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#### Summary Statement:

A load test was performed on a 30-metric ton monolithic counterweight manufactured by Ken Garner Mfg Co., specifically engineered for use as car-body ballast on the Liebherr LR1600 lattice boom crawler crane. The primary focus of the load test was to validate the integrity and performance of the integral lifting rings, which are critical for the handling of the counterweights. This load test was conducted in strict compliance with the engineered protocol outlined in the plan titled "LR1600 Ctwt Load Test." All test procedures were meticulously followed, and the results were thoroughly documented. The lifting ring design was confirmed to be compliant, safe, and without issue, ensuring its suitability for use in the handling and rigging of these counterweights. The overall counterweight design also successfully passed the load test, confirming its structural reliability and suitability for use as car-body ballast on the LR1600 crane.



**Picture 1 – Counterweight w/ Additional Ballast Weight Rigged in Test Configuration**

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**Picture 2 – LICCON Screen Showing No-Load Condition Pre-Test**



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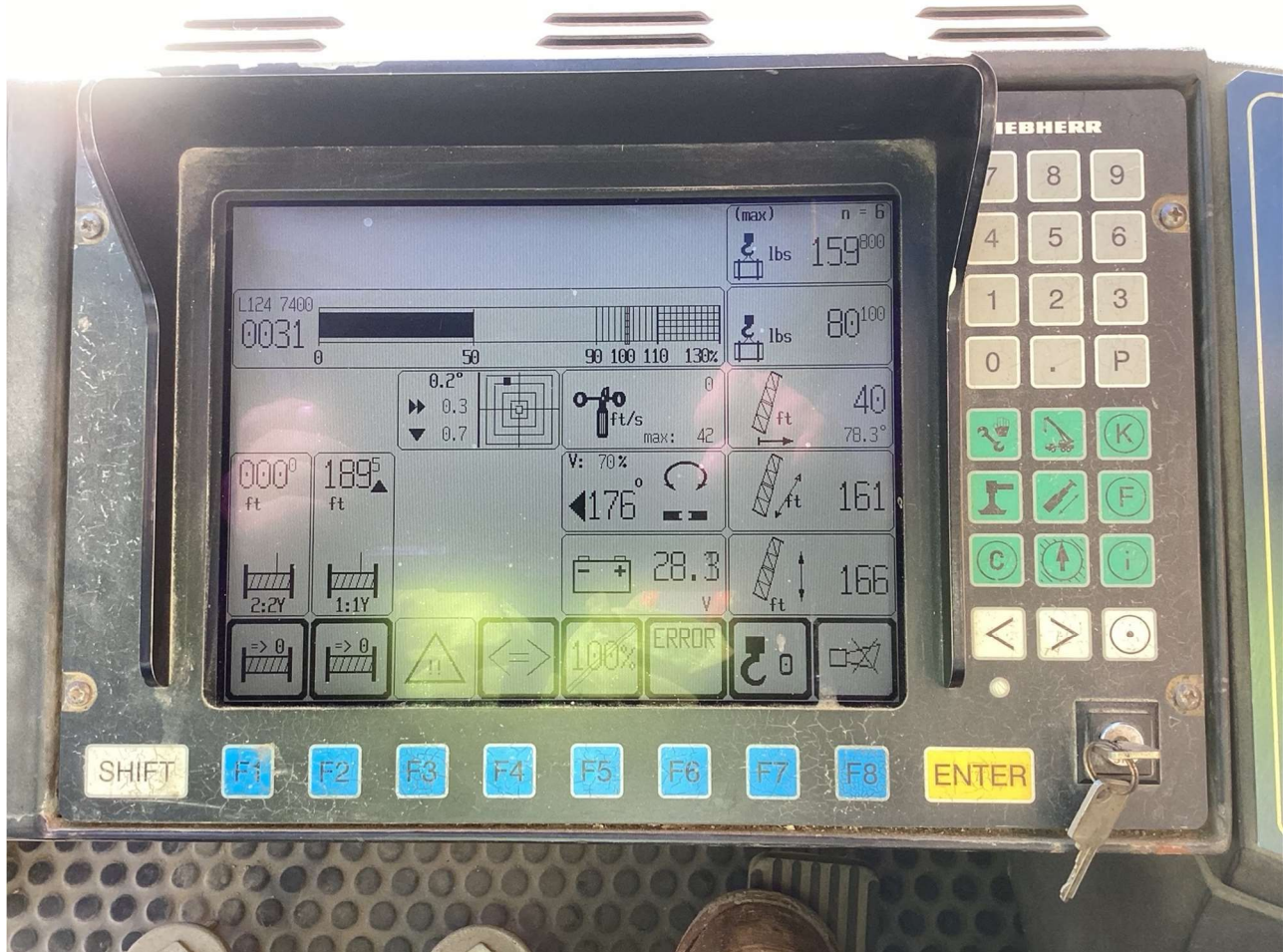
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**Picture 3 – Picture Showing Counterweight Free of the Ground – Full Load Applied to Lifting Rings**

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**Picture 4 – LICCON Screen Showing Full Weight of Counterweight w/ Additional Ballast Free of the Ground – Full Load Applied to Lifting Rings**



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Buckner Heavy lift Load Test Certification

LR-1600 30 TON weight

Date 1-15-25

Name Lr -1600 30 TON Weight

Weight Capacity 30 TON

Load Test

Crane used for test

Hoisting	Load	Boom	Parts of	Rated	Test	% Of Rated
From	Radius	Angle	Line	Capacity	Weight	Capacity
Main Boom	<u>161</u>	<u>40'</u>	<u>78.3</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>159800</u>	<u>79400</u>
Aux Head	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Details: \_\_\_\_\_

Details: \_\_\_\_\_

Rigging Used: 4-17ton shackles / 4-20' gray endless 31K x 4.

