

**PLAN VIEW OF FOOTING**

SIZE	DEPTH (IN.)	FLANGE WIDTH (IN.)
W12 x 26	12	6½
W10 x 26	10	5¾
W10 x 22	10	5¾
W8 x 21	8	5¼
W8 x 18	8	5¼
W6 x 15	6	6
W6 x 12	6	4

**STEEL SHAPES**

**A** (LATERAL SPACING OF ANCHORS)

3 IN. FOR B-525 USED ON 6 IN. AND 8 IN. WIDE FLANGE POSTS  
 4 IN. FOR B-650 USED ON 10 IN., 12 IN., 14 IN.  
 16 IN., 18 IN. AND 21 IN. WIDE FLANGE POSTS

**B** (LONGITUDINAL SPACING OF ANCHORS)

ALWAYS DEPTH OF POST SECTION PLUS 8 IN.

**NOTES:**

- FOOTING SIZE:  
 TYPE 1 TO TYPE 6 FOOTINGS SHOWN ON S-614-6 REQUIRE A 6 IN. INCREASE IN DIAMETER ("D") TO ACCOMMODATE ANCHORS SHOWN ON THIS DETAIL. HORIZONTAL REINFORCING HOOPS SHALL BE INCREASED TO PROVIDE A 2 IN. CLEARANCE FROM OUTSIDE THE FOOTING. REINFORCING AND OTHER STRUCTURAL DATA REMAIN THE SAME. TYPE 7 REQUIRES NO CHANGE.
- A RIGID STEEL TEMPLATE IS RECOMMENDED FOR ANCHOR INSTALLATION. THE ANCHOR SPACING FOR TEMPLATE IS DEPENDENT ON THE SIZE OF THE REQUIRED POSTS AND BRACKETS. SEE "PLAN VIEW OF FOOTING" FOR DETAILS.

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**BILL OF MATERIALS**

ITEM #	DESCRIPTION	QTY/ POST	PART NO.
1	BRACKET, TYPE B525, 6061-T6 ALUMINUM (SEE BRACKET SELECTION TABLE FOR BRACKET NO. 1 THROUGH NO. 3)	2	SBBK525-1A-2A-3A
2	BRACKET HARDWARE ASSEMBLY, TYPE B525, INCLUDES:	1	SB-B525LPH
2a	BOLT 1/2 IN. - 13UNC x 2 1/2 IN., HEX HEAD, ASTM A325, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	4	
2b	BOLT 1/2 IN. - 13UNC x 2 1/2 IN., HEX HEAD, ASTM A325, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	4	
2c	BOLT 1/2 IN. - 13UNC x 3 IN., HEX HEAD, ASTM A325, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	4	
2d	CAP SCREW 1/2 IN. - 13UNC x 1 1/4 IN., HEX HEAD, ASTM A307, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	16	
2e	LOCK WASHER 1/2 IN. ANSI B18-21-1, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	12	
2f	NUT 1/2 IN. - 13UNC, HEAVY HEX, ASTM A563 GR. DH, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	12	
3	COUPLING & SPECIAL BOLT ASSEMBLY, TYPE B, INCLUDES:	1	SB-CBLP
3a	SPECIAL BOLT 1 IN. - 8UNC, ASTM A449, GALVANIZED ASTM A153/B695	4	
3b	COUPLING 1 IN. - 8UNC, LP, AMS 63780*, GALVANIZED ASTM A153, POLYESTER COAT**	4	
3c	SHIM 1 IN. HORSESHOE, 14 GAUGE, GALVANIZED STEEL SHEET	2	
3d	SHIM 1 IN. HORSESHOE, 18 GAUGE, GALVANIZED STEEL SHEET	2	
4	HINGE ASSEMBLY, TYPE B525, INCLUDES:	1	SB-HBI
4a	HINGE PLATE TYPE B525, AISI 4130 STEEL, GALVANIZED ASTM A123	4	
5	HINGE HARDWARE ASSEMBLY, TYPE B, INCLUDES:	1	SB-HHB
5a	BOLT 3/4 IN. - 10UNC x 2 1/4 IN., HEX HEAD, ASTM A325, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	8	
5b	LOCK WASHER 3/4 IN. ANSI B18-21-1, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	8	
5c	NUT 3/4 IN. - 10UNC, HEAVY HEX, ASTM A563 GR. DH, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	8	
6	ANCHOR ASSEMBLY, TYPE B, INCLUDES:	1	SBABPK
6a	ANCHOR 1 IN. - 8UNC, 304 S.S. FERRULE, AISI 1045 ROD, AISI 1008 COIL	4	

\* WITH EXCEPTION TO DECARBURIZATION AND MACROSTRUCTURE CLAUSES.  
 \*\* 2-4 MIL THICK MORTON POWDER COATINGS: 20-7037 POLYESTER POWDER COAT.

