



U.S. Department
of Transportation

**Pipeline and Hazardous
Materials Safety
Administration**

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1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE
Washington, DC 20590

DOT-SP 21005
(FOURTH REVISION)

EXPIRATION DATE: 2029-10-31

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR 107.109)

1. GRANTEE: Federal Cartridge Company
Anoka, MN
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION:
 - a. This special permit authorizes the transportation in commerce of the Division 1.4S articles specified herein as limited quantities. This special permit provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein. The most recent revision supersedes all previous revisions.
 - b. The safety analyses performed in the development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with the transportation in commerce.
 - c. No party status will be granted to this special permit.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 172.101 Hazardous Materials Table Column (8A) in that the articles are authorized to be transported as limited quantities; § 173.63(b) in that the articles are eligible for authorized packaging exceptions.
5. BASIS: This special permit is based on the application of Federal Cartridge Company dated October 13, 2025, submitted in accordance with § 107.109.

Tracking Number: 2025104285

6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR 172.101):

Hazardous Materials Description			
Proper Shipping Name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identification Number	Packing Group
Articles, explosive, n.o.s.*	1.4S	UN0349	N/A

*Limited to articles manufactured by Federal Cartridge Company and approved under EX2020012327, Second Revision.

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

a. PACKAGING: Package the articles to meet the criteria listed under 49 CFR § 173.63(b), Limited Quantities of Cartridge, small arms, Cartridges power device, Cartridges for tools, blank, and Cases, cartridge, empty with primer.

(1) INNER PACKAGING: Receptacles, plastic, each containing not more than twenty (20) cartridges.

(2) OUTER PACKAGING: Inner packagings must be further packed in a securely closed strong outer packaging. Each package may not exceed 30 kg (66 lbs) gross weight.

b. OPERATIONAL CONTROLS: When transported aboard cargo vessel, the hazardous materials covered by this special permit must comply with the Class 1 segregation and stowage requirements in §§ 176.83, 176.84, 176.116, 176.144, and 176.170.

c. MARKING: In addition to the markings required by the HMR for materials being shipped in accordance with the limited quantity exception, each inner package must be marked "DOT-SP 21005".

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

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

- b. A current copy of this special permit 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 special permit must be carried aboard each cargo vessel used to transport packages covered by this special permit
11. COMPLIANCE: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this special permit 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 special permit and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
 - o Persons operating under the terms of this special permit 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 special permit must receive training on the requirements and conditions of this special permit in addition to the training required by §§ 172.700 through 172.704.

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

Under Title VII of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)—“The Hazardous Materials Safety and Security Reauthorization Act of 2005” (Pub. L. 109-59), 119 Stat. 1144 (August 10, 2005), amended the Federal hazardous materials transportation law by changing the term “exemption” to “special permit” and authorizes a special permit to be granted up to two years for new special permits and up to four years for renewals.

12. **REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:** Shipments or operations conducted under this special permit are subject to the Hazardous Materials Incident Reporting requirements specified in 49 CFR §§ 171.15 - Immediate notice of certain hazardous materials incidents, and 171.16 - Detailed hazardous materials incident reports. In addition, the grantee(s) of this special permit must notify the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:



for William Quade
Acting Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety

Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Material Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, East Building PHH-13, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, Southeast, Washington, D.C. 20590.

Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at <https://www.phmsa.dot.gov/approvals-and-permits/hazmat/special-permits-search>. Photo reproductions and legible reductions of this special permit are permitted. Any alteration of this special permit is prohibited.

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