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(57) Abstract An aqueous release aid composition is disclosed that comprises a stable emulsion of an alcohol, a fatty acid or oil, lecithin, a water soluble or water dispersible surfactant, and water. Methods of preparing such aqueous release aid compositions and methods of imparting release characteristics to various release surfaces and various viscous masses using the aqueous release aid compositions of the invention are also disclosed.		