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SDS Requirement Explanation

Sika Corporation- Roofing is committed to full compliance with the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration Hazard Communication standard found within 29 CFR 1910.1200. To that end, Sika provides to employees, shippers, customers, end users, and any other concerned parties Safety Data Sheets for all Sika Roofing chemical products which are defined below:

"...any chemical which is known to be present in the workplace in such a manner that employees may be exposed under normal conditions of use or in a foreseeable emergency."

**Types of Sika Roofing Products that SDS's are provided for are:
Adhesives, Sealants, Primers, Cleaners, Roof Coatings, etc.**

Sika also sells many products that are classified as an 'Article' under 29 CFR 1910.1200 Hazard Communication. **Any product that is classified as an article is not required to have an SDS.** Those articles are defined below:

"Article means a manufactured item other than a fluid or particle: (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 under normal conditions of use does not release more than very small quantities, e.g., minute or trace amounts of a hazardous chemical (as determined under paragraph (d) of this section), and does not pose a physical hazard or health risk to employees."

**Types of Sika Products that are considered "articles" and do not have an SDS's are:
Roofing/Waterproofing Membranes, Insulation, Fasteners, Plates, Coverboards,
Vapor Retarders, Drains, Metal Flashings, Accessories, etc.**