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Washington, D.C. 20590

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EXPIRATION DATE: July 31, 2005

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR § 107.109)

1. GRANTEE: BioLab, Inc.
Lawrenceville, Ga
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION:
 - a. This exemption authorizes the transportation in commerce of a corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. in a vented intermediate bulk container. This exemption provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations (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. The safety analyses did not consider the hazards and risks associated uses not associated with transportation in commerce.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 173.24(g)(4) in that a vented intermediate bulk container is not authorized, except as specified herein.
5. BASIS: This exemption is based on the application of BioLab, Inc. dated July 24, 2003, submitted in accordance with § 107.109.
6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR § 172.101):

Hazardous Materials Description			
Proper Shipping Name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identi- fication Number	Packing Group
Corrosive liquid, acidic, inorganic, n.o.s. (Bromochlorodimethylhydantoin)	8	UN3265	II

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7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

a. PACKAGING - Packaging prescribed is an intermediate bulk container (IBC) that has been tested and marked for the Packing Group II level which is authorized in § 173.242(d). The IBC may be fitted with a continuous vent to reduce internal pressure which may develop by evolution of gas from the contents during shipment provided the conditions specified in §§ 173.24(g) (1), (2), and (3) are met.

b. TESTING - The IBC must be retested and reinspected as specified in § 180.352.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

a. A person who is not a holder of this exemption who receives a package covered by this exemption may reoffer it for transportation provided no modification or change is made to the package or its contents and it is reoffered for transportation in conformance with this exemption and the HMR.

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

9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED: Motor vehicle, rail freight, and cargo vessel.10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this exemption must be carried aboard each cargo vessel or motor vehicle used to transport packages covered 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 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 this 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.:



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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