

**BELL SYSTEM PRACTICES**  
**Outside Plant Construction**  
**and Maintenance**

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## **SUBMARINE CABLE PLACING**

### **GENERAL**

#### **1. GENERAL**

1.01 This addendum supplements the information contained in Part 3 of Section G57.105 on the method of attaching the pulling line to the cable.

#### **Supplementing Part 3 of Section G57.105**

#### **3. ATTACHING PULLING LINE TO CABLE**

3.02 Submarine cables are now shipped with the armor wires at the outer end of the reel extending about 4 feet beyond the end of the sheath. This method of terminating the armor wires should facilitate attaching the pulling line to the cable. The line should be attached to the cable as follows: The armor wires should be threaded through a steel ring so that the ring is about 2 feet from the end of the sheath. The wires should be bent back on themselves and lashed together with construction wire. The pulling line should be attached to the ring by means of a connecting link. Where it is desired to attach the pulling line to the cable by one of the other methods covered in Section G57.105, the armor wires should be cut off at the end of the sheath.