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**** Diesel Opacity Inspection Program Bulletin****

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Diesel Opacity Inspection Program Test Facilities and Inspectors

Testing Grey Market Vehicles:

Grey market vehicles are new or used vehicles legally imported from another country through channels other than the manufacturer's official distribution system. Grey market vehicles do not have a conforming (US) VIN number or USEPA Vehicle Emissions Control Information (VECI) label. Before the emissions inspector can provide an emissions test for a Grey market vehicle, the vehicle must have valid <u>Colorado</u> registration (may be temporary w/assigned VIN) and a form DR 2365 from the Emissions Technical Center.

Vehicles without a current or temporary <u>Colorado</u> registration must be referred to the Motor Vehicle/Clerk and Recorder's office for a temporary registration.

If the customer does not have a form DR 2365, the inspector must advise the customer to make an appointment at an Emissions Technical Center by calling (303) 744-2522.

Before emissions testing any Grey Market vehicle:

Check the VIN:

- Make sure the VIN provided on the registration matches the VIN on the vehicle.
- Make sure the VIN matches the VIN listed on the form DR 2365.
- Review the form DR 2365 for emissions related equipment found on the vehicle, and for testing instructions.

If the vehicle lacks either a valid Colorado registration, or a form DR 2365, you may not perform an emissions test!

• If you are in doubt regarding the status of any vehicle – contact the DETC for clarification at (303) 744-2522.

This bulletin supersedes any previous procedures related to the inspection of Grey Market Vehicles.

