

Hubbell-RACO-TAYMAC-BELL

Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) Statement

Hubbell-RACO-TAYMAC-BELL products are exempted for MSDS requirements and the primary reason is that fitting products are defined as "articles" within OSHA's MSDS reporting guidelines.

Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) are required for hazardous chemicals under the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

OSHA defines "articles" under 29 CFR 1910.1200 (c) as a "manufactured item:"

- Which is formed to a specific shape or design during manufacturing.
- Which has end use functions(s) dependent in whole or in part upon its shape or design during end use.
- Which does not release, or otherwise result in exposure to a hazardous chemical under normal conditions of use.

"Articles" are exempted from the regulations of 29 CFR 1910.1200(b)(5)(iv).

Hubbell-RACO-TAYMAC-BELL products are considered "articles", and do not release any trace amounts of hazardous chemicals in normal use. However, burning, welding, grinding, sawing, shot blasting and machining may generate dust particles or fumes that if allowed, may accumulate in excess of the OSHA recommended Permissible Exposure Limit (PEL) and may present a hazard. All operations of this nature should be performed in well-ventilated areas with adequate protection.