MARYLAND

Governing Motor Vehicle Administration, Maryland Department of Environment

Agency:

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CURRENT PROGRAM

Date Started: 1984 **EPA Designation:** Enhanced

Program Type: Centralized test only

Program Areas: 14 counties including Baltimore city (Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Calvert,

Carroll, Cecil, Charles, Fredrick, Hartford, Howard, Montgomery, Prince

George's, Queen Ann's and Washington)

Enforcement Registration Suspension

Method:

Model Years: 1977+

Vehicle Types: LDGV, LDGT, HDGV

Exempt Vehicles: First 2 model years, diesel, motorcycles, 26,000+ GVW, seniors 70+ and

less then 5,000 miles annually, handicapped less than 5,000 annually,

qualified hybrid vehicles.

Test Type: OBD test for 1996 and newer passenger cars and light duty trucks, and

2008 and newer heavy duty vehicles up to 14,000 pounds; Idle test, catalytic converter tampering check, and gas cap leak test for 1977-1995 passenger cars and light duty trucks, 1977-2007 heavy duty vehicles up to 14,000 pounds, and 1977 and newer heavy duty vehicle 14,000-26,000

pounds.

Non-OBD No procedure in place

Testable:

Cut Points: Idle cutpoints vary with model year

OBD: Pass/Fail as of July 2002

Max Not Ready 2 for 1996-2000, 1 for 2001+, cat & evap ready for related DTCs

Flags:

Visual Checks Catalyst Evaporative Gas cap

System Test:

Safety Test: NO

Test Frequency: Biennial **Annual Test** 1.5 M

Volume

of Centralized 18

Facilities:

of Centralized 81

Lanes:

Test Fee: \$14, late fee of \$15 for every 28 days beyond test due date

Re-test Same as initial test procedures

Procedures:

Contracted Envirotest

Services:

Comments: