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**National Volatile Organic Compound Emission Standards for Consumer Products**

The Environmental Protection Agency has published, under Title 40, Volume 5, Parts 53 to 59, regulations regarding volatile organic compounds (VOC’s) and consumer products. Under this regulation, there are a few noteworthy statements that may be beneficial to you in the field. In short if any of our products:

- a) has a vapor pressure of less than 0.1 millimeters of mercury at 20 degrees Celsius; or
- b) consists of more than 12 carbon atoms, if the vapor pressure is unknown: or
- c) has a melting point higher than 20 degrees Celsius and does not sublime, if the vapor pressure is unknown

then, for CONSUMER PRODUCTS APPLICATIONS ONLY they are not required to be reported as VOC’s. Please be aware that some of the players in the market are stating that their products are “VOC Exempt”, per my discussions with the EPA, this terminology is legally incorrect. You must state that you are exempt for Consumer Goods applications.

The products in our line that comply with these requirements are as follows:

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| Calprint 35 |              |
| 450-HI      | Conosol 260  |
| 450-HI 200  | Conosol 340  |
| 600 Solvent | Drakesol 220 |
| Calprint 38 | Drakesol 260 |
| LVP 200     | Magiesol 47  |
| LVP 300     | Magiesol 52  |
| LVP 400     | Magiesol 60  |

Please share this letter with any customers who may have questions regarding this topic.

Please contact Calumet’s Product Support Team at [technical@clmt.com](mailto:technical@clmt.com) should you have further questions.

Regards,

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