Shackles 4-17ton Slings 20' gray endless (31K x 4)

Test weight added on Manitowoc upper side weight Weight 17580 pounds

Pick and hold for 15 min Start Time 2:16 PM End Time 2:32 PM

Inspector's Signature: Zach Wagner Date: 1-15-25

Witnesses Ronald Kimrey

Chad Hooker

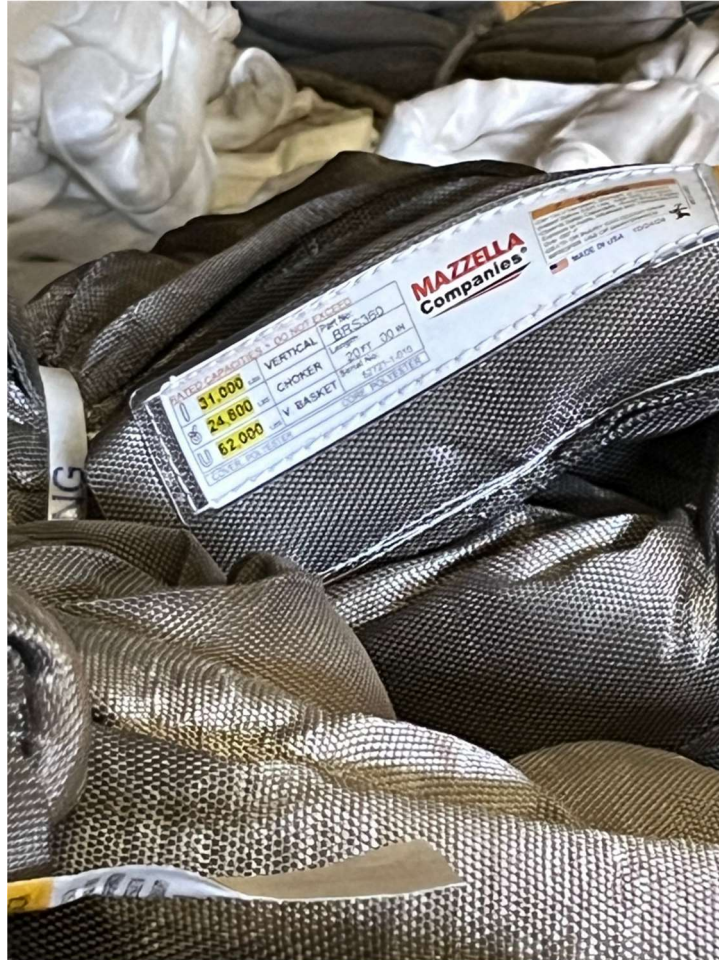
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Picture 5 – Picture of Load test Document Completed at Time of Load Test

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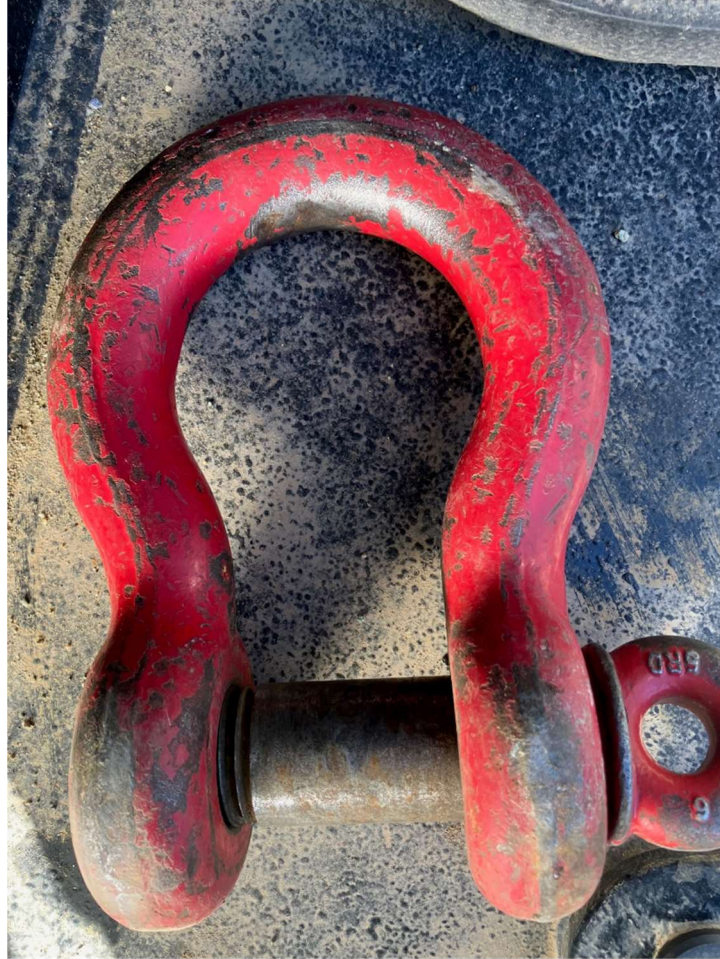


Picture 6 – Picture Documenting Mazella Companies® BRS360 20' Grey Endless Slings ID / Capacity Tag used during the Load Test.

