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To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is in response to your request for a Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for the products you purchased from PouchWorth. A MSDS is not required for flexible packaging products as they are defined as an article under federal regulation and are exempt from the MSDS requirements.

According to Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations, the purpose of the MSDS, is to “ensure that the hazards of all chemicals produced or imported are evaluated, and that information concerning their hazards is transmitted to employers and employees” 29 CFR 1910.1200(a).

Items excluded from MSDS requirements are those that are considered "articles", which are defined as:

"a manufactured item: (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 does not release, or otherwise result in exposure to a hazardous chemical, under normal conditions."

Since the products Shannon Packaging Company manufactures are covered by the definition of article, a MSDS is not required, and is not appropriate. If we can provide any additional information, please don't hesitate to contact us.