**GENERAL NOTES:**

- BREAK-AWAY SUPPORT SYSTEM SHALL MEET ALL REQUIREMENTS OF "AASHTO STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR STRUCTURAL SUPPORTS FOR HIGHWAY SIGNS, LUMINAIRES AND TRAFFIC SIGNALS".
- ALL HARDWARE SHALL BE AMERICAN STANDARD SIZES AND SHALL BE HOT DIP GALVANIZED PER ASTM A153, OR MECHANICALLY GALVANIZED PER ASTM B695.
- FASTENERS, EXCEPT FOR SPECIAL BOLT AND COUPLING, SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH LOCK WASHERS OR LOCKNUTS AND DO NOT HAVE SPECIFIC TORQUE REQUIREMENTS. FASTENERS SHOULD BE MADE AS TIGHT AS POSSIBLE WITH CONVENTIONAL WRENCHES, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
- SQUARE AND LEVEL INDIVIDUAL COMPONENTS TO MINIMIZE NEED FOR SHIMMING.
- STRUCTURAL STEEL TO BE HOT DIP GALVANIZED PER ASTM A123 AFTER FABRICATION.
- NO MORE THAN TWO SHIMS SHALL BE PLACED BENEATH ANY ONE COUPLING AND NO MORE THAN THREE SHIMS BENEATH ANY PAIR OF COUPLINGS.
- SELECT PROPER POST SIZE BY REFERRING TO POST SELECTION TABLES FOR MEDIUM AND LARGE SIGNS.
- SEE BELOW FOR COMPLETE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS.

**INSTALLATION NOTES**

WRENCH SIZES REQUIRED: 3/8 IN., 7/8 IN., 1 1/8 IN., 1 1/4 IN., 1 1/2 IN., 1 3/4 IN., 1 7/8 IN., 1 5/8 IN.

**BRACKET ASSEMBLY:**

- ASSEMBLE BRACKET TO POST WITH BOLTS PROVIDED.
- SQUARE AND TIGHTEN ITEMS 1, 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e & 2f

