

**SUBCHAPTER 32. INSPECTION STANDARDS AND TEST PROCEDURES TO BE USED BY  
OFFICIAL INSPECTION FACILITIES**

**§ 13:20-32.1 Definitions**

The following words and terms, when used in this subchapter, shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates otherwise.

"Acute area of the windshield glazing" means the rectangular area of the windshield, eight and one-half inches by 11 inches, directly in front of the driver's line of vision as depicted in Appendix A of this subchapter, incorporated herein by reference. The center point of the acute area of the windshield glazing is the point of intersection of the centerline that is drawn directly from the center of the steering wheel onto the windshield and the midpoint line that is drawn across the length of the windshield halfway between the top and the bottom of the windshield.

"Certificate of approval" means an inspection sticker issued by an official inspection facility, a licensed private inspection facility, a State specialty inspection facility or the Motor Vehicle Commission's Mobile Inspection Unit certifying that a motor vehicle complies with the requirements of Title 39 and Title 26 of the Revised Statutes, N.J.A.C. 13:20-43, this subchapter or N.J.A.C. 13:20-33, whichever is applicable, and either N.J.A.C. 7:27-15 and 7:27B-5 regarding the inspection of gasoline-fueled and bi-fueled motor vehicles or N.J.A.C. 7:27-14 and 7:27B-4 regarding the inspection of diesel-fueled motor vehicles, whichever are applicable.

"Chief Administrator" means the Chief Administrator of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission.

"Commercial motor vehicle inspection" means the inspection for mechanical defects with applicable emission test or emission component test of taxicabs, limousines, jitneys, commercial vehicles, driving school vehicles, and all buses not inspected by Motor Vehicle Commission Inspection Services Bus Unit.

"Commercial vehicle" means all vehicles registered according to N.J.S.A. 39:3-20, regardless of weight (if gasoline or bi-fueled) or having a GVWR of 8,500 pounds or less (if diesel fueled).

"Critical area of the windshield glazing" means the area of the windshield cleaned by the normal sweep of the windshield wiper blades provided as original equipment by the motor vehicle manufacturer as depicted in Appendix A of this subchapter.

"Driving school vehicle" means any vehicle owned or leased by a licensed Motor Vehicle Commission driving school used to provide driver training and testing to school clients.

"Electric vehicle" means any vehicle powered solely by electric without an on-board engine or generator, and that does not use a hydrocarbon fuel to create electricity. These vehicles include plug-in electric, but not plug-in hybrid electric, or solar powered vehicles.

"EPA" means the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

"Gross vehicle weight rating" or "GVWR" means the value specified by the manufacturer as the maximum loaded weight of a single or combination (articulated) vehicle.

"Initial inspection" means the required inspection conducted on a motor vehicle at the beginning of each inspection cycle as appropriate for the vehicle to obtain a certificated of approval for a new inspection cycle.

"Inspection decal" means an inspection sticker issued by an official inspection facility in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4 setting forth the year and month in which a motor vehicle less than four model years old shall be presented for inspection in this State.

"Jitney" means an autobus as defined in N.J.S.A. 48:16-23 with a carrying capacity of not more than 13 passengers, operated under municipal consent upon a route established wholly within the limits of a single municipality or with a carrying capacity of not more than 20 passengers operated under municipal consent upon a route established wholly within the limits of not more than four contiguous municipalities within any county of the fifth or sixth class, which route in either case does not, in whole or in part, parallel upon the same street the line of any street railway or traction railway or any other autobus route.

"Limousine" means any motor vehicle that is issued special registration plates bearing the word "limousine" pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:3-19.5 other than motor vehicles that are subject to inspection by the Motor Vehicle Commission's Commercial Bus Inspection and Investigation Unit.

"Motor Vehicle Commission" or "Commission" means the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission established by section 4 of P.L. 2003, c. 13 (N.J.S.A. 39:2A-4).

"OBD-eligible" means capable of receiving an OBD inspection as determined by the Department of Environmental Protection in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:27-15.5(m) or 7:27-14.5(g), whichever is applicable.

"Official inspection facility" means a test-only inspection facility that the State Treasurer has contracted for pursuant to section 4 of P.L. 1995, c.112.

"Omnibus" means all motor vehicles used for the transportation of passengers for hire, except commuter vans and vehicles used in ridesharing arrangements and school buses, if the same are not otherwise used in the transportation of passengers for hire.

"Omnibus 2" means motor vehicles operated by a company or individual that provides passenger transportation to a target audience and market that is not in competition with a publicly regulated transit route or does not collect fares from the general public.

"On-board diagnostics" or "OBD" means an automotive diagnostic system complying with California Air Resources Board OBD regulations or EPA OBD regulations effective for model year 1996 and newer gasoline-fueled and bi-fueled motor vehicles and for model year 1997 and newer diesel-fueled motor vehicles.

"Passenger vehicle" means all vehicles registered with registration codes 1 through 9, 12 (not utilized to transport passengers), 15, 31, and 73.

"Passenger vehicle transportation" means vehicles regardless of fuel type, plated as taxicab, limousine, jitney, Omnibus 2, hotel bus, paratransit vehicle, mobile assistance vehicle, or ambulance, except those vehicles inspected by the Commission's Inspection Services Bus Unit.

"Peripheral area of the windshield glazing" means the area of the windshield, other than the acute area and the critical area, as depicted in Appendix A of this subchapter.

"Private inspection facility" means any person, partnership, or corporation licensed by the Motor Vehicle Commission pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-44 to perform the motor vehicle inspections required by N.J.S.A. 39:8-1.

