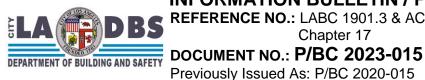
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## **POWER DRIVEN STEEL STUDS IN PRE-STRESSED / POST-TENSIONED CONCRETE ELEMENTS**

Power driven steel studs shall not be used in pre-stressed or post-tensioned concrete.

Exception:

1. Studs with lengths less than the minimum concrete coverage of the tendons can be used when demonstrated by a copy of the original plans detailing the location of all tendons or other pre-approved means of locating tendons to ensure that the use of the power driven studs will not contact the tendons.

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