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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Research and Special Programs Administration

Office of Hazardous Materials Safety; Notice of Applications for Exemptions

AGENCY: Research and Special Programs Administration, DOT.

ACTION: List of applicants for exemptions.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the procedures governing the application

for, and the processing of, exemptions from the Department of Transportation's Hazardous Materials Regulations (49 CFR part 107, subpart B), notice is hereby given that the Office of Hazardous Materials Safety has received the applications described herein. Each mode of transportation for which a particular exemption is requested is indicated by a number in the "Nature of Application" portion of the table below as follows: 1—Motor vehicle, 2—Rail freight, 3—Cargo vessel, 4—Cargo aircraft only, 5—Passenger-carrying aircraft.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before July 25, 2003.

ADDRESS COMMENTS TO: Records Center, Research and Special Programs Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, Washington, DC 20590. Comments should refer to the application number and be submitted in

triplicate. If confirmation of receipt of comments is desired, include a self-addressed stamped postcard showing the exemption application number.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Copies of the applications (*see* Docket Number) are available for inspection at the New Docket Management Facility, PL-401, at the U.S. Department of Transportation, Nassif Building, 400 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20590 or at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

This notice of receipt of applications for new exemptions is published in accordance with Part 107 of the Federal hazardous materials transportation law (49 U.S.C. 5117(b); 49 CFR 1.53(b)).

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NEW EXEMPTIONS

Application No.	Docket No.	Applicant	Regulation(s) affected	Nature of exemption thereof
13234-N	Quest Diagnostics, Inc. Collegeville, PA.	49 CFR 178.503(f)	To authorize the transportation in commerce of a specially designed packaging made of semi-rigid polyester fabric with polyvinyl chloride backing for use in transporting Division 6.2 hazardous materials. (modes 1, 4)
13244-N	Kihei Industries Houston, TX.	49 CFR 173.302, 173.306(b)(4), 175.3.	To authorize the manufacture, mark, sale and use of non-DOT specification containers described as hermetically-sealed electron tubes for use in transporting Division 2.2 hazardous materials. (modes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
13245-N	Piper Impact New Albany, MS.	49 CFR 173.302(a)(1), 175.3.	To authorize the manufacture, mark, sale and use of non-DOT specification cylinders similar to DOT Specification 39 cylinders for use in transporting Division 2.2 hazardous materials. (modes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
13246-N	McLane Company, Inc. Temple, TX.	49 CFR 172.102 N10, 173.22, 173.308(b), 178.3, 178.503, 178.517, 178.601.	To authorize the transportation in commerce of cigarette lighters, for which approval has been obtained by the lighter manufactures under 49 CFR 173.21(i), in reusable plastic totes. (mode 1)
13249-N	Creative Engineers, Inc. Gisonia, PA.	49 CFR 173.211, 173.34(e).	To authorize the transportation in commerce of certain Division 4.3 hazardous materials in DOT-4BW240 cylinders. (modes 1, 2, 3, 4)
13251-N	Department of Defense Fort Eustis, VA.	49 CFR 172.301(c), 173.302(a).	To authorize the one-time roundtrip transportation in commerce of six non-DOT specification cylinders containing a Division 2.2 compressed gas. (modes 1, 3)
13252-N	Department of Defense Fort Eustis, VA.	49 CFR 172, subparts D&E, 172.400(a)(5), 173.25(a)(2).	To authorize the one-time transportation in commerce of specially designed non-bulk containers containing mercury, Class 8 overpacked in wooden box pallets. (mode 1)
13253-N	H. Koch & Sons Anaheim, CA.	49 CFR 173.62	To authorize the transportation in commerce of a specially designed device for use in transporting Division 1.4S hazardous materials. (mode 5)
13257-N	Pharmacia Corp. Kalamazoo, MI.	49 CFR 172.301(a), (b) & (c), 173.196, subpart C of part 172.	To authorize the transportation in commerce of certain infectious substances in specially designed packaging. (mode 1)

NEW EXEMPTIONS—Continued

Application No.	Docket No.	Applicant	Regulation(s) affected	Nature of exemption thereof
13259-N	Pressure Vessel Technologies, Inc. Warren, WI.	49 CFR 173.302, 173.304a(a).	To authorize the manufacture, marking, sale and use of non-DOT specification cylinders conforming with all regulations applicable to a DOT Specification 3E cylinder for use in transporting non-liquefied gases classed in Division 2.1, 2.2 and 2.3. (modes 1, 2)

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Research and Special Program Administration

Office of Hazardous Materials Safety;
Notice of Applications for Modification of Exemption

AGENCY: Research and Special Programs Administration, DOT.

