

DIRECTIONS



**Automotive
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REGULATION UPDATE

May 2015

STATE: PROPOSED NUMBER:

CA 2014 CA 22521

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency/Air Resources Board

TOPIC: Emissions- improves the Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program (EFMP) by focusing on low-income participants, expanding program flexibility to improve program participation, and ensuring that retired vehicles are functional. Focuses on a Retirement Only program and a Pilot Retire and Replace program

STATUS: 05/09/2014 Proposed Rule Notice
COMMENT DEADLINE: 06/23/2014
06/19/2014 Proposed Rule
04/09/2015 Adopted Rule Filing
EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/09/2015
04/29/2015 Rule Adoption
EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/09/2015

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LINK: <http://www.arb.ca.gov/regact/2014/carscrap14/carscrap14.htm>

CA 2015 CA 23069

AGENCY: State and Consumer Services Agency/Department of Consumer Affairs/Bureau of Automotive Repair

TOPIC: Inspections- updates outdated forms. Updates references to the Governor of California, Agency, name and BAR contact information. Splits the applications into two forms

STATUS: 04/08/2015 No published proposal
04/08/2015 Adopted Rule Filing
EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/08/2015
04/23/2015 Rule Adoption
EFFECTIVE DATE: 04/08/2015

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LINK:

CO 2015 CO 13257

AGENCY: Department of Revenue
Division of Motor Vehicles

TOPIC: Inspections- addresses rules that establish licensing requirements and operational and enforcement standards for the Diesel Inspection Program; and sets out the process for an administrative hearing

STATUS: 05/14/2015 Proposed Rule

Introduced

LINK:

DC 2012 DC 1922

AGENCY: Department of the Environment

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste- establishes criteria to be used in determining the materials that constitute hazardous waste, including used oil.

STATUS: 12/07/2012 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/07/2013
01/18/2013 Extension of Comment Period
COMMENT DEADLINE: 02/18/2013

LINK:

DE 2015 DE 3436

AGENCY: Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control/Division of Waste and Hazardous Substances

TOPIC: Waste Tires- amends regulation to enable the Solid and Hazardous Waste Management Section (SHWMS) to have oversight on the management of scrap tires, including limiting the amount of tires allowed to be accumulated in one area, providing environmental and human health protection via siting restrictions and mosquito control, and providing a mechanism for enforcement if the need arises

STATUS: 01/01/2015 Proposed Rule

AGENCY CONTACT: Bethany Fiske, Environmental Scientist, Division of Waste and Hazardous Substances, 89 Kings Highway, Dover, DE 19901, 302-739-9403

LINK:

Federal 80 FR 17021

AGENCY: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA)

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste- Michigan has applied to EPA for final authorization of the revisions to its hazardous waste program under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). EPA has reviewed Michigan's application with regards to federal requirements and is proposing to authorize the State's program revisions

STATUS: 03/31/2015 Proposed Rule

LINK: <https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2015/03/31/2015-07347/michigan-final-authorization-of-state-hazardous-waste-management-program-revision>**Federal 80 FR 21650**

AGENCY: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA)

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste- the State of Vermont has applied to EPA for Final authorization of changes to its hazardous waste program under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). EPA has determined that these changes satisfy all requirements needed to qualify for Final authorization, and is authorizing the State's changes through this direct final action

STATUS: 4/20/2015 Direct Final Rule

LINK: <https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2015/04/20/2015-08996/vermont-proposed-authorization-of-state-hazardous-waste-management-program-revisions>**Signed**

FL 2014 FL 41577

AGENCY: Department of Revenue/Division of Sales and Use Tax

TOPIC: Tire and Battery Fees- clarifies that the total amount of new tire fees and lead-acid battery fees, and not the total number of tires and batteries sold, is required to be reported on the Solid Waste and Surcharge Return

STATUS: 02/23/2015 Negotiated Rulemaking

05/06/2015 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/27/2015

LINK:

GA 2014 GA 6506

AGENCY: Department of Natural Resources/Environmental Protection Division

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste- amends rules for Hazardous Waste Management regarding General Provisions, Definitions, Financial Responsibility, Identification and Listing of Hazardous Waste, Standards Applicable to Generators of Hazardous Waste, Standards Applicable to Transporters of Hazardous Waste, Standards for Owners and Operators of Hazardous waste Treatment, Storage and Disposal Facilities, Hazardous Waste Facility Permits, Availability of Information, and Land Disposal Restrictions

STATUS: 12/05/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/06/2015

LINK:

GA 2015 GA 6561

AGENCY: Department of Natural Resources/Environmental Protection Division

TOPIC: Waste Tires- amends rules for sections titled Scrap Tire Management, Applicability, Definitions, Retail Tire Dealers, Scrap Tire Generators, Scrap Tire Carriers, Scrap Tire Storage, Criteria for Approved Processing, Sorting and Disposal Facilities, Reuse and Recycling of Scrap Tires, and Used Tires

STATUS: 04/17/2015 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/15/2015

AGENCY CONTACT: Branch Chief, Land Protection Branch, 4244 International Parkway, Suite 104, Atlanta, Georgia 30354, or email EPDComments@dnr.state.ga.us

LINK:

IL 2015 IL 16404

AGENCY: Pollution Control Board

TOPIC: Waste Tires- intends to protect the State's residents from threats resulting from the inappropriate and illegal disposal of used and waste tires while simultaneously minimizing impacts on markets and businesses that diminish those threats by transforming used and waste tires into marketable commodities

STATUS: 02/27/2015 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 04/13/2015

LINK:

IN 2012 IN 12200

AGENCY: Department of Environmental Management/Solid Waste Management Board

TOPIC: Waste Tires-This rulemaking proposes changes to the waste tire management rules at 329 IAC 15. The rule changes are intended to clarify and update the rules to address current conditions in the industry, and incorporate statutory changes mandated by Public Law 37-2012 into the rules. These changes include eliminating outdated references to Indiana Code (IC) citations, adding definitions and references to improve clarity in the rule, removing the waste tire transporter manifest form from the rule, and updating financial assurance requirements. In addition to those updates, the statutory changes will authorize local government tire amnesty programs as another means to collect and process waste tires. All of these rule changes are designed to increase the efficiency and accuracy of the waste tire rules rather than initiate a major overhaul of waste tire management. The main groups that will be affected by the rulemaking are the transporters, storage sites, and processing sites in the waste tire management industry.

STATUS: 04/25/2012 First Notice of Comment Period
COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/25/2012

LINK:

MA 2013 MA 10264

AGENCY: Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs/Department of Environmental Protection

TOPIC: Inspections- implements the kit vehicle requirements and provides additional flexibility to kit car owners for meeting emissions requirements. Increases the flexibility for becoming a Registered Emissions Repairer for diesel vehicles by recognizing the new A9 (Light Vehicle Diesel Engines) certification issued by the Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE); and deletes sections of the regulation effective prior to October 1, 2008, which are no longer necessary as the program modified the testing requirements subsequent to October 1, 2008

STATUS: 09/13/2013 Proposed Rule Notice
COMMENT DEADLINE: 11/13/2013
09/23/2013 Proposed Rule

LINK:

MD 2013 MD 122506

AGENCY: Department of Transportation/Motor Vehicle Administration

TOPIC: Rule Review-reviews and evaluates rules to determine whether existing rules continue to accomplish the purposes for which they were adopted. Clarifies ambiguous or unclear language and repeals obsolete or duplicative provisions

STATUS: 05/17/2013 Regulatory Review and Evaluation
COMMENT DEADLINE: 06/14/2013
05/30/2014 Notice of Availability of Evaluation Report
COMMENT DEADLINE: 07/29/2014

LINK:

