

**Dangerous Goods Act 1985**

## EXEMPTION: VCAP EXEMP CA 2015/143

This exemption is made by Victorian WorkCover Authority in accordance with Regulation 168 of the Dangerous Goods (Transport by Road or Rail) Regulations 2008.

**Purpose:**

To permit the transport of personal care/household dangerous goods items packed in limited quantities (LQ) from having to comply with the transport documentation and placarding requirements as set out in the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods Code by Road and Rail seventh (7) edition (ADG Code).

**CAP decision:**

The Competent Authorities Panel (CAP) at its 46th meeting held November 2014 and endorsed at its 47th meeting held in May 2015 decided that this exemption should have effect in all participating jurisdictions and is applicable to consignors, packers, loaders drivers, prime contractors, and rail operators.

**Granted to:**

Any Person or Class of Persons (including consignors, packers, loaders, drivers, prime contractors, and rail operators).

**Regulations exempted from:**

Victorian Dangerous Goods (Transport by Road or Rail) Regulations 2008.

## Part 5 Consignment Procedures Division 2 – Placarding

Regulations 86 Consignors (Equivalent to regulations 5.3.3 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulations 87 Loaders (Equivalent to regulations 5.3.4 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulations 88 Prime contractors and Rail operators (Equivalent to regulations 5.3.5 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulations 89 Drivers (Equivalent to regulations 5.3.6 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007).

## Part 11 Documentation, Division 1 Transport Documentation

Regulations 128 Consignors transport by road (Equivalent to regulations 11.1.2 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulations 129 Consignors transport by rail (Equivalent to regulations 11.1.3 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulations 130 Prime contractors (Equivalent to regulations 11.1.4 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulations 131 Rail operators (Equivalent to regulations 11.1.5 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), and Regulations 133 Train Drivers (Equivalent to regulations 11.1.7 of Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007), Regulation 133A Prime Contractors duties – retention of documents (Equivalent to regulation 11.1.8 of the Model Subordinate Law on the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road or Rail 2007).

**Dangerous Goods:**

Dangerous Goods Packed in Limited Quantities for personal care/household use only.

**Conditions of exemption:**

1. This exemption applies to personal care/household use items which are defined as Limited Quantities (LQ) dangerous goods, packed and distributed in a form for personal care/household use.
2. A consignment or load of LQ transported using this exemption must not contain LQ used for industrial/commercial purposes. For example, a consignment or load consisting only of pool chemicals, of class 5.1 and 8 or only of paint of class 3 are considered for industrial/commercial purposes.

3. This exemption applies to personal care/household use LQ packages up to a maximum aggregate quantity of 2000 kg/L in a transport unit (vehicle).
4. Where personal care/household LQ packages transported in accordance with this exemption (max. 2000 kg/L) are the only dangerous goods in the load, then the load is not a placard load.
5. Personal care/household items Limited Quantities Dangerous Goods Transport Documentation as per page three of this exemption may be used to cover each consignment/load of personal care/household LQ packages transported in accordance with this exemption, in lieu of the transport documentation requirements of chapter 11 of the ADG Code. The Generic documentation must be altered (cross out which class of dangerous goods not carried) for each consignment, and the documentation must show the aggregate quantity of dangerous goods in the consignment/load.

**TRANSPORT DOCUMENT  
for Consignments/Loads of LIMITED QUANTITIES  
for PERSONAL CARE/HOUSEHOLD USE ITEMS ONLY**

Name of Consignor:
Address:
Contact Telephone No:
Aggregate quantity of dangerous goods in this consignment/load
These items consigned in accordance with the personal care/ household use LQ Exemption VCAP EXEMP 2015/143

*This consignment/load may contain personal care/household use items as typified (but not limited to) in the table below.*

Class or Division	Product Description
1.4S CONSUMER FIREWORKS	Snap for Bon-Bons crackers, Party Poppers, Sparklers, toy pistols
2.1 FLAMMABLE GAS	Aerosols – hair spray, deodorant, shaving foam, insecticides, lighters, lighters refills
2.2 NON FLAMMABLE NON TOXIC GAS	Soda stream replacement capsules, fire extinguishers
3 FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS	Aftershave, perfume, nail polish remover
5.1 OXIDISING AGENTS	Domestic bleach, hair dye
6.1 TOXIC	Pest control products
7 RADIOACTIVE	Domestic smoke detectors
8 CORROSIVE	Drain unblockers, oven cleaners, detergents
9 MISCELLANEOUS	Plant food

<b>Application of exemption:</b>	This exemption applies to consignors, packers, loaders drivers, prime contractors, and rail operators in Victoria and in accordance with the CAP decision will have effect in participating jurisdictions.
<b>Starting Date:</b>	This Exemption starts on <b>7 January 2016</b> .
<b>Finish Date:</b>	This Exemption shall remain valid up to and until such times as ADG Code, seventh edition is no longer in force or the exemption is varied or revoked by the WorkSafe Victoria.
<b>Notes</b>	<i>This exemption is made up of a number of pages which contains purpose, granted to, CAP decision, exemption from regulations, conditions, application, starting date, finish date, dangerous goods transport document for limited quantities.</i>

Dated 7 January 2016

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 Victorian Workcover Authority

### Food Act 1984

#### DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 32A OF THE FOOD ACT 1984

##### Food sampling requirements

I, Milena Canil, as delegate of the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services declare under section 32A of the **Food Act 1984** (the Act) that for the period from 1 March 2016 to 28 February 2017 a council specified in column 2 of the table must obtain and submit for analysis the number of food samples specified opposite it in column 3 of the table as follows –

- (a) the number of samples that must be obtained from class 1 food premises is specified opposite in column 4 of the table; and
- (b) the number of samples which must be obtained from class 2 food premises or class 3 food premises is specified opposite in column 5 of the table.

#### Definitions

In this declaration –

‘class 1 food premises’ means food premises declared to be class 1 food premises under section 19C of the Act;

‘class 2 food premises’ means food premises declared to be class 2 food premises under section 19C of the Act;

‘class 3 food premises’ means food premises declared to be class 3 food premises under section 19C of the Act;

‘the table’ means the table in the schedule to this declaration.

#### Commencement

This declaration takes effect on 1 March 2016.

Dated 12 January 2016

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