

CHAPTER 1. SCOPE AND DEFINITIONS

11. SCOPE

111. This Code shall apply to the manufacture, keeping, having, storage, sale, transportation, and use of explosives, blasting agents, and pyrotechnics.

112. It shall not apply to the transportation of explosives or blasting agents when under the jurisdiction of and in compliance with the regulations of the U. S. Department of Transportation (DOT), the regulations of the United States Coast Guard, and the regulations of the Civil Aeronautical Board and the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada. It shall, however, apply to state and municipal supervision as to compliance with federal regulations within the jurisdiction of a state or a municipality.

113. It shall not apply to the shipment, transportation and handling of military explosives by the Armed Forces of the United States, State Militia and the Armed Forces of Canada.

114. It shall not apply to the transportation and use of explosives or blasting agents in the normal and emergency operations of federal agencies such as the Bureau of Mines, the Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Secret Service and equivalent Canadian governmental agencies, nor to state or municipal fire and police departments, providing they are acting in their official capacity and in the proper performance of their duties.

115. It shall not apply to the sale and use (public display) of pyrotechnics commonly known as fireworks.*

12. DEFINITIONS

121. In this Code the following words are used as defined below:

APPROVED. The term "approved" shall mean approved by the authority having jurisdiction.

BLASTING AGENT. Shall mean any material or mixture, consisting of a fuel and oxidizer, intended for blasting, not otherwise classified as an explosive and in which none of the ingredients are classified as an explosive, provided that the fin-

* See Appendix A43.