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Picture 7 – Picture Documenting Crosby® 17-Ton Screw Pin Shackle Used in the Load Test



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**Picture 8 – Picture Documenting Crosby® 17-Ton Screw Pin Shackle Used in the Load Test**

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**Picture 12 – Picture Documenting Manitowoc 7.974t (17,580 lb.) Counterweight Used as the Additional Ballast in the Load Test**



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#### In Reference to Exhibits listed below:

- Ken Garner Mfg. Co.
  - Title: 30 mt Carbody Weldment
  - DRWG# 6LB30MTCB-00
- Buckner HeavyLift Cranes
  - Title: LR1600 Ctwt Load Test
  - REV 000 – 12.17.24

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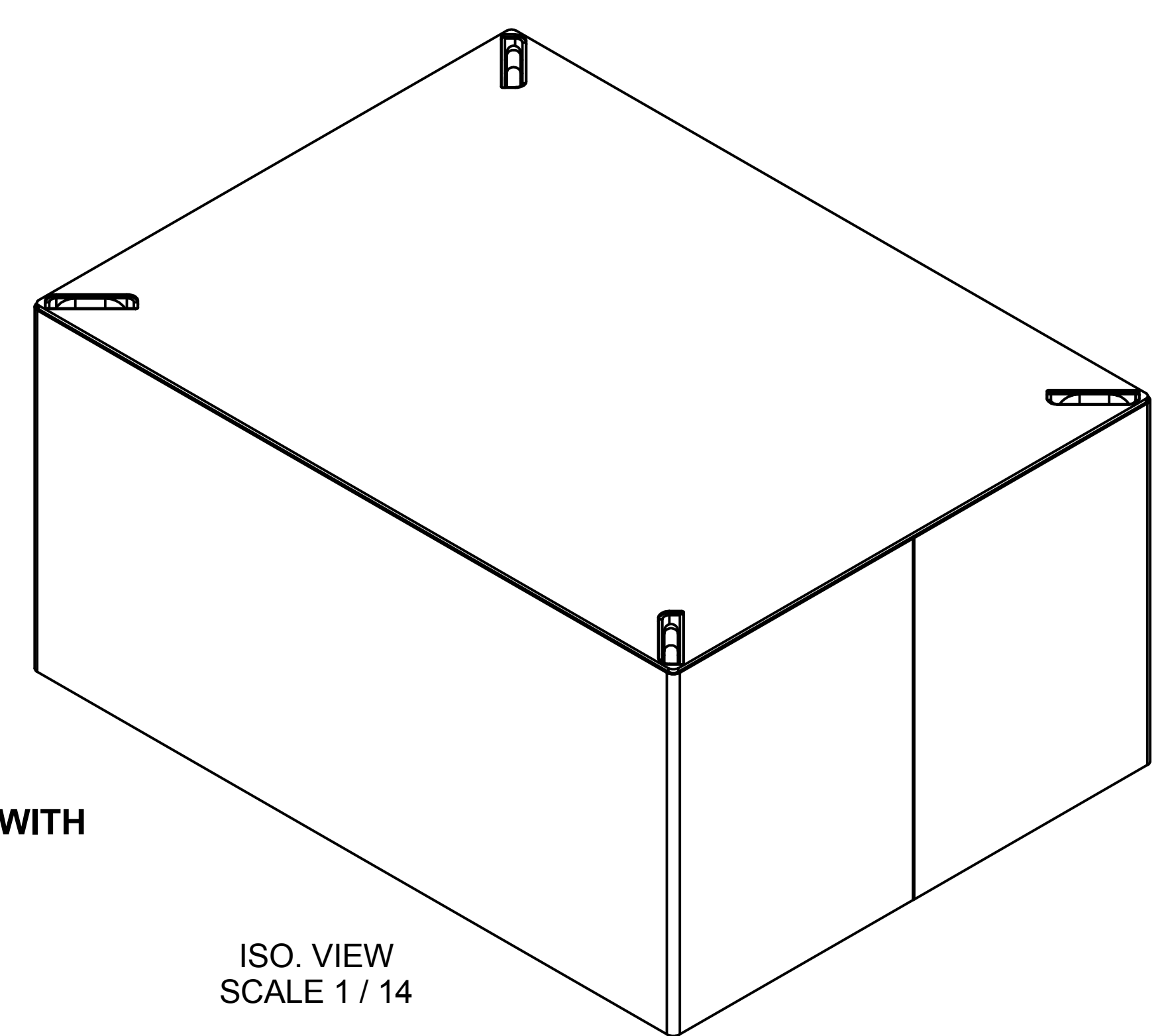
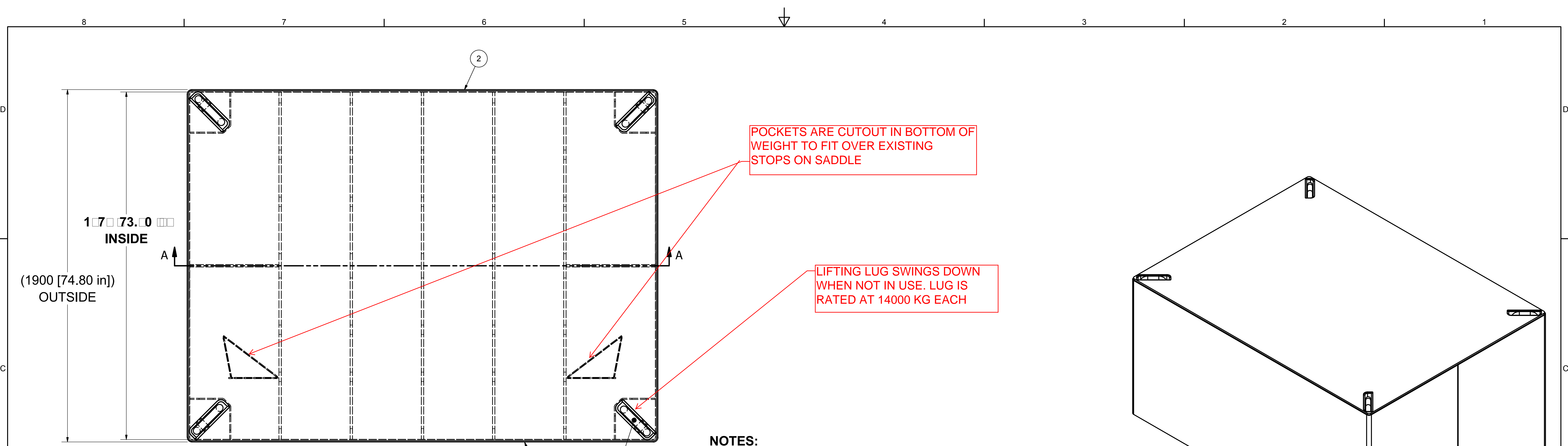
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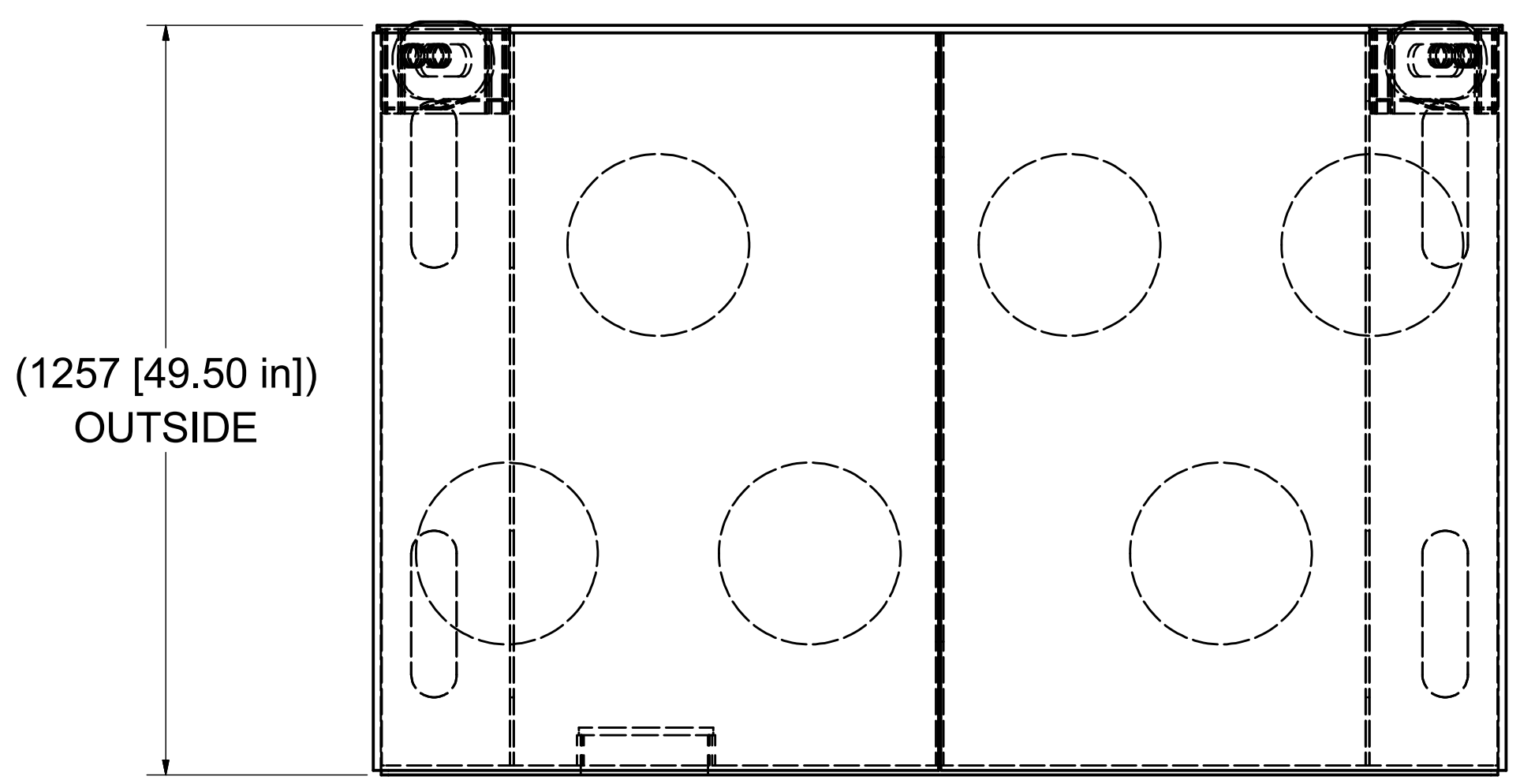
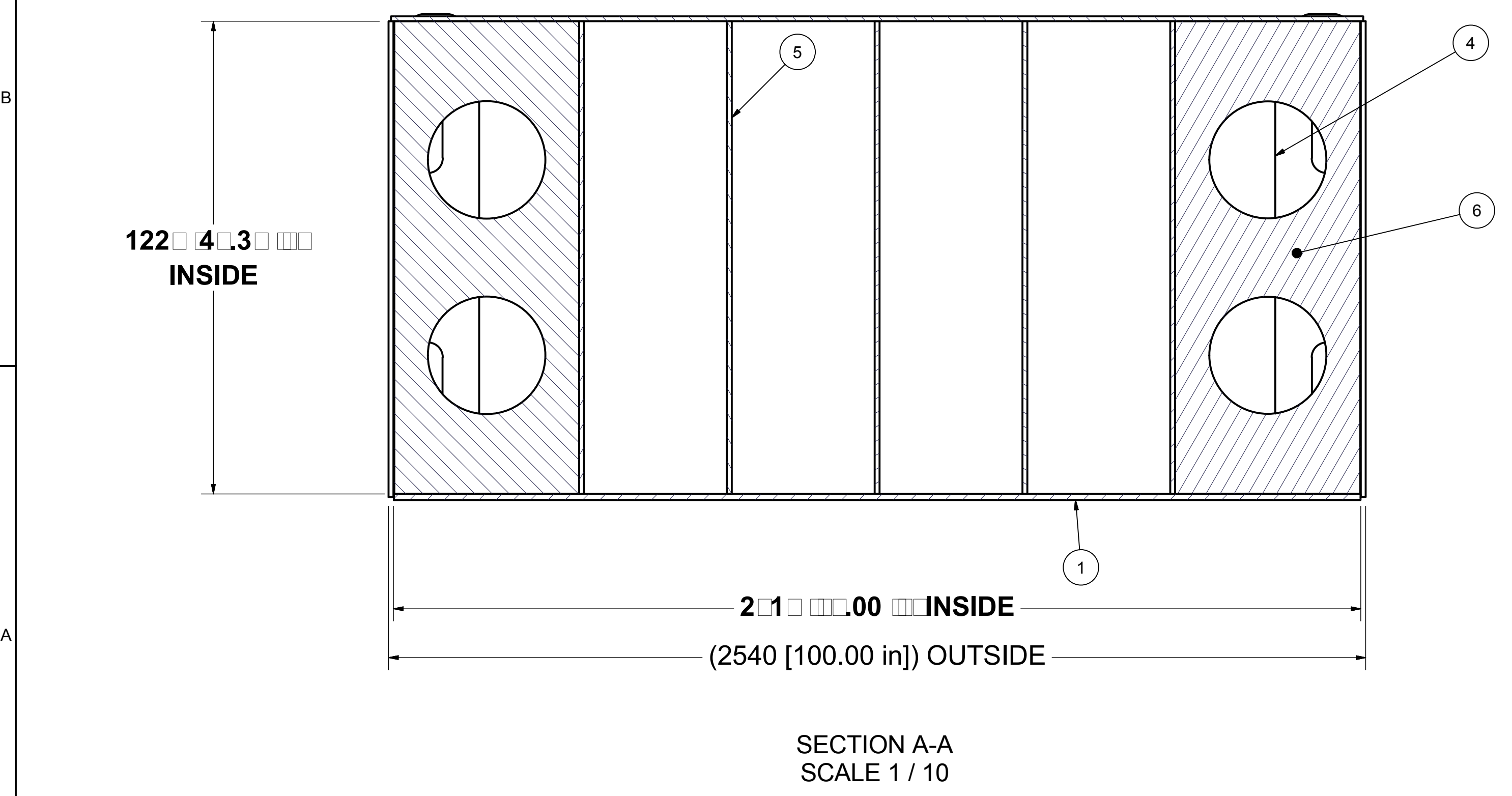




