

ADDENDUM TO MNL-116 AND MNL-117

The following requirement has been approved for addition to MNL-116 and MNL-117 and will be added when publication schedules allow. In the interim, the requirement will be communicated to certified plants and posted on the PCI website.

MNL-116/-117 Addendum No. 1

ASTM A1081 Testing for Strand Bond

Plants performing prestressing must have evidence that the strand being used has been tested in accordance with ASTM A1081/A1081M, *Standard Test Method for Evaluating Bond of Seven-Wire Steel Prestressing Strand*. The test results must be updated at least annually and are applicable to all strand sizes in use at the plant, not just the 0.5 and 0.6-inch [12.7 and 15.24 mm] diameters referenced in the test method. This requirement is effective July 1, 2020 and will be included in plant audits conducted after that date.

Comment - The test results are typically provided by the strand manufacturer.