MD 2013 MD 122575AGENCY: **Comptroller of Maryland**

TOPIC: **Rule Review (Tire Fee)- reviews and evaluates rules and regulations (including tire fee rule) to determine the need retain, amend, or repeal any obsolete or duplicative provisions based on whether the regulations are necessary for the public interest, drafted in a clear and understandable manner, supported by statutory authority and judicial opinions and consistent with federal and other State regulations, effective in accomplishing the intended purpose of the regulations, and obsolete or otherwise appropriate for amendment or repeal.**

STATUS: 07/26/2013 Regulatory Review and Evaluation
COMMENT DEADLINE: 08/30/2013
01/24/2014 Notice of Availability of Evaluation Report
COMMENT DEADLINE: 03/25/201

LINK:

MO 2014 MO 21828AGENCY: **Department of Public Safety/Highway Patrol/Motor Vehicle Inspection Division**

TOPIC: **Inspections- this rule establishes uniform procedures for inspection stations to follow in the requisition of inspection stickers, safety inspection authorities, emission inspection authorities, and decals to simplify the ordering process and collection of funds. In addition, the rule establishes requirements of station operators to order and keep a sufficient number of inspection stickers, safety inspection authorities, emission inspection authorities, or decals on hand to meet their needs**

STATUS: 11/18/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 02/01/2015
06/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice
EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/30/2015

AGENCY CONTACT: Department of Public Safety, Missouri State Highway Patrol, PO Box 568, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0568

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LINK:

MO 2014 MO 21830AGENCY: **Department of Public Safety/Highway Patrol/Motor Vehicle Inspection Division**

TOPIC: **Inspections/Tires- this amendment changes and clarifies the locations at which tire wear may be checked and rejected during safety inspections**

STATUS: 11/18/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 02/01/2015
06/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice
EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/30/201

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LINK:

MO 2014 MO 21833

AGENCY: Department of Public Safety/Highway Patrol/Motor Vehicle Inspection Division

TOPIC: Inspections/Tires- this amendment provides clarification that filler tube caps are to be inspected, without regard to fuel type, if the vehicle was originally equipped with such. In addition, the amendment deletes the inspection of compressed fuel systems from the safety inspection program.

STATUS: 11/18/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 02/01/2015
06/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice
EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/30/2015

AGENCY CONTACT: Department of Public Safety, Missouri State Highway Patrol, PO Box 568, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0568

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MS 2014 MS 14317

AGENCY: Community College Board

TOPIC: Training- proposes the rules and regulations regarding the newly developed Automotive Technology Curricula. The new curriculum document may be accessed at the following website: <http://www.mccb.edu/OCI/curdownload.aspx>.STATUS: 12/22/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/16/2015

LINK:

MS 2015 MS 14477

AGENCY: Community College Board

TOPIC: Training- proposes the rules and regulations regarding the newly developed Diesel Equipment Technology Curricula

STATUS: 04/30/2015 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/25/2015

LINK:

Introduced**MS 2015 MS 14478**

AGENCY: Community College Board

TOPIC: Training- proposes the rules and regulations regarding the newly developed Automotive Machinist Curricula

STATUS: 04/30/2015 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/25/2015

LINK:

Introduced**NV 2014 NV 5700**

AGENCY: Department of Motor Vehicles

TOPIC: Emission Stations- this rule defines authorized maintenance station for the purposes of engine emissions

STATUS: 01/15/2014 Initial Draft
02/14/2014 Proposed Rule

LINK:

NY 2015 NY 25129AGENCY: **Department of Motor Vehicles**

TOPIC: **Reviews rules adopted by the Department of Motor Vehicles in Calendar Years 2000, 2005 and 2010 Required to be Reviewed in Calendar Year 2015 concerning, loss of consciousness, elimination of the NYTEST program in the New York Metropolitan Area, motor vehicle inspections, conditional license eligibility, registration of pick-up trucks, revocation of conditional license, motor vehicle accident prevention course, chemical test refusals, Insurance Information and Enforcement System (IIES), protective helmets for in-line skaters and bicyclists, and the change of location of inspection station**

