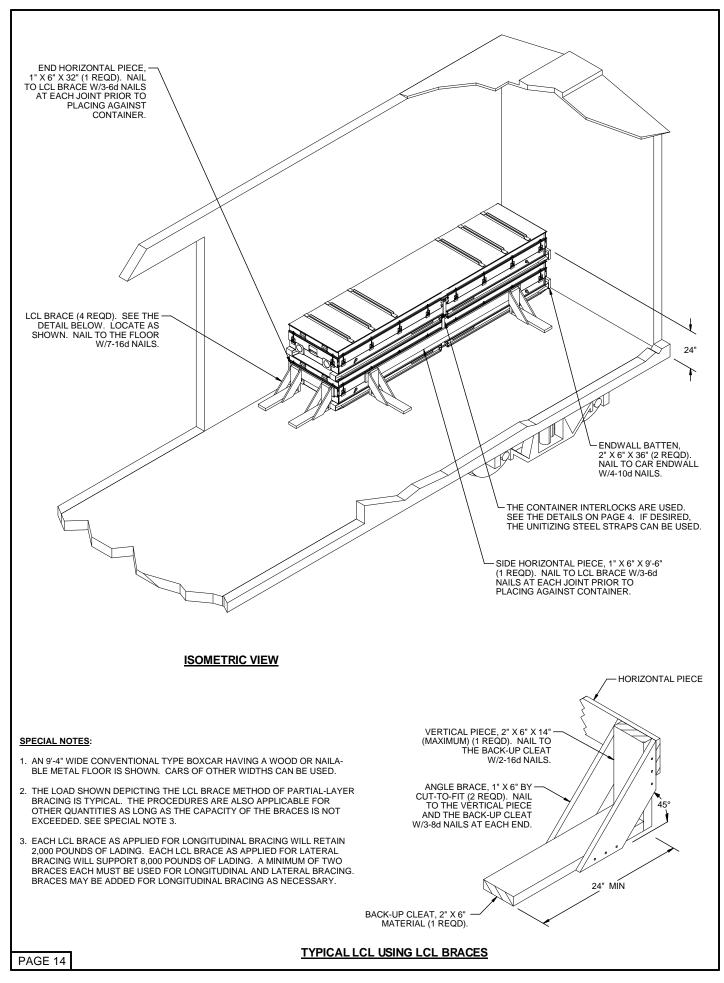
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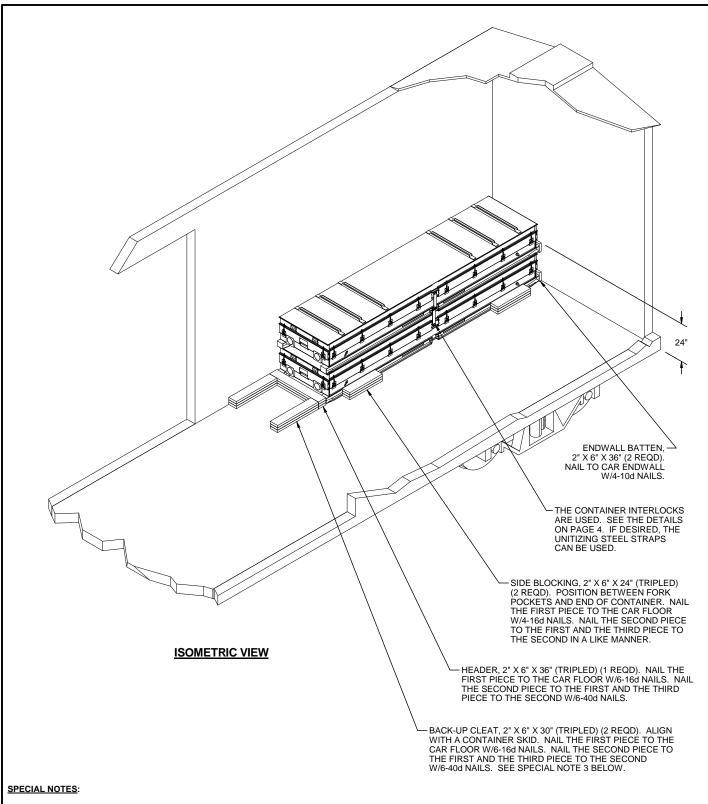
- 1 ENDWALL GATE B (1 REQD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 16 AND SPECIAL NOTE 2 AT LEFT.
- ② ANTI-SWAY BRACE (1 REQD, WITH 51" RETAINER PIECE). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 17. INSTALL BETWEEN LATERALLY ADJACENT ROWS OF CONTAINERS IN THE UPPER LAYER. NOTE THAT THE CONTAINERS ABOVE ARE DEPICTED WITH INTERLOCKS ENGAGED. IF UNITIZATION STRAPPING IS USED INSTEAD, ONE ADDITIONAL ANTI-SWAY BRACE IS REQUIRED.
- ③ KNEE BRACE ASSEMBLY (2 REQD). SEE THE DETAIL ON PAGE 13.

