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SECTION 1: PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product Name: **EXEMPT WASH HF** (High Flashpoint Water Miscible Wash)

D.O.T. Designation: Cleaning Liquid (Non- Regulated Combustible) (1)

U.N. Designation: Flammable Liquids, N.O.S. (Contains Naphtha, Solvent), 3, UN1993, PGIII

(1) Contact manufacturer for designation for bulk domestic ground shipments.

SECTION 2: HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION

| Hazardous Component | CAS No. | % WT. | OSHA PEL | ACGIH TLV-TWA | OTHER RATINGS | OSHA STEL |
|-------------------------------------|------------|-------|-------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Aliphatic Hydrocarbon | 64742-88-7 | 85-95 | 100ppm (1) | 100ppm | | |
| Dipropylene Glycol Monomethyl Ether | 34590-94-8 | 5-10 | 100ppm | 100ppm | | 150ppm |

(1) Based on VPEL for Stoddard Solvent. Current PEL is 500ppm.

SECTION 3: PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Boiling Point: 355 degrees F. (estimated)

Specific Gravity: (Water=1) 0.801

Vapor Pressure: (mmHG, calculated) <1 at 68 degrees F, 20 degrees C.

Melting Point: N/A

Vapor Density: (Air=1, calculated) Not calculated.

Solubility in Water: Miscible

Appearance & Odor: Yellow colored liquid, petroleum odor

Maximum VOC Content: 6.6 lbs. per gallon (792 grams per liter)

Maximum VOC%: 99% (EPA Method 24)

Non Photochemically Reactive

SECTION 4: FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA

Flash Point (Tag Closed Cup Method): >140 degrees F. (calculated)

Flammable Limits (Calculated): LEL: 1.0% UEL: 14.0%

Extinguishing Media: Use dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

Special Fire-fighting Procedures: Use self-contained breathing apparatus.

Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards: Combustible liquid. Upon combustion, product may form carbon monoxide and other organic compounds. Containers of this product may rupture from vapor pressure when exposed to heat from fire.

SECTION 5: REACTIVITY DATA

WARNING: Spontaneous combustion may occur with solvent soaked combustible materials (paper, cotton, etc.) that are allowed to stand in confined areas.

Stability: Stable

Incompatibility: Avoid strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous Decomposition or Byproducts: Carbon monoxide and other compounds during combustion.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

Conditions to Avoid: Avoid exposure to high heat sources, electrical and welding arcs and open flame.

Also avoid strong oxidizing agents.

SECTION 6: HEALTH HAZARD DATA

Route of Entry: Inhalation, Ingestion, Skin.

Health Hazards (Acute): Overexposure may lead to central nervous system depression, leading to headaches, nausea and unconsciousness.

Health Hazards (Chronic): Overexposure in high concentrations may produce central nervous system depression.

Eye Contact: May lead to irritation.

Skin Contact: May lead to dermatitis.

Ingestion: May lead to vomiting.

Carcinogenicity (NTP, IARC, OSHA): Components of this product have not shown any evidence of carcinogenicity.

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure: Overexposure may lead to dizziness, headaches, dermatitis and eye irritation.

Medical Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: Health studies have shown that many petroleum hydrocarbons pose potential health risks that vary from person to person, exposure to liquids, vapors, mists or fumes should be minimized.

Emergency and First Aid Procedures:

For Skin Contact: Flush with large volume of water for at least 15 minutes.

Get immediate medical attention if necessary.

For Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. Get immediate medical attention.

For Eye Contact: Flush with large volume of water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical attention.

For Ingestion: Get immediate medical attention. Do not induce vomiting.

SECTION 7: PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND USE/REGULATORY INFORMATION

Steps to be taken in case material is released or spilled:

(Minor Spills): Absorb material with ground clay, vermiculite, or similar absorbent material, then place into containers for removal.

(Major Spills): Dike and contain spill. Eliminate potential sources of ignition, and shut off source of spill if possible. Remove liquid by chemical vacuum, absorbent, or other safe and approved method and place into containers for legal disposal. Flush area with water to remove residue, and remove flushed solutions as above.

(Waste Disposal Method): Dispose of all waste in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

Regulatory Information: Components present in this product at a level which could require reporting under EPA Regulation 40 CFR 302 (CERCLA) Section 102 and EPA Regulation 40 CFR 372 (SARA) 313 : None

Precautions to be Taken in Handling and Storing: Ventilation in work area should be sufficient to maintain atmosphere with vapor level below lowest listed TLV in Section 2. If TLV's are exceeded, use a respirator with appropriate NIOSH approved cartridges or supplied air equipment. Keep containers closed when not in use. Combustible liquid - empty containers can be hazardous and contain explosive vapors.

The components of this product are listed on both the United States TSCA and the Canadian DSL.

HMIS: Health Hazard: **2** Flammability: **2** Reactivity: **0** Personal Protection: **B**

SECTION 8: CONTROL MEASURES

Respiratory Protection: Needed if TLV's in Section 2 are exceeded. Use a respirator with appropriate NIOSH approved cartridges or air supplied equipment.

Ventilation: Local and mechanical exhaust recommended. Avoid open electrical sources near product vapor areas.

Protective Gloves: Impervious or chemical resistant gloves (consult safety equipment supplier).

Eye Protection: Chemical splash goggles recommended to protect against potential eye contact.

Other Protective Clothing and Equipment: Safety shoes and aprons recommended.

Work and Hygiene Practices: Do not take internally. Avoid skin contact, and wash skin after using products.

Do not eat, drink, or smoke in work area. Keep away from children.

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