

LOCATION

Branchburg, NJ

DATE OF WORK

January 2015

PROJECT

B-7352

Transformer from US border to foundation







J-140033



HLI received this 152,520 lbs transformer loaded and secured onto a 4 axle railcar in Laredo, TX. After the installation of GPS and impact recorder, the unit followed a northeastern route from its point of entry on the Mexico-Texas border to the town in New Jersey it was manufactured to call home. When the transformer had reached the rail siding in Flemington, NJ, the rigging crew lifted it from the railcar with a crane and loaded it onto a 3 deck 3 modular trailer.



The crew carefully hauled the transformer the short distance from the rail siding to a nearby storage yard where the unit would reside until it is needed. Once adjacent to the temporary receiving pad, the crane lifted the transformer again, this time off the trailer, and placed it gently onto the pad. The entire job was completed safely, within schedule, and without incident.