ING WITH KNEE BRACES.

TYPICAL LCL USING KNEE BRACES

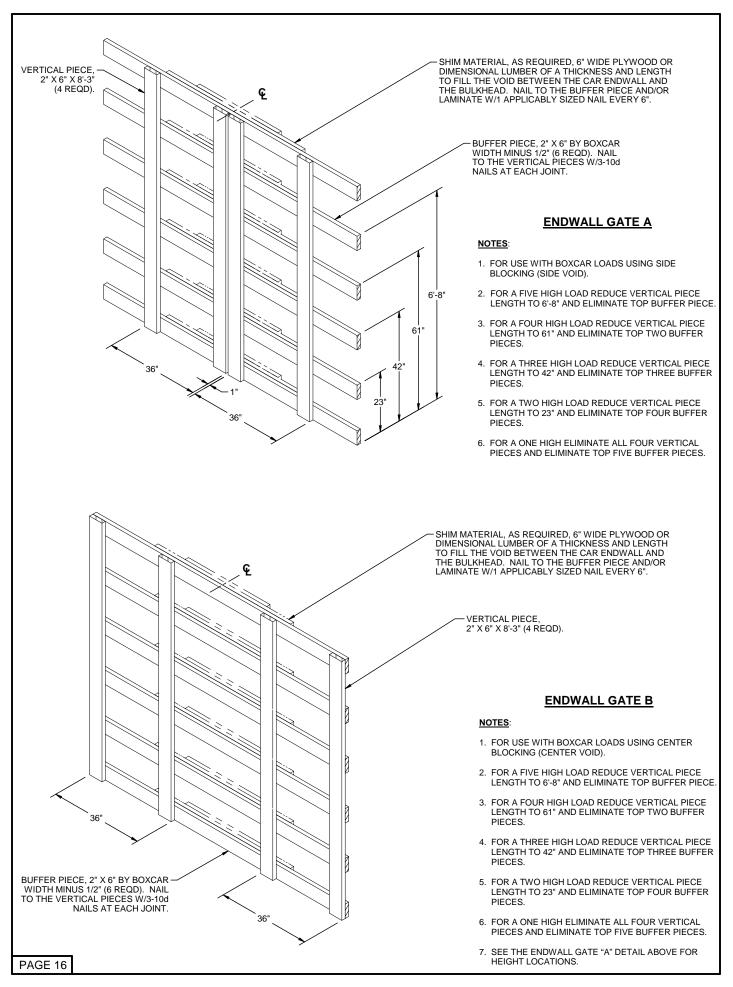


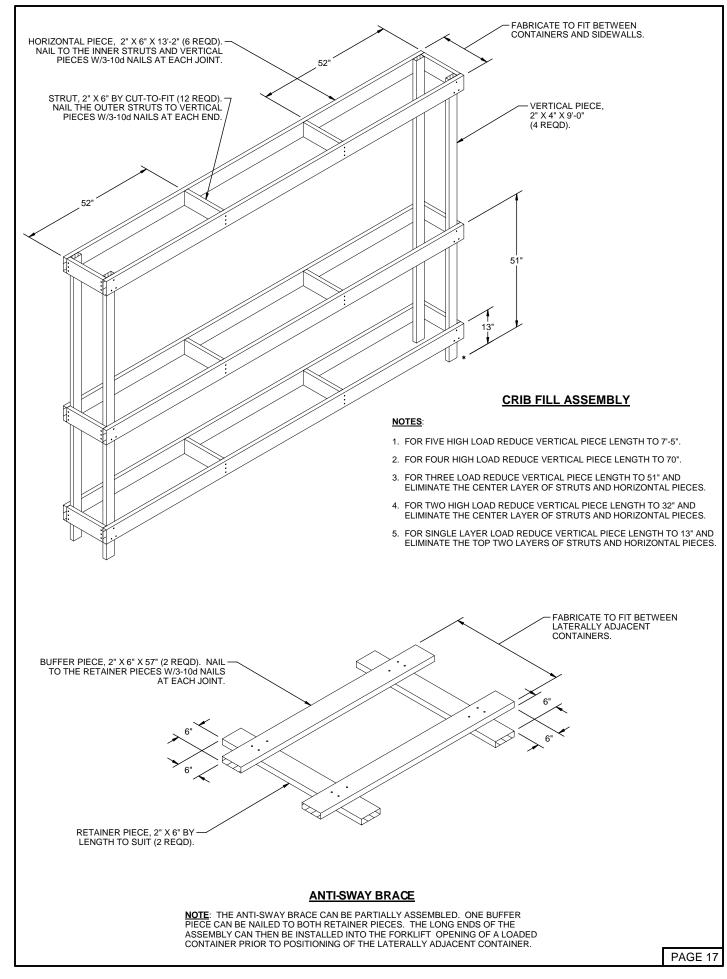


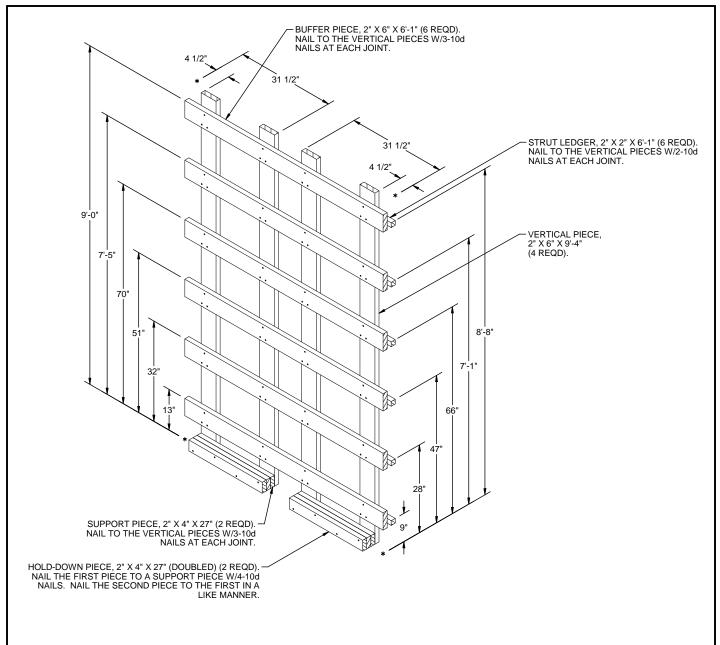


- 1. AN 9'-4" WIDE CONVENTIONAL TYPE BOXCAR HAVING A WOOD OR NAILABLE METAL FLOOR IS SHOWN. CARS OF OTHER WIDTHS CAN BE USED.
- THE LOAD SHOWN DEPICTING THE FLOORLINE BLOCKING METHOD OF PARTIAL-LAYER BRACING IS TYPICAL. THE PROCEDURES ARE ALSO AP-PLICABLE FOR OTHER QUANTITIES AS LONG AS THE CAPACITY OF THE FLOORLINE BLOCKING IS NOT EXCEEDED. SEE SPECIAL NOTE 3.
- 3. TWO 30" LONG BACK-UP CLEATS ARE ADEQUATE FOR RETAINING NOT MORE THAN 9,000 POUNDS. THIS WILL BE NOT MORE THAN SEVEN CONTAINERS.

