

To Whom It May Concern:

Elite meets the OSHA definition of "Article" when used in compliance with the manufacturer's intended purpose and instructions and is therefore exempt from OSHA Safety Data Sheet requirements. The applicable OSHA "Article" exemption is as states;

"<u>1910.1200(b)(6)</u> This section does not apply to:

<u>1910.1200(b)(6)(v)</u> Articles (as that term is defined in paragraph (c) of this section);

<u>1910.1200(c)</u>

Definitions. Article means a manufactured item other than a fluid or particle: (i) which is formed to a specific shape or design during manufacture; (ii) which has end use function(s) dependent in whole or in part upon its shape or design during end use; and (iii) which under normal conditions of use does not release more than very small quantities, e.g., minute or trace amounts of a hazardous chemical (as determined under paragraph (d) of this section), and does not pose a physical hazard or health risk to employees. "

Should you require additional information or clarification regarding this subject, please contact your Leggett & Platt representative.