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**SAFTETY DATA SHEET
REEVES SOFT PASTELS**

1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE, PREPARATION AND COMPANY UNDERTAKING

PRODUCT NAME	REEVES SOFT PASTELS
APPLICATION	Drawing, sketching
SUPPLIER	ColArt America Inc. 11 Constitution Avenue Piscataway New Jersey 08855-1396
Emergency telephone number	1-800-628-3385
Tel. number for information	732-562-0770

2. COMPOSITION INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

COMPOSITION COMMENTS:

Hazardous Components	CAS Number	OSHA PEL	TLV
Not classified as hazardous.			

3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

CLASSIFICATION

Acute health hazards	Prolonged skin contact may cause irritation.
Chronic health hazards	None

This product line has been evaluated by a toxicologist and is labeled as requiring no health hazard in accordance with ASTM D-4236.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

INHALATION

Move the exposed person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

INGESTION

Move the exposed person to fresh air at once. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

SKIN CONTACT

Remove affected person from source of contamination. Remove contaminated clothing. Wash skin immediately with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists after washing.

EYE CONTACT

Make sure to remove any contact lenses from the eyes before rinsing. Promptly wash eyes with plenty of water while lifting the eye lid. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA

None.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

SPILL CLEAN UP METHODS

Avoid generation and spreading of dust. Shovel in to dry containers. Cover and move the containers.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

USAGE PRECAUTIONS

Avoid spilling, skin and eye contact.

STORAGE PRECAUTIONS

Keep in original container. Store at moderate temperatures in dry, well ventilated area.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

ENGINEERING MEASURES

No particular ventilation requirements.

HAND PROTECTION

Avoid contact with skin.

EYE PROTECTION

If significant dust arises wear safety goggles.

OTHER PROTECTION

No specific protective equipment noted, but may be required anyway.

HYGIENE MEASURES

Do not smoke in the work area. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking and using the toilet. Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated. When using do not eat, drink or smoke.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE	solid stick
COLOR	Vary by colour
ODOR	neutral
SOLUBILITY	Insoluble in water
RELATIVE DENSITY	1.5 - 2.0

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY

Stable under normal temperature conditions.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID

None known.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS

None known.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

No specific health warnings noted. May cause irritation to the respiratory system if excessive dust levels arise.

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

ECOTOXICITY

Not regarded as dangerous to the environment

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHODS

Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

RAIL TRANSPORT NOTES	Not classified
SEA TRANSPORT NOTES	Not classified
AIR TRANSPORT NOTES	Not classified

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

This product has been evaluated by a toxicologist and is labeled for acute and chronic health hazards in accordance with the Labeling of Hazardous Art Materials Act and Federal regulation 16 CFR 1500.14 of the Federal Hazardous Substances Act.

This product conforms to ASTM D 4236 Standard Practice for Labeling Art Materials for Chronic Adverse Health Hazards

16. OTHER INFORMATION

INFORMATION SOURCE

Material Safety ~Data Sheet, Misc. manufacturers.

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