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MEMORANDUM TO GROUP LEADERS & CONSULTANTS

SUBJECT: Splicing column reinforcing

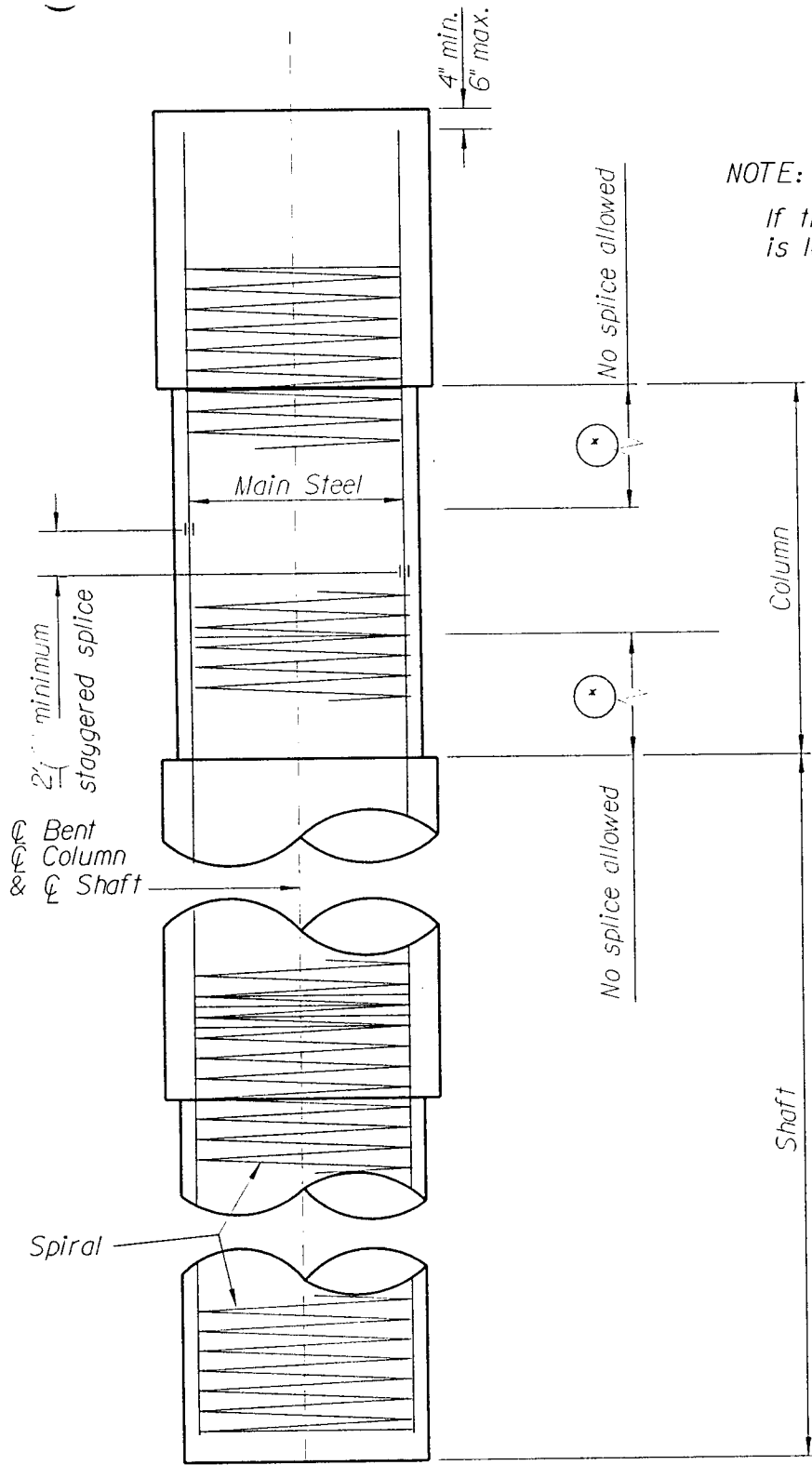
An allowable splice in the main (vertical) steel should be detailed above the shaft and below the cap between the confinement regions in the column. The confinement regions are as defined in design memorandum DM0391. See Figure 1 on the attachment.

This memorandum supplements design memorandum DM0495.

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Attachment:
cc: Assistant Bridge Design Engineers

⊗ Confinement Length



NOTE:

If the distance between confinement lengths is less than 2'-0", a splice is not allowed.

Figure 1