

383 for capacity loss. Perform corrective measures, including
 384 redesign of footings caused by defective shafts, at no increase
 385 in contract price or contract time. The Engineer will not pay for
 386 defective casing remaining in place.

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 388 **(c) Permanent Casing.** Ensure casing is continuous
 389 between top and bottom casing elevations. After completing
 390 installation, cut off permanent casing at prescribed elevation.
 391 Complete shaft by installing required reinforcing steel and
 392 concrete in casing.

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 394 When special temporary casings are in the contract
 395 documents or specified in writing by the Engineer, maintain
 396 temporary outer casing alignment with permanent inner casing.
 397 Provide watertight seal between the two casings during
 398 excavation and concreting operations.

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 400 **(5) Slurry. Drilling slurry will not be allowed.**

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 402 **(6) Excavation Inspection.** Provide equipment for checking
 403 dimensions and alignment of each permanent shaft excavation. After
 404 cleaning, measure final shaft depth with weighted tape.

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 406 Ensure a minimum of 50 percent of each shaft base has less
 407 than 1/2 inch of sediment at the time concrete is placed. Ensure
 408 maximum sediment depth or debris on shaft base does not exceed
 409 1-1/2 inches. The Engineer will visually inspect dry shafts for
 410 cleanliness. For wet shafts, the Engineer will use inspection methods
 411 deemed appropriate.

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 413 **(7) Reinforcing Steel Cage Construction and Placement.**
 414 Assemble and place reinforcing steel cage immediately after the
 415 Engineer inspects and accepts shaft excavation and before placing
 416 concrete. Reinforcing steel cage includes longitudinal bars, ties, cage
 417 stiffener bars, spacers, centralizers, and other appurtenances
 418 necessary to complete cage.

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 420 Tie and support shaft reinforcing steel such that reinforcing
 421 steel placement conforms to allowable tolerances as specified in
 422 Subsection 511.03(C)(10) – Construction Tolerances. Use concrete
 423 spacers at sufficient intervals (near bottom and at intervals not
 424 exceeding 10 feet along shaft length) to ensure concentric spacing for
 425 entire cage length. Use minimum of four spacers, equally spaced
 426 around circumference, at each vertical interval. Construct spacers of
 427 material accepted by the Engineer, equal in quality and durability to
 428 concrete specified for the shaft. Furnish spacers of adequate
 429 dimension to ensure a minimum 3-inch space between outer portion
 430 of reinforcing cage and side of excavated hole or casing. Provide