

## MATCHES SAFETY

(This EO replaces EO 55-15-2C dated 10 Jul 62)

### INTRODUCTION

1 It has been authorized by AFHQ to substitute commercial safety matches in emergency kits, when present stocks of Ref. 15D/64 safety windflammer matches are depleted.

### GENERAL

2 These matches are to be procured by LPO and are to be in a cardboard drawer type container and packed in the following manner before installing in kits. These matches are to be constructed of wood and are not to be the paper type commonly sold in book form.

(a) The drawer portion is to be reinforced with stiff paper board along the sides and ends. (Ref. 66S/241).

(b) The ends of the closed container are to be completely covered with pressure sensitive adhesive tape. (Ref. 33G/179).

(c) The whole container tightly covered with cellophane or clear vinyl.

(d) Finally the covered container placed in a clear vinyl pouch and closed by heat sealing.

3 The Ref. 15D/64 safety windflammer matches are also to be packed in this manner and any found not packaged this way on periodic checks, are to be opened and repacked as instructed above.

ISSUED ON AUTHORITY OF THE CHIEF OF THE AIR STAFF

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