

CHAPTER 207

MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC REGULATION

HOUSE BILL 05-1214

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Cerbo, Berens, Crane, Larson, McFadyen, Merrifield, Plant, Pommer, Rose, and Coleman;
also SENATOR(S) Spence, and Williams.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLES, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, AMENDING THE EXEMPTIONS FROM THE MOTORIST INSURANCE IDENTIFICATION FEE AND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR PERIODIC EMISSION CONTROL INSPECTIONS.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 42-4-310 (1) (a) (II) (C) and (1) (c) (III), Colorado Revised Statutes, are amended to read:

42-4-310. Periodic emissions control inspection required. (1) (a) (II) (C) If such vehicle is being registered in the program area for the first time, the owner shall obtain any certification required for the county where registration is sought and shall submit such certification to the department of revenue or an authorized agent thereof with such owner's application for the registration of the motor vehicle. A MOTOR VEHICLE BEING REGISTERED IN THE PROGRAM AREA FOR THE FIRST TIME MAY BE REGISTERED WITHOUT AN INSPECTION OR CERTIFICATION IF THE VEHICLE HAS NOT YET REACHED ITS FOURTH MODEL YEAR OR A LATER MODEL YEAR ESTABLISHED BY THE COMMISSION PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-4-306 (8) (b), C.R.S.

(c) (III) Vehicles that are registered in a program area ~~that~~ AND are being operated outside such area but within another program area shall comply with all program requirements of the area where such vehicles are being operated. Vehicles registered in a program area that are being temporarily operated outside ~~of any program area~~ THE STATE at the time of registration or registration renewal may apply to the department of revenue for a temporary exemption from program requirements. Upon return to the program area, such vehicles must be in compliance with all requirements within fifteen days. A TEMPORARY EXEMPTION SHALL NOT BE GRANTED IF THE VEHICLE WILL BE OPERATED IN AN EMISSIONS TESTING AREA IN ANOTHER STATE UNLESS PROOF OF EMISSIONS FROM THAT AREA IS SUBMITTED.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

SECTION 2. Effective date - applicability. This act shall take effect September 1, 2005, and shall apply to motor vehicle registrations on or after said date.

SECTION 3. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: June 1, 2005