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SIP Revision: Inspection and Maintenance (I/M) Program, El Paso (ELP), December 4, 2002

On December 4, 2002, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) adopted a State Implementation Plan (SIP) revision for the I/M Program.

Summary of the SIP Revision

Adoption Date: 12/04/2002 **Proposal Date:** 09/13/2002

EPA Approval Date: 07/25/2014 (79 FR 43264¹)

Background and Key Changes: On December 4, 2002, the TCEQ adopted this SIP revision to modify ELP's I/M program. It removed the on-board diagnostic (OBD) testing requirements for 1996 and newer model-year vehicles, and instead made it a contingency measure. As a result, only two-speed idle (TSI) testing would be required for all vehicles in ELP unless the contingency measure was triggered due to a violation of the National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS) in ELP.

SIP Narrative and Appendices

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- Adopted I/M SIP Revision
- Attachments
 - **Attachment A: Technical Supplement**
- **Appendices**
 - Appendix A: Federal Register Part VII, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 40 CFR Part 51, Inspection/Maintenance Program Requirements; Final Rule, dated November 5, 1992 and Flexibility Amendments, dated September 18, 1995. (No change)
 - Appendix B: Texas Health and Safety Code, Subtitle C, Air Quality, Revised 77th Legislature, 2001
 - Appendix C: House Bill 2134 by 77th Legislature amendment to the Texas Health and Safety Code. Chapter 382, Health & Safety Code, was amended by adding Subchapter G, and §382.037 and §382.039 Health & Safety Code, were transferred to new Subsection G, and renumbered as §§382.202 - 382.208. (No change)
 - Appendix D: TCEQ Regulation, 30 TAC Chapter 114, Control of Air Pollution From Motor Vehicles, Adopted. (Revised)
 - Appendix E: TNRCC Appropriations for Fiscal Years 2002 and 2003. Texas Department of Public Safety, Appropriations for Fiscal Years 2002 and 2003. STATE OF TEXAS, Text of



Texas State Implementation Plan

- Conference Committee Report, House Bill No. 1 (General Appropriations Act). 77th Legislature, Regular Session. (No change)
- Appendix F: TNRCC, "Request for Offer for the Design, Construction, and Operation of the Texas Information Management System (TIMS) for the State of Texas," dated June 22, 2001. (No change)
- Appendix G: TNRCC, "Specifications for Vehicle Gas Analyzer Systems for use in the Texas Vehicle Emissions Testing Program," dated October 15, 2001. (No change)
- Appendix H: Texas Transportation Code §547.604 and §547.605, and Chapter 548 Compulsory Inspection of Vehicles.
- Appendix I: Rules and Regulations for Official Vehicle Inspection Stations and Certified Inspectors. Texas Department of Public Safety, dated March 30, 2000. (No change)
- Appendix J: Texas Department of Transportation, Vehicle Titles and Registration Division "2000 Summer Research Project Parking Lot Survey Report," dated May 2001. (No change)
- Appendix K: TNRCC, "Specifications For On-Board Diagnostics II (OBD-II) Analyzer for use in the Texas Vehicle Emissions Testing Program," dated October 15, 2001. (No change)
- Appendix L: TNRCC and Texas Department of Public Safety "Memorandum of Understanding," dated January 22, 1997

Associated Rules

I/M Rules-Chapter 114

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