STATUS: 01/07/2015 Rule Review

COMMENT DEADLINE: 02/21/2015

LINK:

OH 2015 OH 19796AGENCY: **Office of Attorney General/Consumer Protection**

TOPIC: **General Repair- amends the state's auto repair laws to apply when the anticipated cost of the repairs is \$50 or more. Currently the law applies to repairs of \$25 or more.**

STATUS: 05/22/2015 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 06/29/2015

LINK:

Introduced**PA 2014 PA 5369**AGENCY: **Department of Transportation**

TOPIC: **Inspections- proposes the rules and regulations regarding mechanical, electrical and electronic speed-timing devices**

STATUS: 07/18/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 08/18/2014

09/26/2014 Independent Regulatory Review Commission - Notice of Comments Issued

LINK:

SC 2014 SC 3540AGENCY: **Department of Health and Environmental Control**

TOPIC: **Tires- amends and expands the definitions. Updates, clarifies, or amends the standards for hauling, sorting, storing, processing and disposing waste tires. Changes to be considered include, but are not limited to: revisions to operational standards, siting requirements, reporting requirements, permitting requirements and financial assurance requirements. Clarifies exemptions from the requirements**

STATUS: 05/23/2014 Notice of Drafting

COMMENT DEADLINE: 06/23/2014

11/28/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 12/29/2014

LINK:

SC 2014 SC 3559

AGENCY: Department of Health and Environmental Control

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste- the Department is proposing to amend R.61-79 to adopt the "Conditional Exclusions for Solvent Contaminated Wipes," published in the Federal Register on January 31, 2014 at 78 FR 46448-46485. The rule revises the definition of solid waste to conditionally exclude solvent contaminated wipes that are cleaned and reused. It also revises the definition of hazardous waste to conditionally exclude solvent-contaminated wipes that are disposed of

STATUS: 11/28/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 12/29/2014

LINK:

TN 2014 TN 11603

AGENCY: Department of Environment and Conservation/Division of Solid Waste Management

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste / Solvent-Contaminated Wipes- updates the hazardous waste regulations by incorporating the following federal changes: amends the definition of solid waste to conditionally exempt solvent-contaminated wipes that are cleaned and reused and revised the definition of hazardous waste to conditionally exempt solvent-contaminated wipes that are disposed. Conditionally excludes carbon dioxide steams that are hazardous from the definition of hazardous waste provided these carbon dioxide steams are captured from emission sources and injected into Class VI injection wells for the purpose of geologic sequestration. Allows the use of an electronic hazardous waste manifesting system. Amends the export provisions of Cathode Ray Tube recycling.

STATUS: 12/11/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 02/02/2015

LINK:

TN 2015 TN 11631

AGENCY: Department of Environment and Conservation/Division of Solid Waste Management

TOPIC: Hazardous Waste- amends rule regarding identification and listing of hazardous waste, interim status standards for owners and operators of existing hazardous waste treatment, storage, and disposal facilities, and land disposal restrictions

STATUS: 03/16/2015 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/19/2015

LINK:

TX 2014 TX 28195

AGENCY: Commission on Environmental Quality

TOPIC: Inspections- the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ, agency, commission) proposes amendments to Sections concerning Inspection and Maintenance Definitions, and Low Income Vehicle Repair Assistance, Retrofit, and Accelerated Vehicle Retirement Program Definitions

STATUS: 11/21/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/09/2015

05/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice

EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015

05/01/2015 Adopted Rule

EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015

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TX 2014 TX 28197AGENCY: **Commission on Environmental Quality**TOPIC: **Inspections- the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ, agency, commission) proposes an amendment to Section 114.53 concerning Inspection and Maintenance Fees**STATUS: 11/21/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/09/2015
05/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015
05/01/2015 Adopted Rule
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TX 2014 TX 28198AGENCY: **Commission on Environmental Quality**TOPIC: **Low Income Repair Assistance- the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ, agency, commission) proposes amendments to Sections concerning Applicability for LIRAP, LIRAP Funding, LIRAP Requirements, and Records, Audits, and Enforcement**STATUS: 11/21/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/09/2015
05/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015
05/01/2015 Adopted Rule
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015**Signed**

