RAIL AND RIGGING

Location: El Centro, CA

Date of Work: February 2013

Project: B-5139- Transformers from port

of entry to foundation

HLI railed three of these 160,000 lb transformers from the port of Houston, TX to a rail siding in El Centro, CA. After arriving at the offload rail site, these transformers had to be offloaded from the heavy duty rail cars to over the road tractor trailers for delivery to the substation. The best choice for offloading the rail cars and loading the trailers was by crane. The crane performed each lift at the rail siding and loaded the trailers. Once they were loaded to the transport trailers, the transformers had a short haul to the final destination inside the substation. After a safe arrival at the substation location, they were removed from the transporters using another crane. This put the transformers onto the final pads, ready for assembly and installation.

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