

L. E. Johnson Products, Inc.

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## Dear Compliance Manager:

Our products in their finished state fall under the exemption "Article" listed in the Hazard Communication Standard 1910.1200. Section (c) of the standard provides the following definition:

"Article" means a manufactured item: (i) Which is formed to a specific shape and 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 of use.

This letter should fulfill requirements for setting up your Hazard Communication Program. If you have any further questions concerning our products please feel free to call us during business hours.

Sincerely,

L. E. Johnson Products, Inc.

Scott Johnson

Safety Director

Manufacturers of the most Reliable Line of Sliding and Folding Door Hardware