# CAT-350<sup>™</sup> INSTALLATION CHECK LIST

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DATE:		
PROJECT:		
LOCATION:		

- Proper and uniform rail height (27 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>")
- Post #1 notched side faces post #2.
- Proper orientation of bearing plate. (5" up, 3" down)
- Soil plates verified with foundation tubes. (Downstream side when required)
- Anchor cable is taut and correctly installed.
- Guardrails spanning from posts #2 to #4 are 12 gage (PC-31G) and are positioned with the 210mm (8-1/4") long slots at post #4.
- Guardrails spanning from post #4 to #6 are 10 gage (PC-130A) and are positioned with the welded attachment plates at post #4.
- No rail attachment at posts #3, #5 and #6.
- But a restraint rod attached just downstream of posts #3 and #5.
- Rail splices at posts #4 and #6 permit telescoping.
- Rail lapping at posts #4 and #6 include plate washers and PC-3395G special splice bolts.
- Knockout tubes are in place on the upstream sides of posts #4 and #6, with post plates at post #4.
- Tail end and/or transition as required have been installed in accordance with the contract plans.

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Routine maintenance consists of periodically checking the system to see that the cable is taut and the blockouts have not rotated.

#### REPAIR MAINTENANCE DEALS WITH THE SYSTEM AFTER IT HAS BEEN HIT.

The CAT-350<sup>TM</sup> is designed to collapse in stages when it is impacted on the end. Depending on the severity of the impact, repair may consist of replacing only: stage one, the 1905mm (6'-3) nose section; stages one and two, the nose section and 3810mm (12'-6) set of 12-gage panels and posts; or all three stages of the above ground parts of the complete CAT- 350<sup>TM</sup>.

In any event, the CAT-350<sup>™</sup> replacement parts may be ordered in stages or by the individual parts. A parts list by stages may be obtained from Trinity Industries by calling (800)644-7976.

#### THE FOLLOWING STEPS SHOULD BE TAKEN IN MAKING REPAIRS:

- (1) Set up the necessary work zone control devices.
- (2) Make note of the broken wood posts and wood blockouts that need to be replaced.
- (3) Inventory and pick up the reusable parts.
- (4) Bring necessary replacement parts from the maintenance yard.
- (5) Disconnect and remove the damaged rail and material from the system.

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