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Proposed Amendments to Rules – Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program Regulations

The New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission (NJMVC) has proposed amendments to the Enhanced Motor Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program regulations. The proposed amendments revise the rules to require diesel-powered motor vehicles with a gross vehicle weight rating (GVWR) of 8,501 through 17,999 pounds to undergo emission testing at an official State inspection facility or at a licensed private inspection facility. The proposed amendments conform the rules to recent amendments by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection to its regulations pertaining to the inspection of diesel-powered motor vehicles and will reduce emissions of air pollutants that cause adverse health impacts by ensuring that all motor vehicles are in proper operating condition. The Commission's proposal was published in the October 7, 2024, issue of the New Jersey Register.

A copy of the regulatory proposal may be obtained on the NJMVC website, NJMVC.gov. A copy may also be obtained by mail from the Motor Vehicle Commission, 225 East State Street, 9th Floor – East Wing, P.O. Box 162, Trenton, New Jersey 08666-0162, via e-mail request to MVC.RuleComments@mvc.nj.gov, or by telephone request at (609) 777-1407.

The public has until December 6, 2024, to submit comments to this proposal. Comments should be directed to: Emily Armstrong, Administrative Practice Officer, Legal Affairs, Motor Vehicle Commission, 225 East State Street, P.O. Box 162, Trenton, New Jersey 08666-0162 or via e-mail to MVC.RuleComments@mvc.nj.gov.