**ANCHOR ASSEMBLY:**

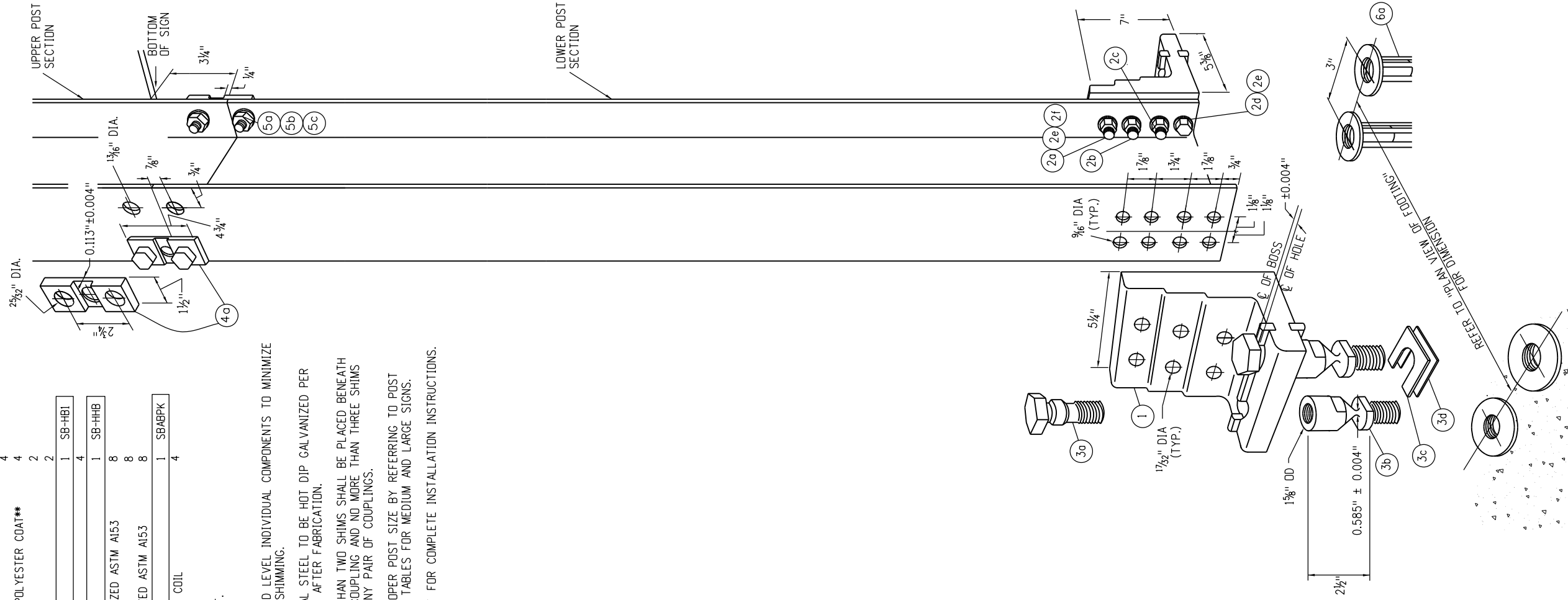
- ASSEMBLE COUPLING ANCHORS (ITEM 60) TO INSTALLATION TEMPLATE (NOT SHOWN). RIGID STEEL TEMPLATE IS RECOMMENDED.
- LOWER ENTIRE ANCHOR ASSEMBLY INTO FRESH CONCRETE, AND VIBRATE INTO POSITION SO THAT THE TOPS OF THE INDIVIDUAL ANCHORS (ITEM 60) ARE FLUSH WITH THE FINISHED TOP SURFACE OF THE FOOTING.

**COUPLING ASSEMBLY:**

- SUSPEND POST OVER FOOTING, AND INSERT SPECIAL BOLTS (ITEM 30) THROUGH BRACKET (ITEM 1).
  - BELOW BRACKET, THREAD COUPLINGS (ITEM 39) INTO ANCHORS (ITEM 60), BUT LEAVE LOOSE.
  - LOWER POST WITH SPECIAL BOLTS (ITEM 30) ONTO LOOSE COUPLINGS (ITEM 39), AND THREAD BOLTS INTO COUPLINGS.
  - THREAD COUPLINGS ALL THE WAY INTO ANCHORS (ITEM 60).
  - TIGHTEN SPECIAL BOLTS (ITEM 30).
- NOTE: DO NOT PLACE TORQUE ACROSS NECKED-DOWN PORTION OF COUPLING -- WRENCH FLATS ARE PROVIDED ON EITHER SIDE FOR PROPER TIGHTENING.
- IF POST IS NOT PLUMB, INSERT SHIMS (ITEMS 3c AND 3d) BETWEEN COUPLINGS (ITEM 39), AND ANCHOR (ITEM 60).

**HINGE ASSEMBLY:**

- BUTT UPPER AND LOWER POSTS TOGETHER ON FLAT SURFACE.
- PLACE HINGE PLATES (ITEM 49) ON OUTER FLANGES, AND SECURE WITH BOLTS (ITEMS 60, 5b, AND 5c) - SNUG, BUT DO NOT TIGHTEN.
- MAKE SURE UPPER AND LOWER POSTS ARE IN ALIGNMENT; THEN TIGHTEN ALL NUTS (ITEM 5c) TO PROOF LOAD -- 1/2 TURN BEYOND SNUG.



