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400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590

Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

DOT-SP 11394 (FIFTH REVISION)

EXPIRATION DATE: May 31, 2010

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR § 107.109)

1. <u>GRANTEE</u>: Amtrol, Inc. West Warwick, Rhode Island

2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATIONS:

a. This special permit authorizes the manufacture, mark, sale and use of a non-DOT specification cylinder conforming with all regulations applicable to a DOT specification 4BA cylinder, except as specified herein, for the transportation in commerce of the materials authorized by this special permit. This special permit provides no relief from any Hazardous Materials Regulation (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein.

b. The safety analyses performed in development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with transportation in commerce.

- 3. <u>REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED</u>: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
- 4. <u>REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED</u>: 49 CFR §§ 173.302a(a), 173.304a(a) and (d), in that a non-DOT specification cylinder is not authorized, except as specified herein.
- 5. <u>BASIS</u>: This special permit is based on the application of Amtrol Inc., dated May 24, 2006, submitted in accordance with § 107.109.

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6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR § 172.101):

Hazardous Material Description				
Proper Shipping Name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identi- fication Number	Packing Group	
All hazardous materials currently authorized for transportation in DOT specification 4BA cylinders.	As appro- priate	As appro- priate	As appro- priate	

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

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a. <u>PACKAGING</u> - Packaging prescribed is a non-DOT specification cylinder in conformance with DOT Specification 4BA (§ 178.51) except as follows:

§ 178.51(b) Steel. ASTM A 240 Types 304L, or 316L stainless steels having the following composition are authorized:

	Composition (%)	
Stainless steel	304L	316L
Carbon (Max.)	0.03	0.03
Manganese (Max.)	2.00	2.00
Phosphorus (Max.)	0.045	0.045
Sulphur (Max.)	0.030	0.030
Silicon (Max.)	1.00	1.00
Nickel	8.0-11.0	10.0-14.0
Chromium	18.0-20.0	16.0-18.0
Molybdenum		2.0-3.0
Copper (Max.)		0.50
Iron	Balance	Balance

§ 178.51(f) Wall thickness.

(1) * * *

(iii) 35,000 psi, except for stainless steel which may not exceed 45,000.

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§ 178.51(g) Heat treatment.

(1) Heat treatment is not required for ASTM A 240 Type 304L or 316L stainless steel.

§ 178.51(n) Marking.

Applies except that "DOT-SP 11394" must be used in place of "DOT 4BA" followed by the service pressure.

b. <u>TESTING</u> – Each cylinder must be reinspected and retested in accordance with § 180.209 as prescribed for DOT 4BA cylinders.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

a. In accordance with the provisions of Paragraph (b) of § 173.22a, persons may use the packaging authorized by this special permit for the transportation of the hazardous materials specified in paragraph 6, only in conformance with the terms of this special permit.

b. A person who is not a holder of this special permit, but receives a package covered by this special permit, may reoffer it for transportation provided no modifications or changes are made to the package and it is offered for transportation in conformance with this special permit and the HMR.

c. A current copy of this special permit must be maintained at each facility where the package is offered or reoffered for transportation.

d. Each packaging manufactured under the authority of this special permit must be marked with a <u>registration symbol</u> designated by the Office of Hazardous Materials Special Permits and Approvals for a specific manufacturing facility.

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e. A current copy of this special permit must be maintained at each facility where the package is manufactured under this special permit. It must be made available to a DOT representative upon request.

f. Packages permanently marked 'DOT-E 11394', prior to October 1, 2007 may continue to be used under this special permit for the remaining service life of the packaging or until the special permit is no longer valid. Packages marked on or after October 1, 2007 must be marked 'DOT-SP 11394'.

g. Shipping papers displaying 'DOT-E 11394' may continue to be used until October 1, 2007, provided the special permit remains valid.

- 9. <u>MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED</u>: Motor vehicle, rail freight and cargo vessel.
- 10. <u>MODAL REQUIREMENTS</u>: A current copy of this special permit must be carried aboard each cargo vessel used to transport packages covered by this special permit.
- 11. <u>COMPLIANCE</u>: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this special permit and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation law, 49 U.S.C. 5101 <u>et seq</u>:
 - All terms and conditions prescribed in this special permit and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
 - Persons operating under the terms of this special permit must comply with the security plan requirement in Subpart I of Part 172 of the HMR, when applicable.
 - o Registration required by § 107.601 et seq., when
 applicable.

Each "Hazmat employee", as defined in § 171.8, who performs a function subject to this special permit must receive training on the requirements and conditions of this special permit in addition to the training required by §§ 172.700 through 172.704.

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No person may use or apply this special permit, including display of its number, when this special permit has expired or is otherwise no longer in effect.

Under Title VII of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)- 'The Hazardous Materials Safety and Security Reauthorization Act of 2005' (Pub. L. 109-59), 119 Stat. 1144 (August 10, 2005), amended the Federal hazardous materials transportation law by changing the term 'exemption' to 'special permit' and authorizes a special permit to be granted up to two years for new special permits and up to four years for renewals.

12. <u>REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:</u> Shipments or operations conducted under this special permit are subject to the Hazardous Materials Incident Reporting requirements specified in 49 CFR §§ 171.15 - Immediate notice of certain hazardous materials incidents, and 171.16 - Detailed hazardous materials incident reports. In addition, the grantee(s) of this special permit must notify the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.

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Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, Washington, D.C. 20590. Attention: PHH-31.

Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp_app/special_permits/spec_perm_index.htm Photo reproductions and legible reductions of this special permit are permitted. Any alteration of this special permit is prohibited.

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