

Bridge Factors Factual Report Attachment 37 – Email from Mr. Alan Phipps of FIGG to Mr. Dan Walsh of NTSB dated August 27, 2018

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## Walsh Daniel

**Subject:** Sequence of stressing post-tensioning bars in vertical and diagonal members

From: Phipps, Alan Sent: Monday, August 27, 2018 1:40 PM To: Walsh Daniel

Subject: RE: Sequence of stressing post-tensioning bars in vertical and diagonal members

Dan:

Sorry for the delay - I researched the answer and then forgot to send it to you.

The sequence for stressing the PT bars in the diagonals was provided on sheet B-109 (snapshot of Stage 2 provided below). A specific sequence for the order of stressing the PT bars within a given member was not provided as no specific order was required. There was no specific order for destressing the temporary PT bars in members 2 and 11, just that they could be destressed after the precast Span 1 was placed on the bearings/supports at end bent 1 and the lower pylon.

Hope this helps.

Thanks,

Alan

