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(SEVENTH REVISION)

EXPIRATION DATE: October 31, 2006

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR § 107.109)

1. GRANTEE: Invista S.a.r.l
Charlotte, North Carolina
(Former Grantee: Arteva Specialities,
S.a.r.l.(d/b/a KoSa))
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION:
 - a. This exemption authorizes the loading and unloading of cargo tanks containing liquid elevated temperature material (dimethyl terephthalate), with an attendant present at all times, but not within 25 feet, as required in HMR. This exemption provides no relief from any Hazardous Materials Regulation (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein.
 - b. The safety analyses performed in development of this exemption only considered the hazards and risks associated with transportation in commerce.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 177.834(i)(3).
5. BASIS: This exemption is based on the application of Invista S.a.r.l., dated November 2, 2004, 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	Identification Number	Packing Group
Elevated temperature liquid flammable n.o.s., with flash point above 37.8C, at or above its flash point (Dimethyl terephthalate)	3	UN3256	III

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

a. Cargo tanks equipped with bottom discharge valves must have a means to prevent loss of contents from the cargo tank discharge valve.

b. A manual valve must be located at each loading/unloading station to be used to stop the flow of material when necessary.

c. An attendant must be present within 57 ft. of the loading and unloading of the elevated temperature material.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

A current copy of this exemption must be maintained at the loading/unloading facility.

9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED: Motor vehicle.10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: No modal-specific requirements are required by this exemption.11. COMPLIANCE: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this exemption and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation law, 49 U.S.C. 5101 et seq:

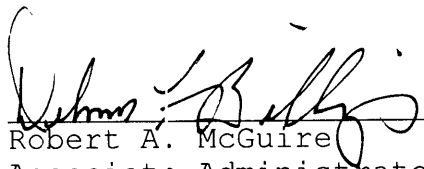
- o All terms and conditions prescribed in this exemption and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
- o Persons operating under the terms of this exemption must comply with the security plan requirement in Subpart I of Part 172 of the HMR, when applicable.
- o Registration required by § 107.601 et seq., when applicable.

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

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

12. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: The carrier is required to report any incident involving loss of packaging contents or packaging failure to the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety (AAHMS) as soon as practicable. (Sections 171.15 and 171.16 apply to any activity undertaken under the authority of this exemption.) In addition, the holder(s) of this exemption must inform the AAHMS, in writing, of any incident involving the package and shipments made under the terms of this exemption.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:

for 

 Robert A. McGuire
 Associate Administrator for
 Hazardous Materials Safety

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 (DATE)

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

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