ACTION: List of applications for modification of exemptions.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the procedures governing the application for, and the processing of, exemptions from the Department of Transportation's hazardous Materials Regulations (49 CFR part 107, subpart B), notice is hereby given that the Office of Hazardous Materials Safety has received

the applications described herein. This notice is abbreviated to expedite docketing and public notice. Because the sections affected, modes of transportation, and the nature of application have been shown in earlier **Federal Register** publications, they are not repeated here. Requests for modifications of exemptions (*e.g.* to provide for additional hazardous materials, packaging design changes, additional mode of transportation, etc.) are described in footnotes to the application number. Application numbers with the suffix "M" denote a modification request. These applications have been separated from the new applications for exemptions to facilitate processing.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before July 10, 2003.

ADDRESS COMMENTS TO: Records Center, Research and Special Programs Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, Washington, DC 20590.

Comments should refer to the application number and be submitted in triplicate. If confirmation of receipt of comments is desired, include a self-addressed stamped postcard showing the exemption number.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Copies of the applications are available for inspection in the Records Center, Nassif Building, 400 7th Street, SW., Washington, DC or at <http://dms.dot.gov>.

This notice of receipt of applications for modification of exemptions is published in accordance with part 107 of the Federal hazardous materials transportation law (49 U.S.C. 5117(b); 49 CFR 1.53(b)).

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Application No.	Docket No.	Applicant	Modification of exemption
7465-M	State of Alaska (Dept. of Transp. & Public Facil.), Juneau, AK (See footnote 1).	7465
10631-M .....	.....	Hq. MTMC Operations Center, Fort Eustis, VA (See footnote 2)	10631
10915-M .....	.....	Luxfer Gas Cylinders (Composite Cylinder Division), Riverside, CA (See footnote 3).	10915
11073-M .....	.....	E.I. DuPont de Nemours and Company, Inc., Wilmington, DE (See footnote 4).	11073
11537-M .....	.....	Burlington Chemical Co., Inc., Burlington, NC (See footnote 5) ..	11537
12155-M	RSPA-98-4558	S&C Electric Company, Chicago, IL (See footnote 6)	12155
12442-M	RSPA-00-7208	Cryogenic Vessel Alternatives, Mont Belvieu, TX (See footnote 7).	12442
12629-M	RSPA-01-8853	Western Sales & Testing of Amarillo, Inc., Amarillo, TX (See footnote 8).	12629
12779-M	RSPA-01-10554	Matheson Tri-Gas, Parsippany, NJ (See footnote 9)	12779
12855-M	RSPA-01-10914	KRATON Polymers U.S. LLC (Belpre Plant), Belpre, OH (See footnote 10).	12855
13057-M	RSPA-02-12819	Minerals Technologies, Inc., Easton, PA (See footnote 11)	13057
13088-M	RSPA-02-13042	Electron Transfer Technologies, Inc., Edison, NJ (See footnote 12).	13088
13207-M	RSPA-03-15068	BEI Hawaii, Honolulu, HI (See footnote 13)	13207

(1) To modify the exemption to authorize the construction and use of an additional stowage vessel for the transportation of vehicles with attached cylinders of liquefied petroleum gas.

(2) To modify the exemption to authorize a change to the driving experience requirement when transporting certain Class 8 and Division 6.1 materials in DOT Specification MC-338 cargo tanks and to update various paragraphs to coincide with the Hazardous Materials Regulations as currently written.

(3) To modify the exemption to authorize eliminating the virgin burst mode sidewall initiation requirement and the directional stress load distribution restrictions for the non-DOT specification fully wrapped carbon-fiber reinforced aluminum lined cylinders.

(4) To modify the exemption to authorize the transportation of an additional Class 8 material in DOT Class 112S tank cars.

(5) To modify the exemption to authorize the transportation of additional Class 8 materials in UN31H2 or UN31HA1 Intermediate Bulk Containers.

(6) To modify the exemption to authorize new design change devices and higher service pressure for the non-DOT specification pressure vessel.