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SUBJ: PVC MSDS STORAGE/TRANSPORT TEMPERATURE STATEMENT

Assuming that you get approval from the "technical types", I have no problem with the statement you proposed in your 9/22/91 memo. If approved, the statement would be revised and those revised MSDS's submitted for approval through the normal process.

Hopefully we could revise existing sheets at the time we make other revisions we are working on.



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An opinion was expressed by the New Business Development folks that our current statement in the MSDS regarding storage/transport temperatures could raise unjustified concerns by the customer.

Our current language is:

"Temperatures above 150 °F may cause slow degradation."

Since this statement is on every PVC compound and SUPREL MSDS, it is not advisable to change just one MSDS without changing the complete set. Therefore, the new language should be reviewed by technical people from both the compound and SUPREL areas.

Any change in this language needs to be based on facts, or at least strong technical opinions. Up to this point, the technical group has not offered different language. In order to expedite the decision making process, I am proposing the statement below as a alternative.

"Extended storage or transport at temperatures above 150 °F should be avoided to prevent agglomeration. Storage at temperatures above 200 °F could adversely affect processing and/or physical properties."

Each person copied is requested to review this and provide comments to me no later than Friday October 4th. Circulate as necessary. Please do not nitpick the language but rather provide valid technical opinions or data that shows this information to be incorrect, misleading or incomplete. Unless I receive adverse comments to the contrary, all PVC compound and SUPREL MSDS's will be revised to reflect the above language.

Steve Saborsky

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