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of Transportation

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**Pipeline and Hazardous  
Materials Safety Administration**

DOT-SP 14349

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR § 107.109)

1. GRANTEE: (See individual authorization letter)
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION:
  - a. This special permit authorizes the transportation in commerce of a non-DOT specification full opening head, steel salvage cylinder with a water capacity of more than 450L (119 gallons) for use in transporting damaged, leaking or improperly filled cylinders containing various hazardous materials. This special permit provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein.
  - b. The safety analyses performed in the development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with the transportation in commerce. The safety analyses did not consider the hazards and risks associated with consumer use or other uses not associated with transportation in commerce.
  - c. Unless otherwise stated herein, this special permit consists of the special permit authorization letter issued to the grantee together with this document.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR §§ 173.3(d)(2)(i) in that the design margin is 3.5 to 1 and 173.3(d)(2)(ii) in that the cylinder is over 450L water capacity.
5. BASIS: This special permit is based on the application of Matheson Tri-Gas dated April 7, 2006 and additional information dated May 23 and May 24, 2006 submitted in accordance with § 107.105 and the public proceeding thereon.

6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR § 172.101):

<b>Hazardous Materials Description</b>			
<b>Proper Shipping Name</b>	<b>Hazard Class/ Division</b>	<b>Identification Number</b>	<b>Packing Group</b>
Ammonia, anhydrous	2.2	UN1005	N/A, Hazard Zone D
Boron trichloride	2.3	UN1741	N/A, Hazard Zone C
Chlorine	2.3	UN1017	N/A, Hazard Zone B
Hydrogen bromide, anhydrous	2.3	UN1048	N/A, Hazard Zone C
Hydrogen chloride, anhydrous	2.3	UN1050	N/A, Hazard Zone C
Hydrogen sulfide	2.3	UN1053	N/A, Hazard Zone B
Silane, compressed	2.1	UN2203	N/A
Tungsten hexafluoride	2.3	UN2196	N/A, Hazard Zone B

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

a. PACKAGING - Packaging prescribed is a full opening head steel salvage cylinder designed, constructed and marked in accordance with Section VIII, Division 1 Edition 2004, Addenda 2005 of the ASME Code. The MAWP (maximum allowable working pressure) of the salvage cylinders is 899 psig (62 bar). Salvage cylinders must conform to Chemet S.A. drawing number 3-1294-13 and related drawings on file with the Office of Hazardous Materials Special Permits and Approvals. Salvage cylinders must be in accordance with the requirements of § 173.3(d) except as follows:

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§ 173.3(d)(2)(i) The minimum design margin must be 3.5 to 1.

§ 173.3(d)(2)(ii) The maximum water capacity must be 2410 Liters.

§ 173.3(d)(2)(iii) The contents of the damaged or leaking cylinder must be limited in pressure and volume so that if totally discharged into the salvage cylinder, the pressure in the salvage cylinder will not exceed the MAWP at 55°C (131°F).

§ 173.3(d)(3)(iv) The words "DOT-SP 14349" must be marked in addition to the words "SALVAGE CYLINDER".

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 package 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, cargo vessel, and rail freight.

10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this special permit must be carried aboard each cargo vessel or motor vehicle 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.

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- 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 -- OHMSPA, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:



for Robert A. McGuire  
Associate Administrator  
for Hazardous Materials Safety

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Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, Washington, D.C. 20590. Attention: PHH-31.

Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at [http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp\\_app/special\\_permits/spec\\_perm\\_index.htm](http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp_app/special_permits/spec_perm_index.htm) Photo reproductions and legible reductions of this special permit are permitted. Any alteration of this special permit is prohibited.

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