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Research and Special Programs Administration

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- 1. Goex, Inc., of Cleburne, Texas, is hereby granted an exemption from certain provisions of this Department's Hazardous Materials Regulations to offer packages prescribed herein of a Class C explosive for transportation in commerce subject to the limitations and special requirements specified herein. This exemption authorizes the transportation of a fire extinguisher device containing 20 grams of a Class C explosive, and provides no relief from any regulation other than as specifically stated.
- 2. BASIS. This exemption is based on an Goex, Incorporated's application dated April 30, 1988, and supplemental letter of July 15, 1988, submitted in accordance with 49 CFR 107.103 and the public proceeding thereon.
- 3. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (Descriptor and class). A device consisting of two 10 gram pellets of pentolite buried in a container filled with 25 pounds of sodium bicarbonate or monoammonium phosphate.
- 4. PROPER SHIPPING NAME (49 CFR 172.101). Explosive, Class C, n.o.s.
- REGULATION AFFECTED. 49 CFR 172.101, 175.30.
- 6. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED. Motor vehicle, rail freight, passenger-carrying aircraft, cargo-aircraft only.
- 7. <u>SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES</u>. Packaging prescribed is a strong fiberboard box constructed of at least 200 pound test. This packaging must comply with applicable paragraphs of 49 CFR 173.24. Devices may not contain any detonators or detonating primers.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

- a. Persons who receive packages covered by this exemption may reship them pursuant to the provisions of 49 CFR 173.22a.
- b. A copy of this exemption must be carried aboard each motor vehicle and aircraft, used to transport packages covered by this exemption.
- c. Drivers must have been instructed as to necessary safeguards and proper procedure in the event of unusual delay, fire, or accident.
- 9. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. Any incident involving loss of contents of a package must be reported to the Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation as soon as practicable.

10. EXPIRATION DATE. June 30, 1990.

Issued at Washington, D.C.:

Alan I. Roberts

Director

Office of Hazardous Materials

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Address all inquiries to: Director, Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation, Research and Special Programs Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, Washington, D.C. 20590. Attention: Exemptions Branch.

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