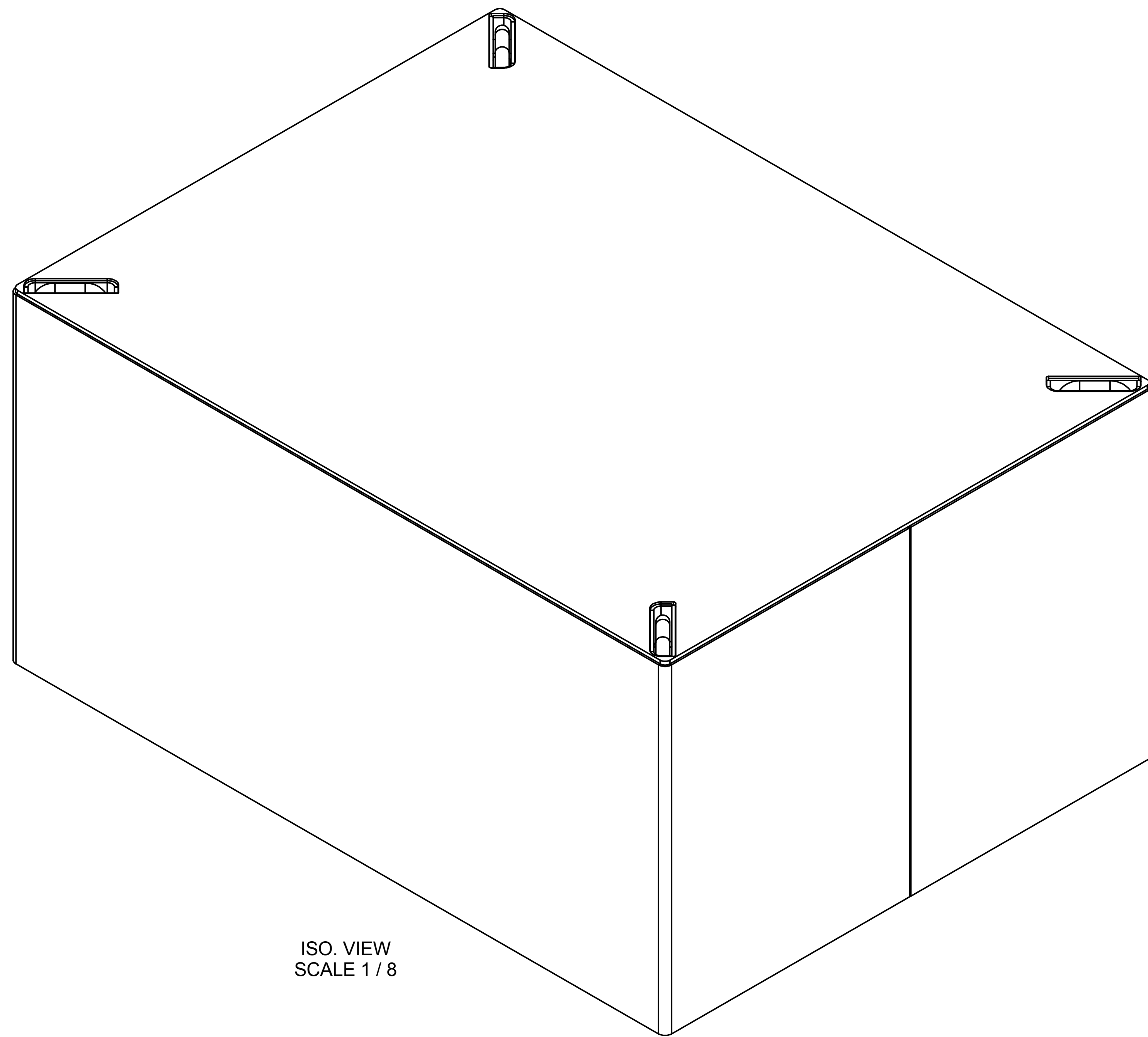
**NOTES:**

- 1. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, ALL SEAMS TO BE WELDED WITH 10 mm WELD
- 2. ALL WELDS TO BE WATERTIGHT
- 3. SHELL WEIGHT: 3272 kg (7214 lb.)