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TX 2014 TX 28200AGENCY: **Commission on Environmental Quality**TOPIC: **Inspections- the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ, agency, commission) proposes an amendment to Section 114.87 concerning Inspection and Maintenance Fees**STATUS: 11/21/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 01/09/2015
05/01/2015 Adopted Rule Notice
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015
05/01/2015 Adopted Rule
EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/21/2015**Signed**

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UT 2014 UT 38345AGENCY: **Department of Environmental Quality/Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste**TOPIC: **Hazardous Waste / Contaminated Rags- allows a generator of rags and wipes that have been contaminated with solvents that would cause these materials to be defined as a hazardous waste to dispose of the rags and wipes in lined non-hazardous solid waste landfills. Specifies the conditions under which the disposal of these wastes can take place. Allows for and sets conditions under which the material can be sent to a laundry for cleaning.**STATUS: 03/13/2014 Proposed Rule
COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/01/2014

LINK:

UT 2014 UT 38346

AGENCY: Department of Environmental Quality/Division of Solid and Hazardous Waste

TOPIC: Used Oil- clarifies existing language and incorporates changes in corresponding federal regulations. Updates PCB standards, containment requirements, and filters regulations. Clarifies the standards applicable to burners of on-specification and off-specification used oil. Clarifies provisions regarding used oil handler certificates

STATUS: 03/13/2014 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/01/2014

LINK:

VA 2014 VA 144029

AGENCY: Secretary of Commerce and Trade/Department of Professional and Occupational Regulation

TOPIC: Licensing / Natural Gas Auto Mechanics- establishes a regulatory program for the certification of natural gas automobile mechanics and technicians in accordance with Chapter 763 of the 2014 Acts of Assembly. The new chapter will include certification requirements, standards of practice, grounds for disciplinary actions, and recordkeeping requirements

STATUS: 05/27/2014 Notice of Intended Regulatory Action

COMMENT DEADLINE: 07/16/2014

LINK:

WA 2014 WA 34035

AGENCY: Department of Ecology

TOPIC: Used Oil- repeals rules pertaining to used automobile oil recycling sign requirements for automobile oil sellers and tax exemptions and credits for pollution control facilities

STATUS: 06/19/2014 Expedited Rule

01/08/2015 Proposed Rule

PARTIAL: WAC 173-24-010, -020, -030, -040, -050, -060, - 070, -080, -090, -100, -110, -120, -125, -130, - 140, -150, -330-010, thru -900 (non seq.)

COMMENT DEADLINE: 03/05/2015

04/16/2015 Rule Adoption

PARTIAL: WAC 173-24-010, -020, -030, -040, -050, -060, - 070, -080, -090, -100, -110, -120, -125, -130, - 140, -150, -330-010, thru -900 (non seq.)

EFFECTIVE DATE: 05/17/2015

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WI 2014 WI 22123

AGENCY: Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection

TOPIC: Air Conditioners / Refrigerant- amends rules relating to mobile air conditioners, reclaiming or recycling refrigerant

STATUS: 06/01/2014 Statement of Scope of a Proposed Rule

03/02/2015 Legislative Council Clearinghouse Rule

03/02/2015 Rule-Making Notice

COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/06/2015

03/02/2015 Proposed Rule

COMMENT DEADLINE: 05/06/2015

LINK:

WI 2014 WI 22205

AGENCY: **Department of Safety and Professional Services**

TOPIC: **Ventilation Systems- revises rules relating to mechanical ventilation systems for minor repair garages that service natural gas vehicles**

STATUS: 12/15/2014 Statement of Scope of a Proposed Rule
03/09/2015 Legislative Council Clearinghouse Rule
03/09/2015 Rule-Making Notice
COMMENT DEADLINE: 03/30/2015
03/09/2015 Proposed Rule
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