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1. Olin Corporation, Defense Systems Group, East Alton, Illinois 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 starter cartridges, Class C explosive, in DOT Specification 17H steel drums and provides no relief from any regulation other than as specifically stated.
2. BASIS. This exemption is based on an application from Olin Corporation dated May 22, 1990, submitted in accordance with 49 107.103 and the public proceeding thereon.
3. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (Descriptor and class). Starter cartridge, Class C explosive.
4. PROPER SHIPPING NAME (49 CFR 172.101). Starter cartridge.
5. REGULATION(S) AFFECTED. 49 CFR 173.102.
6. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED. Motor vehicle.
7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES. Packaging prescribed is a DOT Specification 17H steel drum.
8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS.
 - a. A copy of this exemption must be carried aboard each Motor vehicle use to transport packages covered by this exemption.
 - b. Motor carriers operating under the terms of this exemption must have a "Satisfactory" or "Conditional" safety rating as prescribed in 49 CFR Part 385.
9. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. Any incidents 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. September 30, 1992.

Issued at Washington, D.C.:



Alan I. Roberts
Associate Administrator
for Hazardous Materials Safety

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(DATE)

Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous
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