NOMINAL WEIGHT = 30 mT  
TOLERANCE = + 2%



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Do not scale drawing. Dimensions in millimeters. Dimensions in IT are reference only.							DRAWN: RAH		DATE: 12/1/2010		TITLE: 30 mt. CARBODY WELDMENT							
<b>FABRICATIONS</b> 0 - 315 +/- 1 mm 315 - 1000 +/- 1.5 mm 1000 - 2000 +/- 2 mm 2000 - 4000 +/- 3 mm All corners R3 max.			<b>ASSEMBLIES</b> 0 - 500 +/- 1 mm 500 - 2000 +/- 1.5 mm 2000 AND OVER +/- 3 mm		<b>WEIGHT +/- 1%</b> <b>ANGLES +/- 1 DEGREE</b> <b>FINISH 125 RMS</b>		DWG STATUS: WorkInProgress		APPROVED:		CUSTOMER DWG NO.:							
<b>MACHINING</b> RANGE IN mm: OVER 0.5 TO 3, OVER 3 TO 6, OVER 6 TO 30, OVER 30 TO 120, OVER 120 TO 315, OVER 315 TO 1000 TOLERANCE IN mm: +/- 0.1, +/- 0.15, +/- 0.3, +/- 0.5, +/- 0.8, +/- 1.1							DRILLED HOLES UP TO 8 mm DIA. + 0.16 mm		DRILLED HOLES OVER 8 mm DIA. +2% OF DIA.		SIZE: D		SCALE: 1/14		DWG NO: 6LB30MTCB-00		REV:	
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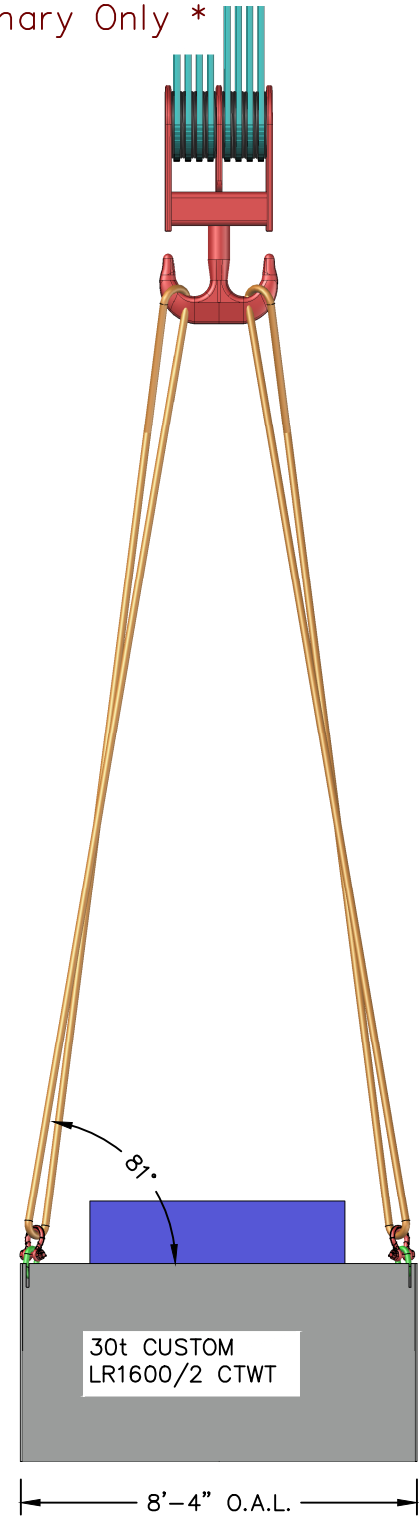
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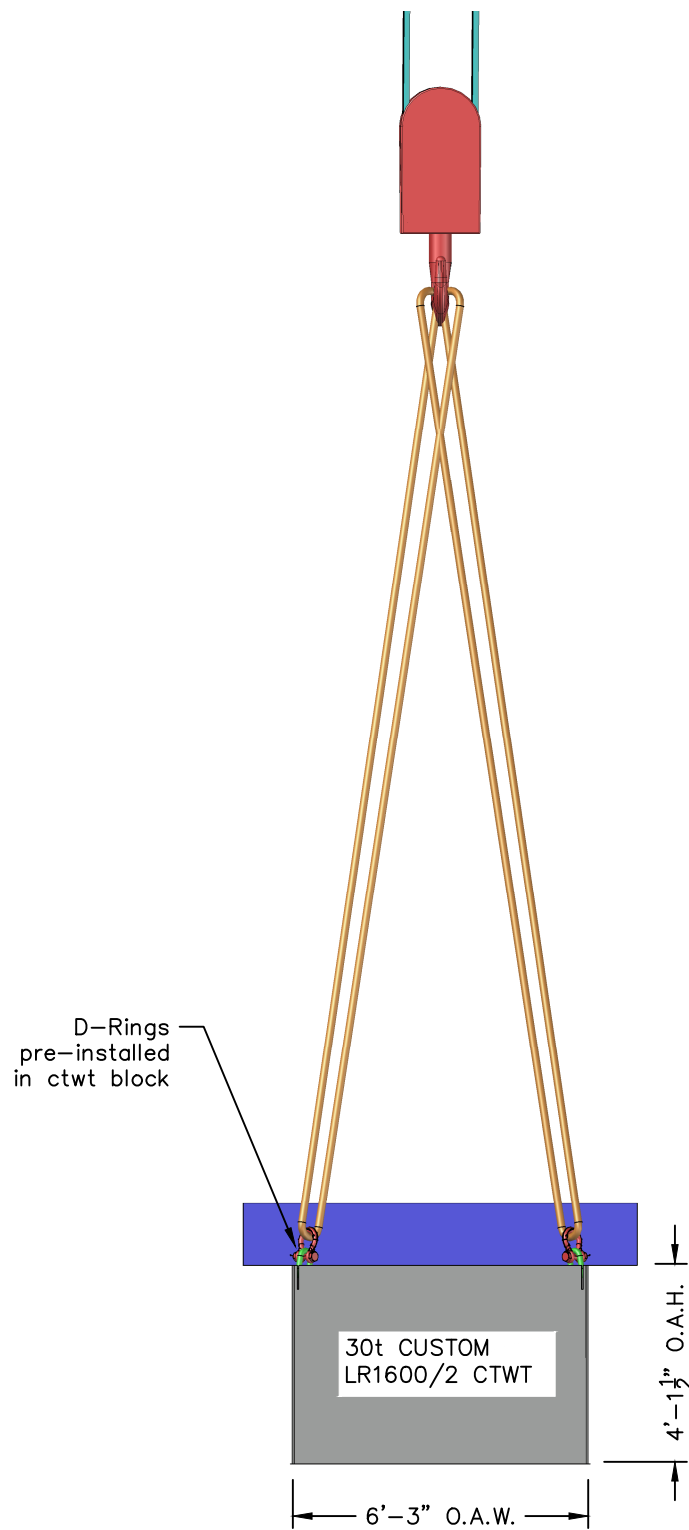




