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To: Tom Remmers ✓
From: Dick Lamar

Re: Memo 4/20/70 from Eugene P. Daigle.
Standard Paint and Public Law 85-74

It is my opinion that it is pure foolishness to attempt to apply this to something like this. It would seem to me that volatile solvents, toxic materials, and otherwise hazardous substances must have been what the law-makers originally had in mind. - But this doesn't help us comply with Daigle's request.

I suggest you answer this as follows:

T.L.V. ppm - not known
T.L.V. Mg/M.^{3} - not known
T.L.V. m.p.p.c.f. - 20 (as recommended by American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)
Boiling Point °F. - not applicable. Decomposes at 1750° F. and gives off 5% chemically combined H$_2$O of crystallization

CRMC-HT-TALC-000114

Vapor Pressure mm Hg - not applicable; negligible below 1750°F.
Vapor Density - not applicable.
Solubility in Water - not soluble.
Evaporation Rate - not applicable
Flash Point - not applicable, product not flammable
Flammable Units Lower - not applicable
Flammable Units Upper - not applicable.

I suggest that the above comments be applied to each of the four talc products (Desitalc #5 #55, #57, and Micro 706) as requested by Standard Paint & Varnish Co.

If the above proves to be unsatisfactory let me know and we will try again.

Sincerely

Dick

cc: E.J.E., W.B.G., R.S.L.