FLINN SCIENTIFIC, INC. Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)

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SECTION 1 — CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Lycopodium

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SECTION 2 — COMPOSITION, INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Lycopodium

Synonyms: club moss; vegetable sulfur

CAS#: 8023-70-9

SECTION 3 — HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Very fine yellow/brown powder. Odor of fresh cut wood.

Possible allergen. Body tissue irritant.

Flammable solid. Fine powders such as this are easily combustible.

FLINN AT-A-GLANCE

Health-0 Flammability-3

Reactivity-0 Exposure-1 Storage-2

0 is low hazard, 3 is high hazard

SECTION 4 — FIRST AID MEASURES

Call a physician and seek medical attention for further treatment, observation, and support after first aid.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air at once. If breathing has stopped, give artificial respiration immediately.

Eye or External: Immediately flush with fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

Internal: Rinse mouth. Give large quantities of water for dilution. Call a physician or poison control at once.

SECTION 5 — FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable powder.

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Fine powders such as this are easily combustible.

None established

Fire Fighting Instructions: Use a triclass, dry chemical fire extinguisher. Firefighters should wear PPE and

SCBA with full facepiece operated in positive pressure mode.

SECTION 6 — ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Restrict unprotected personnel from the area. Remove all ignition sources and water. Sweep up the spill, place in a sealed bag or container, and dispose. Ventilate area and wash spill site after material pickup is complete. See Sections 8 and 13 for further information.

SECTION 7 — HANDLING AND STORAGE

Flinn Suggested Chemical Storage Pattern: Organic #2. Store with alcohols, glycols, amines, and amides. Store in a cool, dry place. Store in a Flinn Chem-Saf bag, inside a Flinn Saf-Stor can.

SECTION 8 — EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Wear chemical splash goggles, chemical-resistant gloves, and a chemical-resistant apron.

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SECTION 9 — PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Very fine yellow-brown powder. Odor of fresh cut wood.

Spores of lycopodium clavatum.

Solubility: Generally insoluble in water and organic solvents.

SECTION 10 — STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Avoid any source of flame near a fine powder because a fire or explosion may result.

Shelf life: Indefinite, if stored properly.

SECTION 11 — TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute effects: N.A. ORL-RAT LD_{50} : N.A. Chronic effects: Possible allergen. IHL-RAT LC_{50} : N.A. Target organs: N.A. SKN-RBT LD_{50} : N.A.

N.A. = Not available, not all health aspects of this substance have been fully investigated.

SECTION 12 — ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Data not yet available.

SECTION 13 — DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Please review all federal, state and local regulations that may apply, before proceeding.

Flinn Suggested Disposal Method #26a is one option.

SECTION 14 — TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Shipping name: Flammable Solid, Organic, N.O.S. (Lycopodium)

Hazard class: 4.1, Flammable solid

UN number: UN1325 N/A = Not applicable

SECTION 15 — REGULATORY INFORMATION

Not listed.

SECTION 16 — OTHER INFORMATION

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