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Hi Yul,

Please see the below interpretation request.

Let us know if you need anything.

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Hello,

I'm seeking an interpretation of 49 CFR §172.315, more specifically the requirements of the limited quantity marking. I noticed recently that the black triangles at the top and bottom of the limited quantity diamonds being supplied to us from an outside vendor are not the same size/aligned. The bottom triangle is measuring approximately 1 cm bigger than the top triangle, see photos attached for illustration.

Do the black triangles at the top/bottom of the limited quantity diamond need to be of an equal size as illustrated in 172.315(a)(1)?

Does this meet the "where dimensions are not specified, all features shall be in approximate proportion to those shown" in 172.315(a)(2)?

Would this be a compliant limited quantity marking?

Thanks,

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