### TYPICAL LCL USING FLOORLINE BLOCKING



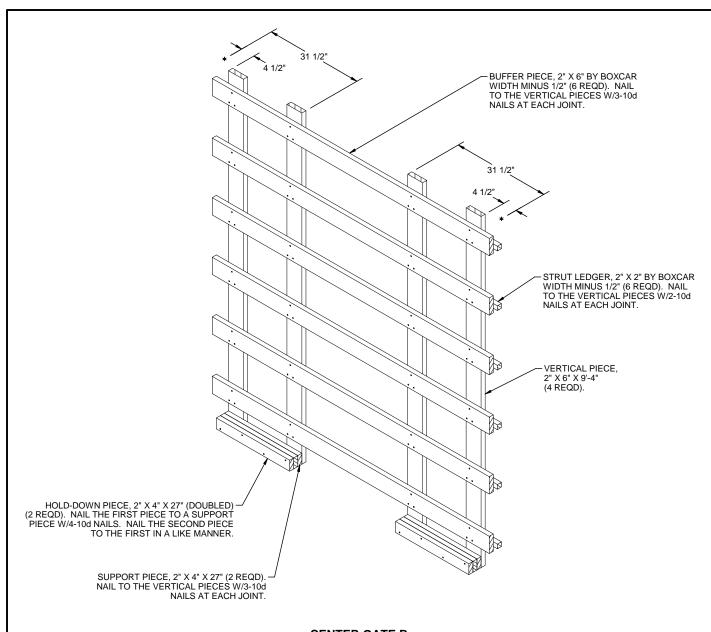




### **CENTER GATE A**

#### NOTES:

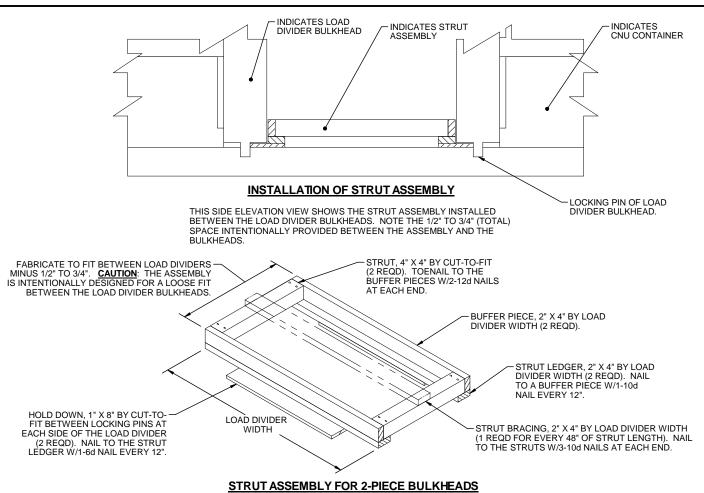
- FOR USE WITH BOXCAR LOADS USING SIDE BLOCKING (SIDE VOID).
- 2. FOR A FIVE HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 7'-9" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP BUFFER PIECE AND THE TOP STRUT LEDGER.
- 3. FOR A FOUR HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 6'-2" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP TWO BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP TWO STRUT LEDGERS.
- 4. FOR A THREE HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 55" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP THREE BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP THREE STRUT LEDGERS.
- FOR A TWO HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 36" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP FOUR BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP FOUR STRUT LEDGERS.
- FOR A ONE HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 17" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP FIVE BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP FIVE STRUT LEDGERS.



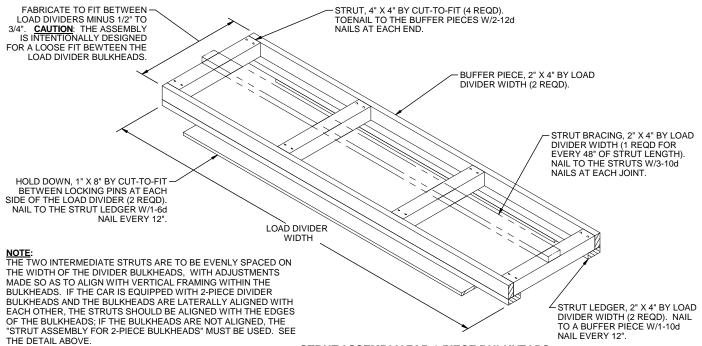
# CENTER GATE B

#### NOTES:

- 1. FOR USE WITH BOXCAR LOADS USING CENTER BLOCKING (CENTER VOID).
- 2. FOR A FIVE HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 7'-9" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP BUFFER PIECE AND THE TOP STRUT LEDGER.
- 3. FOR A FOUR HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 6'-2" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP TWO BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP TWO STRUT LEDGERS.
- 4. FOR A THREE HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 55" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP THREE BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP THREE STRUT LEDGERS.
- 5. FOR A TWO HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 36" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP FOUR BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP FOUR STRUT LEDGERS.
- FOR A ONE HIGH LOAD REDUCE VERTICAL PIECE LENGTH TO 17" AND ELIMINATE THE TOP FIVE BUFFER PIECES AND THE TOP FIVE STRUT LEDGERS.
- 7. SEE THE CENTER GATE "A" DETAIL ON PAGE 18 FOR HEIGHT LOCATIONS.