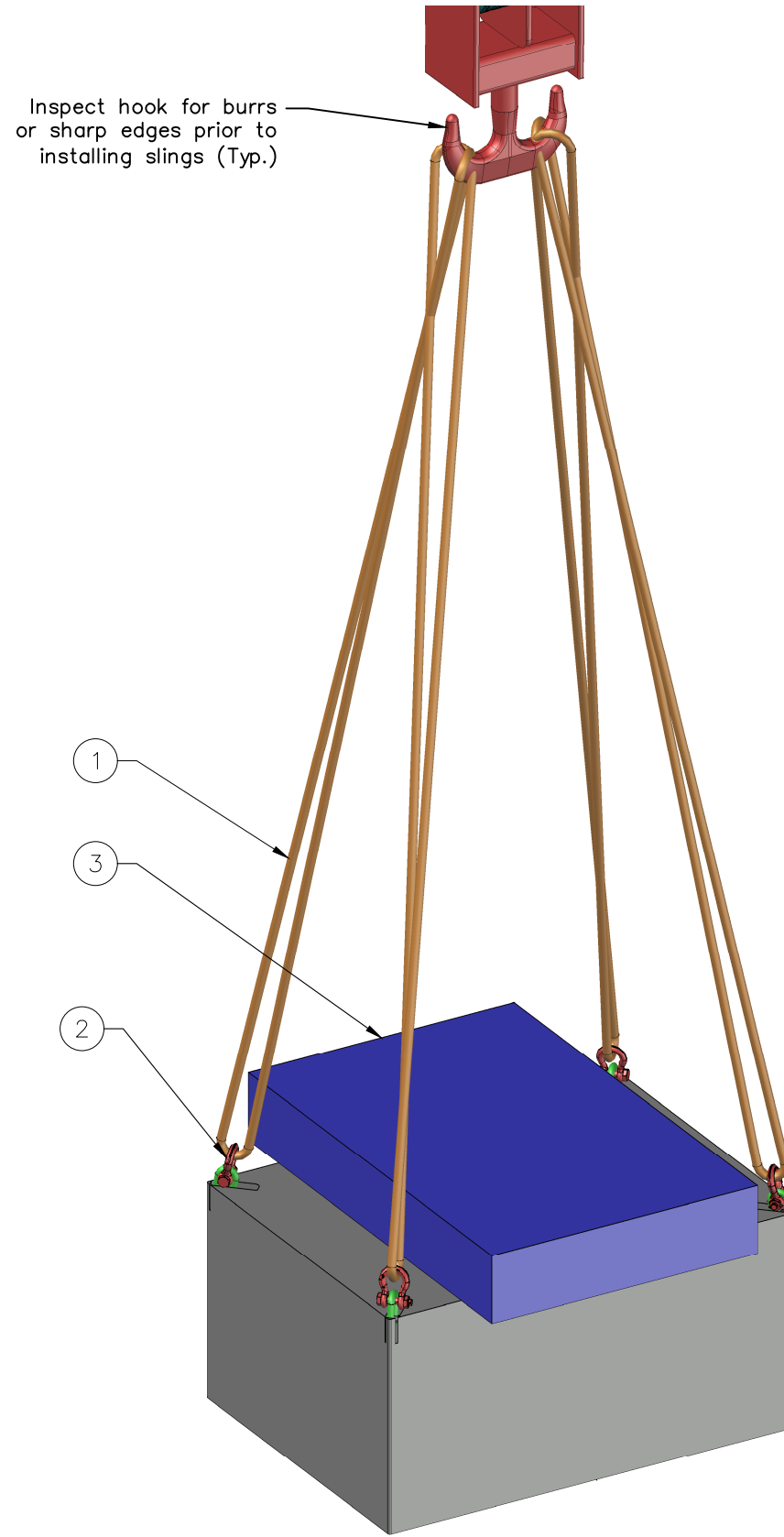
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LIFT PLAN BY: Dallas Snow, PE

DRAWING NOTES:  
Rigging Layout

Rigging Summary					
Mark	Description	Qty	Cap. (Kip)	Load (Kip)	% Cap.
1	31k x 20' Synthetic Sling	4	31.0	28.3	95%
2	17t Shackle	4	37.4	28.3	79%
3	7.974t Manitowoc Ctwt	1			

Sling Tension (Load/3):  
 $V_1 = (30t + 7.974t) * (2.20462t/kip) = 83.8k$   
 $V_1 = 83.8 / 3 = 28k$   
 $T_1 = V_1 / \sin(81^\circ) = 28.3k$

- Notes:
1. Load test shall be performed to approx. 125% of Ctwt weight (30t) ≈ 38t
  2. Rigging shown may be substituted provided SWLL of rigging is not exceeded.
  3. Lift load clear of ground and hold for approx. 5 minutes.

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