
This extension applies only to party(s) listed below based on the application(s) received in accordance with 49 CFR 107.105 and the public proceeding thereon. All other terms of the exemption remain unchanged. This extension forms part of the exemption and must be attached to it.

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APPLICATION DATE

Buco Budenbender GmbH & Company
Niederndorf, West Germany
(U.S. AGENT: Meridian Traffic Service, Inc.
Quincy, MA)
1. Bucod Bubenbender GMbH & Co., Niederfischbach, West Germany, (U.S. Agent: Meridian Traffic Service, Inc., Quincy, Massachusetts), is hereby granted an exemption from those provisions of this Department’s Hazardous Materials Regulations specified in paragraph 5 below to manufacture, mark, and sell the packaging described in paragraph 7 below for use in the transportation of the various hazardous materials imported into or transported through the United States in the course of being shipped between places outside the United States subject to the specified conditions and limitations herein. This exemption authorizes the manufacture, marking and sale of non-DOT specification steel drums of one millimeter thickness (19 gauge), to be used in place of 20/18 gauge, 55-gallon capacity, DOT-17E drums and provides no relief from any regulation other than as specifically stated.

2. BASIS. This exemption is based on an application from Meridian Traffic Service, Inc. dated April 22, 1986, submitted in accordance with 49 CFR 107.103 and the public proceeding thereon.

3. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (Descriptor and class). Hazardous materials presently authorized to be packaged in 20/18 gauge, 55-gallon capacity, DOT-17E steel drums.

4. PROPER SHIPPING NAME (49 CFR 172.101). As specified in 49 CFR 172.101; or the specific chemical name or generic commodity description, as appropriate.

5. REGULATION AFFECTED. 49 CFR 171.12(c), 178.116-8(a).

6. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED. Motor vehicle, rail freight, cargo vessel.

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES. Packaging prescribed is non-DOT specification steel drum of triple seam construction complying with DOT Specification 17E except for head and body sheets made from one millimeter thickness steel (no less than 0.0375 inch/19 gauge).

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS.

a. Shippers may use the packaging(s) covered by this exemption pursuant to 49 CFR 173.22a, subject to the conditions and limitations of §171.12(c).

b. Each drum must contain the package specification identification markings required by §178.116-10 except the marking "DOT-E 9611" shall be displayed in place of "DOT-17E". These markings may be made in accordance with §178.116-10(a) or §171.12(c), except "DOT-E 9611" may not be displayed in a permanent manner (e.g., by embossment).

9. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. Any incident involving loss of contents of the package must be reported to the Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation as soon as practicable.

Issued at Washington, D.C.:

[Signature]

Alan I. Roberts  
Director  
Office of Hazardous Materials Transportation


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