

U.S. Department of Transportation

Research and Special Programs Administration 400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590

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DOT-E 10534

- 1. Olin Corporation, Winchester Division, East Alton, Illinois, is hereby granted an exemption from certain provisions of this Department's Hazardous Materials Regulations to offer packages prescribed herein of the hazardous materials described in paragraph 3 below for transportation in commerce, subject to the limitations and special requirements specified herein. This exemption authorizes shipment of scrap shotshell ammunitions in non-DOT specification packaging from East Alton, Illinois to Cadet, Missouri and provides no relief from any regulation other than as specifically stated.
- 2. <u>BASIS</u>. This exemption is based on Olin Corporation's application dated January 8, 1991 with supplemental letter dated March 28, 1991 submitted in accordance with 49 CFR 107.103 and the public proceeding thereon.
- 3. <u>HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (Descriptor and class)</u>. Scrap shotshell ammunitions; classed as Class C explosive.
- 4. PROPER SHIPPING NAME (49 CFR 172.101). Small arms ammunition.
- 5. REGULATION AFFECTED. 49 CFR 173.101.
- 6. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED. Motor vehicle.
- 7. <u>SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES</u>. Packaging prescribed is a non-DOT specification steel "Tapered Bath-Tub" type bulk container as specified in the photographs submitted with the application. The scrap shotshell ammunitions are loaded loose into the bulk container and securely covered with a tarpaulin to prevent loss of product in transit.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

- a. Only small arms ammunitions that are approved by this Office and are not seriously damaged to the extent of exposing explosive charges are authorized for shipment under the terms of this exemption.
- b. A copy of this exemption must be carried aboard each motor vehicle used to transport packages covered by this exemption.

- c. The container must be marked with DOT-E 10534 and placarded with the "Dangerous" placard.
- d. Drivers must have been instructed as to necessary safeguards and proper procedures in the event of unusual delay, fire or accident.
- e. This exemption only authorizes shipment of scrap shotshell ammunitions from East Alton, Illinois to Cadet, Missouri.
- f. Carriers operating under the terms of this exemption must hold a "Conditional" or "Satisfactory" safety rating, as prescribed in Part 385 of 49 CFR.
- 9. <u>REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:</u> Any incident involving fire, explosion or loss of packaging contents or packaging failure must be reported to the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety as soon as practicable.
- 10. EXPIRATION DATE. May 1, 1993.

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