When You Are Making a Silicone Rubber Mold...

And Your Original Model is Made Of	Seal It With	Then Apply This Release Agent Before Mixing and Applying Rubber
Modeling Clay - Water Based	Acrylic Spray † (optional)	Ease Release 200 (optional)
Modeling Clay -Sulfer Based	Acrylic Spray † (optional)	Ease Release 200 (optional)
Modeling Clay - Sulfur Free	Not Required	Ease Release 200 (optional)
Wax	Not Required	Not Required
Foam (Polyurethane)	Acrylic Spray †	Ease Release 200 (optional)
Non Porous Hard Plastic	Not Required	Not Required
Wood	SuperSeal, Petroleum Jelly or Acrylic Spray †	Ease Release 200 (optional)
Plaster / Gypsum	SuperSeal, Petroleum Jelly or Acrylic Spray †	Ease Release 200 (optional)
Stone / Concrete / Cement	SuperSeal, Petroleum Jelly or Acrylic Spray †	Ease Release 200 (optional)

General Information

- 1. Your best bet is to refer to the specific product technical bulletin for the mold rubber that you are using
- 2. The above combinations of sealers and release agents are suggested for successfully making rubber molds using Smooth-On Mold Max®, Smooth-Sil®, Dragon Skin®, EcoFlex®, OOMOO® and other silicone mold rubbers.
- 3. Use only sealers or release agents that are compatible with silicone rubber such as Ease Release 200, proven and reliable. Apply a light mist coating, brush release over surface detail, apply second light mist coating and let dry.
- 4. *Modeling Clay Sulfer Based cannot be used with Platnium Silicone under any circumstance.
- 5. † Don't Use Shellac! shellac contains alcohol and the rubber will bond to the model.
- 6. Don't wipe model down with alcohol prior to applying silicone rubber.

When You Are Making a Polyurethane Rubber Mold...

And Your Original Model is Made Of	Seal It With	Then Apply This Release Agent Before Mixing and Applying Rubber
Modeling Clay - Water Based	Spray Shellac** or PVA*	Universal Mold Release
Modeling Clay -Sulfer Based	Spray Shellac** or PVA*	Universal Mold Release
Modeling Clay - Sulfur Free	Spray Shellac** or PVA*	Universal Mold Release
Wax	Spray Shellac** or PVA*	Universal Mold Release
Foam (Polyurethane)	Spray Shellac** or PVA*	Universal Mold Release
Non Porous Hard Plastic	Not Required	Universal Mold Release
Wood	SuperSeal, Sonite Wax † or Spray Shellac**	Universal Mold Release
Plaster / Gypsum	SuperSeal, Sonite Wax† or Spray Shellac**	Universal Mold Release
Stone / Concrete / Cement	SuperSeal, Sonite Wax† or Spray Shellac**	Universal Mold Release

General Information

- 1. The above combinations of sealers and release agents are necessary for successfully making rubber molds using Smooth-On PMC®, ReoFlex®, VytaFlex® and Brush-On® rubber mold compounds.
- 2. *PVA = Polyvinyl Alcohol is an effective sealer/barrier coat, but can be difficult to apply and is recommended only for experienced users.
- 3. † Sonite Wax is suitable for sealing a variety of surfaces. It is available from Smooth-On and its distributors, Butcher's Wax can be substituted in a pinch.
- 4. Porous materials need to be sealed, followed by a release agent before applying mold rubber.
- 5. Nonporous materials require only a release agent before applying the mold rubber.
- 6. **Don't use Acrylic Spray! Universal Mold Release can soften the acrylic making the rubber bond to the model.