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**MULTI-DIRECTIONAL  
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FOR 6-INCH & 8-INCH WF SIGN POST

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4	HINGE ASSEMBLY, TYPE B650, INCLUDES:	4	
4a	HINGE PLATE TYPE B650, AISI 4130 STEEL, GALVANIZED ASTM A123	1	SB-HB2
5	HINGE HARDWARE ASSEMBLY, TYPE B, INCLUDES:	1	SB-HHB
5a	BOLT ¾ IN. - 10UNC x 2¼ IN., HEX HEAD, ASTM A325, GALVANIZED ASTM A153	8	
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**BRACKET ASSEMBLY:**

- ASSEMBLE BRACKET TO POST WITH BOLTS PROVIDED.
- SQUARE AND TIGHTEN ITEMS (1), (2), (3), (4), (5) & (6)

**ANCHOR ASSEMBLY:**

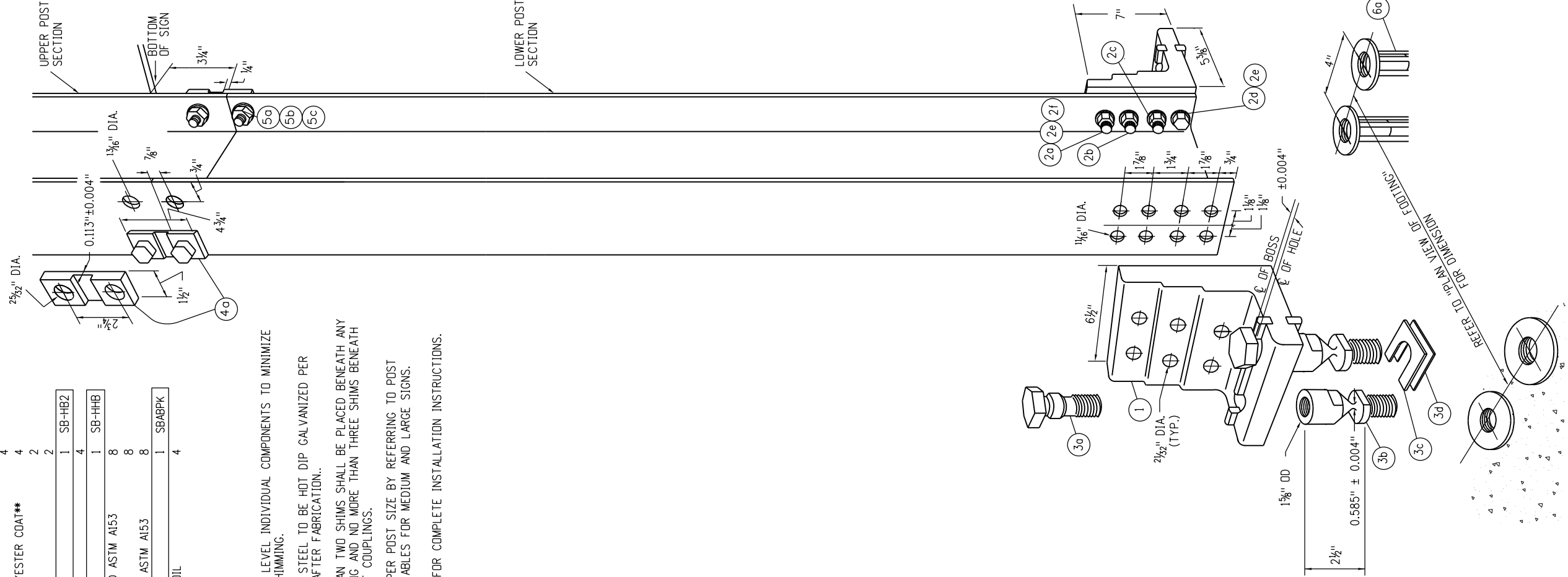
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**COUPLING ASSEMBLY:**

- SUSPEND POST OVER FOOTING, AND INSERT SPECIAL BOLTS (ITEM 3a) THROUGH BRACKET (ITEM 1).
  - BELOW BRACKET, THREAD COUPLINGS (ITEM 3b) INTO ANCHORS (ITEM 6a), BUT LEAVE LOOSE.
  - LOWER POST WITH SPECIAL BOLTS (ITEM 3a) ONTO LOOSE COUPLINGS (ITEM 3b), AND THREAD BOLTS INTO COUPLINGS.
  - THREAD COUPLINGS ALL THE WAY INTO ANCHORS (ITEM 6a).
  - TIGHTEN SPECIAL BOLTS (3a).
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**HINGE ASSEMBLY:**

- BUTT UPPER AND LOWER POSTS TOGETHER ON FLAT SURFACE.
- PLACE HINGE PLATES (ITEM 4a) ON OUTER FLANGES, AND SECURE WITH BOLTS (ITEMS 5a, 5b, AND 5c) - SNUG BUT DO NOT TIGHTEN.
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