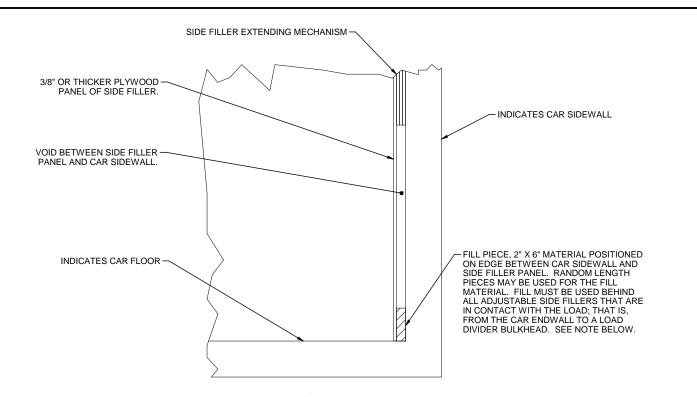
A STRUT ASSEMBLY IS REQUIRED WHEN THE LOAD BEHIND EITHER LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD EXCEEDS 50,000 POUNDS OF HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.1, 1.2, OR 1.3 EXPLOSIVES. A STRUT ASSEMBLY IS NOT REQUIRED FOR LOADS OF HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.4 EXPLOSIVES, REGARDLESS OF THE WEIGHT OF THE LOAD. **NOTE**: TWO ASSEMBLIES AS SHOWN ARE REQUIRED FOR A 2-PIECE BULKHEAD IF NOT LATERALLY ALIGNED. SEE "NOTE" BELOW.



# STRUT ASSEMBLY FOR 1-PIECE BULKHEADS

A STRUT ASSEMBLY IS REQUIRED WHEN THE LOAD BEHIND EITHER LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEAD EXCEEDS 50,000 POUNDS OF HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.1, 1.2, OR 1.3 EXPLOSIVES. A STRUT ASSEMBLY IS NOT REQUIRED FOR LOADS OF HAZARD CLASS AND DIVISION 1.4 EXPLOSIVES, REGARDLESS OF THE WEIGHT OF THE LOAD.

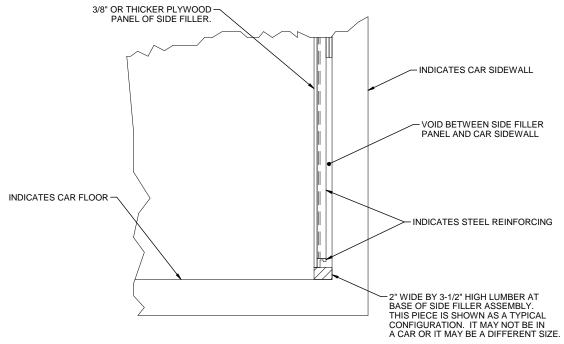
PROVISIONS FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS



# **TYPICAL TYPE A**

THIS VIEW SHOWS THE INSTALLATION OF A "FILL PIECE" IN A CAR EQUIPPED WITH A STANDARD ADJUSTABLE SIDE FILLER

NAILING OF "FILL PIECES" IS NOT REQUIRED EXCEPT THAT EACH "FILL PIECE" LOCATED NEAREST THE DOOR OPENINGS OF THE CAR WILL BE SECURED AGAINST LONGITUDINAL MOVEMENT W/1-6d NAIL DRIVEN THROUGH THE SIDE FILLER PANEL AND INTO THE "FILL PIECE".



#### **TYPICAL TYPE B**

THIS VIEW SHOWS A TYPICAL SECTION OF A CAR EQUIPPED WITH HEAVY DUTY, STEEL REINFORCED, ADJUSTABLE SIDE FILLERS. A "FILL PIECE", AS SHOWN IN THE "TYPICAL TYPE A" DETAIL ABOVE, IS NOT REQUIRED IN CARS SO EQUIPPED.

#### PROVISIONS FOR BOXCARS EQUIPPED WITH LOAD DIVIDER BULKHEADS

