

**Part 1 General**

**1.1 RELATED REQUIREMENTS**

- .1 Section 26 05 00 - Common Work Results for Electrical.

**1.2 SUBMITTALS**

- .1 Submittals in accordance with Section 01 33 00 - Submittal Procedures.
- .2 Manufacturer's instructions, printed product literature and data sheets for communications equipment and include product characteristics, performance criteria, physical size, finish and limitations.

**Part 2 Products**

**2.1 TELEPHONE WIRE**

- .1 Heavy-Duty Drop Wire: 3 No. 14 AWG solid hard-drawn copper, lead-coated, brass-plated conductors with styrene butadiene rubber insulation, neoprene jacket twisted into triple, designed to connect open wire line to cable terminals.
- .2 Service Wire: not applicable.
- .3 Underground Wire: not applicable.
- .4 Ground Wire: 1 No. 10 AWG solid annealed copper conductor with polyvinyl chloride insulation designed for ground connections to protect cable terminals and protectors.

**Part 3 Execution**

**3.1 EXAMINATION**

- .1 Verification of Conditions: verify that conditions of substrate previously installed under other Sections are acceptable for communications equipment installation in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions.
  - .1 Visually inspect substrate in presence of Departmental Representative.
  - .2 Inform Departmental Representative of unacceptable conditions immediately upon discovery.
  - .3 Proceed with installation only after unacceptable conditions have been remedied and after receipt of written approval to proceed from Departmental Representative.

**3.2 INSTALLATION**

- .1 Install telephone wires on pole line by:
  - .1 Stringing conductors over cross arms.
  - .2 Fasten conductors to insulators on first pole.
  - .3 Tighten conductors to achieve correct sag.

- .4 Fasten conductors progressively to insulators on poles until last pole in run is reached.
- .2 Install telephone drop wires from pole lines to buildings using drop wire hooks and cable clamps at pole and at building.
- .3 Install aerial-armoured cables on pole lines by:
  - .1 Anchoring cable to first pole.
  - .2 Stringing cable along pole line.
  - .3 Tightening cable to achieve correct sag using either pulling eyes or wire rope sockets to protect outer sheath.
  - .4 Anchoring cable progressively to each pole until last pole is reached.

### **3.3 PROTECTION**

- .1 Protect installed products and components from damage during construction.
- .2 Repair damage to adjacent materials caused by communications equipment installation.

**END OF SECTION**