C93 BORAX CONE - MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1 IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION

PRODUCT NAME BORAX JEWELLERS FLUX CONES

CAS-No. See section 3 Composition/information on ingredients

EC (EINECS) No. See section 3 Composition/information on ingredients

SYNONYMS, TRADE NAMES BORAX JEWELLERS FLUX CONES, JEWELLERS CONES, BORAX CONES

APPLICATION FLUX FOR SOLDERING PRECIOUS METALS

CONTACT & EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS ABOVE

2 HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFICATION (67/548) R22; R62; R63; R48/21

CLASSIFICATION 9EC 1272/2008

Physical Not Classified

Health H303

Environmental Not Classified

HAZARD STATEMENTS H303 Harmful if swallowed.

PRECAUTIONERY STATEMENT

P281 Use of personal protective equipment is required

P305 +P351 +338 If, in the unlikely hood of ingress into eyes, rinse cautiously with

water for several minutes.

P308+P313 If exposed or concerned obtain medical advice/attention

P264 Wash thoroughly after handling

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3 COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

CAS NO. 1303-96-4 EC (EINECS) No. 215-540-4

CAS NO. 10043-35-3 EC (EINECS) No. 233-139-2

The Borax Cone is a solid object and used in the correct manner to which it was designed should not present any hazard. The information given is mainly based on the majority of the components. Should the Borax Cone be damaged and be reduced to a powder, the details in section 2 should be adhered to.

It should also be noted that the cone in it's form is unlikely in normal use to be reduced to a powder or present any hazard.

4 FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION Not Applicable

INJESTION Not Applicable

SKIN CONTACT See Precautionary Statement. Note. It is recommended that after use, hands

should be washed.

EYE CONTACT Not Applicable

5 FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUSHING MEDIA The product is not flammable. Use of fire-extinguisher appropriate for

surrounding materials.

SPECIFIC HAZARDS Oxides of Carbon

PROTECTIVE Self contained breathing apparatus & protective clothing must be worn in case of fire

6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURE

PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS See Section 8

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS In the unlikely event of cones being released from cases, contain to avoid

release into watercourses. IF released into watercourse, Immediately notify the

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Environmental Agency or other appropriate regulatory body.

7 HANDLING & STORAGE

USAGE PRECAUTIONS Avoid over handling which may lead to dust formation

STORAGE PRECAUTIONS Keep in original wrapping and or containers until required. KEEP DRY

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8 EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT As the Borax Cones are individually wrapped, it is not necessary to handle until use

ENGINEERING MEASURE Not Applicable

RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT

No Specific recommendation made

HAND PROTECTION Use suitable gloves if extensive use is required

EYE PROTECTION Not Applicable

HYGIENE MEASURES Wash hands after use and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. When

using do not eat or smoke

9 PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE Solid Cone wrapped in a paper cover

COLOUR White

ODOUR Odourless

WEIGHT 4oz Approx

10 STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY Stable under normal temperature conditions and recommended use

CONDITIONS TO AVOID Avoid excessive heat for prolonged periods of time

MATERIALS TO AVOID Strong reducing agents. Alkali Metals

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS Oxides of Carbon

11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

TOXIC DOSE 1 – LD50 4500 – 5000 mg/kg (oral rat)

INHALATION Not Applicable

INJESTION May cause internal injury

SKIN CONTACT Continual exposure may irritate skin

EYE CONTACT Not Applicable

SPECIFIC EFFECTS Contains a substance/group of substances with possible risk of harm to unborn

child and with a possible risk of impaired fertility, however consuming the solid

material and or parts thereof is unlikely.

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12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICITY

The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous, however, this does not exclude the possibility of large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging affect on the environment.

LC 50, 96 Hrs, Fish mg/l 74

MOBILITY This product is soluble in water

13 DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

GENERAL INFORMATION Waste is classified as hazardous waste. Disposal to licensed waste site in accordance

with the local Waste Disposal Authority

DISPOSAL METHODS Disposal of waste and residues in accordance with Local Authority Requirements

14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

GENERAL This product is not covered by International regulation on the transport of dangerous

goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID)

15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

EU DIRECTIVES

Regulation (EC) No.1907/2006 of the European Parliament and the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH), establishing a European Chemicals Agency, amending Directive 1999/45/EC and repealing Council Regulation (EEC) No 793/93 and Commission Regulation (EC) No. 1488/94 as well as Council Directive 76/769/EEC and Commission Directives 91/155/EEC, 93/67/EEC, 93/105 EC and 2000/21/EC including amendments.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (S.I 2009 No.716)

APPROVAL CODE OF PRACTICE

Classification and Labeling of Substances and Preparations Dangerous for Supply. Safety Data Sheets for Substances and Preparations

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15 REGULATORY INFORMATION CONTINUED

GUIDANCE NOTES

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40 CHIP for everyone HSG (108)

16 OTHER INFORMATION

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