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CPC NOTICE OF CHANGES 225

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The following classification changes will be effected by this Notice of Changes:

Action	**Subclass**	**Group(s)**
Modified Definition:	C09D	165/00

This Notice of Changes includes the following *[Check the ones included]:*

1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES
   - ☐ A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)
   - ☐ B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning Notice(s)
   - ☐ C. New, Modified or Deleted Note(s)
   - ☐ D. New, Modified or Deleted Guidance Heading(s)
2. DEFINITIONS (New or Modified)
   - ☐ A. DEFINITIONS (Full definition template)
   - ☒ B. DEFINITIONS (Definitions Quick Fix)
3. ☐ REVISION CONCORDANCE LIST (RCL)
4. ☐ CHANGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)
5. ☐ CROSS-REFERENCE LIST (CRL)

2. B. DEFINITIONS QUICK FIX

Symbol	**Location of change** (e.g., section title)	**Existing reference symbol or text**	**Action; New symbol; New text**
C09D165/00	Definition statement	Coating compositions, e.g. paints, varnishes, lacquers based on polymers (I) obtained by reactions forming a carbon-carbon bond in the main chain other than polymers (II) obtained by reactions only involving the polyaddition of carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds. Said polymers (I) are themselves classified in C08G61/00-C08G61/128. The coating compositions comprise either other macromolecular compounds and/or other ingredients.	**REPLACE** the existing text with the following paragraph: Coating compositions, e.g. paints, varnishes, lacquers based on polymers (I) obtained by reactions forming a carbon-carbon bond in the main chain other than polymers (II) obtained by reactions only involving the polyaddition of carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds (wherein in the latter case the reactive carbon-carbon group stays intact without cleavage of fragments). Said polymers (I) are themselves classified in C08G61/00-C08G61/128. The coating compositions comprise either other macromolecular compounds and/or other ingredients.
C09D165/00	Relationship between large subject matter areas	Macromolecular compounds per se obtained by reactions only involving the polyaddition of carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds (addition polymers) are classified in C08F. Compositions based on monomers of such polymers are treated in C08F, as well.	**REPLACE** the existing text with the following: Macromolecular compounds per se obtained by reactions only involving the polyaddition of carbon-to-carbon unsaturated bonds (addition polymers wherein the reactive carbon-carbon group stays intact without cleavage of fragments) are classified in C08F. Compositions based on monomers of such polymers are treated in C08F, as well.
C09D165/00	Relationship between large subject matter areas	-	**Before** the paragraph which begins with “Macromolecular compounds obtained by reactions forming a carbon-carbon bond ….”), **insert** the following **new** paragraph: This main group includes metathesis polymerization products, but it does not include common addition polymers such as polymethacrylate.

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C09D165/00	References relevant to classification in this group, (**2nd column**)	C08L65/00, C08L65/00, C09J165/00	**DELETE** the extra symbol/reference to C08L65/00 (the remaining symbols in the column should look as follows): C08L65/00, C09J165/00
C09D165/00	Informative references, (**2nd column, last row**)	C04B2235/768	**REPLACE** the existing symbol with the following: C08G2261/964

NOTES:

- The table above is used for corrections or modifications to existing definitions, e.g. delete an entire definition or part thereof; propose new wording or modify wording of a section, change the symbol the definition is associated with, change or delete a reference symbol, etc.
- Do not delete (F) symbol definitions.