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To: Industry Professionals or whom it may concern

Thank you for your inquiry regarding an MSDS for Versico Sheeting and accessory products. The following list of Versico products are considered to be an "Article" as under normal conditions of use they do not pose a hazard in the work place or to the building occupants. Since these products or "Articles" pose no health hazard under normal conditions of use there is no requirement for an MSDS. For technical information on each of these products please refer to the Product Data Sheet (PDS) or Technical Data Bulletin (TDB) published on the Versico website at www.versico.com

## Articles as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200:

EPDM, PVC and TPO membranes EPDM, PVC and TPO flashings EPDM, PVC and TPO walkway pads HP Polyiso insulations Expanded Polystyrene insulations Extruded Polystyrene insulations Dens-Deck cover boards Securock cover board FR and Modified base sheets HPV and HPVX fasteners and plates VersiTrim metal edgings and copings Recovery Board

**Background Information:** OSHA promulgated the Hazard Communication Standard (HCS), also known as the "Right to Know" rule, to ensure that the hazards of all chemicals produced or imported into the U.S. are evaluated, and that information concerning their hazards is transmitted to employers and employees. The standard applies **to all chemicals**, which are known to be present in the workplace in such a manner that employees may be exposed to them **under normal conditions** of use or in a foreseeable emergency. For this reason it is incumbent upon manufacturers to assess whether or not their products present a hazard in the work place. The current definition of "**Article'' in 29 CFR 1910.1200** is provided as follows:

"Article" means a manufactured item other than a fluid or particle: (i) which is <u>formed to a specific shape</u> or design during manufacture; (ii) which has <u>end use function(s)</u> dependent in <u>whole or in part</u> upon its <u>shape or</u> <u>design</u> during end use; and (iii) <u>which does not release</u>, or otherwise result in exposure to, a hazardous chemical under normal conditions of use.

A product or "Article" meeting this criterion is **exempt** from the MSDS requirement. OSHA realizes that manufacturers often provide MSDSs for reasons other than those of meeting the requirements of the Hazard Communication Standard and that this can cause confusion to downstream users. Versico's intent is to eliminate confusion by publishing MSDS sheets for the products that workers and end-users really need to operate in a safe environment. Versico believes the information contained herein to be very accurate. It is not to be taken as a warranty or representation for which Versico assumes any legal responsibility for product liability. This information is offered solely for our customers' consideration, investigation and any necessary verification. Any use of this information or of the sheeting and accessories provided by Versico must be determined by the user to be acceptable for their intended purpose and in accordance with the appropriate federal, state or local laws and regulations including 29 CFR in its entirety.

Should you have any further questions or need additional information please contact our Research and Development office.

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