"Re-inspection" means any subsequent inspection required due to a failure of an initial inspection, in order for a vehicle to obtain a certificate of approval.

"State specialty inspection facility" means a test-only inspection facility that is operated by the Motor Vehicle Commission to inspect certain motor vehicles as specified in N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.3(d).

"Taxicab" means an autocab as defined in N.J.S.A. 48:16-1 engaged in the business of carrying passengers for hire, which is held out, announced or advertised to operate or run or which is operated or run over any of the streets or public highways of this State and particularly accepts and discharges such persons as may offer themselves for transportation from points or places to points or places within or without the State.

#### **HISTORY:**

Administrative change.

See: 33 N.J.R. 4388(a).

Amended by R.2003 d.206, effective May 19, 2003.

See: 34 N.J.R. 2523(a), 35 N.J.R. 2251(b).

Amended "Certificate of waiver"; added "EPA" and "'On-board diagnostics' or 'OBD'".

Amended by R.2006 d.249, effective July 3, 2006.

See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

Substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission" for "Division" throughout; added definitions "Chief Administrator" and "Motor Vehicle Commission"; and deleted definitions "Director" and "Division".

Amended by R.2007 d.33, effective February 5, 2007 (operative March 1, 2007).

See: 38 N.J.R. 2636(a), 39 N.J.R. 498(c).

Added definitions "Acute area of the windshield glazing", "Critical area of the windshield glazing" and "Peripheral area of the windshield glazing".

Amended by R.2009 d.312, effective October 19, 2009.

See: 41 N.J.R. 1674(a), 41 N.J.R. 3939(b).

In definition "Certificate of approval", deleted "or" preceding "a State", and inserted "or the Motor Vehicle Commission's Mobile Inspection Unit", "either", "gasoline-fueled and bi-fueled", and "or N.J.A.C. 7:27-14 and 7:27B-4 regarding the inspection of diesel-fueled motor vehicles, whichever are applicable"; deleted definition "Certificate of waiver"; added definitions "Inspection decal", "Jitney", "Limousine", "OBD-eligible" and "Taxicab", and in definition "On-board diagnostics", inserted "Air Resources Board", "gasoline-fueled and bi-fueled" and "and for model year 1997 and newer diesel-fueled motor vehicles", and deleted "II" following "EPA OBD".

Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.

See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).

Added definitions "Commercial motor vehicle inspection", "Driving school vehicle", and "Electric vehicle".

Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.

See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).

Added definitions "Commercial vehicle", "Initial inspection", "Omnibus", "Omnibus 2", "Passenger vehicle", "Passenger vehicle transportation", and "Re-inspection".

## **§ 13:20-32.2 General provisions; official inspection facilities**

(a) This subchapter contains the inspection standards and test procedures to be used by official inspection facilities when inspecting and certifying passenger vehicles.

(b) Official inspection facilities shall be authorized to engage in the initial inspection of passenger vehicles. Official inspection facilities shall not inspect commercial vehicles, passenger vehicle transportation, school buses, retired school buses that are subject to inspection in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-30, buses that are subject to inspection by the Motor Vehicle Commission's Inspection Services Bus Unit, or motor vehicles with elevated chassis height that are subject to inspection in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-37.

(c) An official inspection facility shall be authorized to affix an inspection certificate of approval on a passenger vehicle upon initial inspection as certification of compliance with inspection requirements. All motor vehicles requiring a re-inspection must be presented at a private inspection facility, licensed by the Motor Vehicle Commission.

(d) If a passenger vehicle registered in New Jersey conforms to the inspection standards set forth in this subchapter and the inspection standards established by the Department of Environmental Protection at N.J.A.C. 7:27-15 and 7:27B-5 or 7:27-14 and 7:27B-4, whichever are applicable, the motor vehicle shall be certified by an official inspection facility by removing the previously-issued inspection certificate of approval, inspection decal, or inspection rejection sticker, if any, and replacing it with a current inspection certificate of approval. The inspection certificate of approval issued by an official inspection facility shall be affixed to the lower left corner of the windshield inside the passenger compartment of the motor vehicle, approximately three inches from the bottom of the windshield and approximately four inches from the left side of the windshield, but in every case, the inspection certificate of approval shall be completely visible from the front of the motor vehicle. The inspection certificate of approval shall be affixed in an upright position.

(e) If a passenger vehicle registered in New Jersey does not conform to the inspection standards set forth in this subchapter or the inspection standards established by the Department of Environmental Protection at N.J.A.C. 7:27-15 and 7:27B-5 or 7:27-14 and 7:27B-4, whichever are applicable, an official inspection facility shall present the motor vehicle inspection report for the passenger vehicle to the operator thereof, and shall affix an inspection rejection sticker to the lower left corner of the windshield inside the passenger compartment of the motor vehicle directly above the previously-issued certificate of approval or inspection decal, if any, affixed to the windshield. If there is no previously-issued certificate of approval or inspection decal affixed to the windshield, an official inspection facility shall affix an inspection rejection sticker and a numerical month indicator to the lower left corner of the windshield inside the passenger compartment of the motor vehicle. If the motor vehicle that has failed inspection is a motor vehicle that has been presented for inspection in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(e)1 or (j)1, an official inspection facility shall remove the previously-issued inspection certificate of approval, inspection decal, and/or collector motor vehicle windshield sticker, if any, affixed to the windshield and shall affix an inspection rejection sticker and a numerical month indicator to the lower left corner of the windshield inside the passenger compartment of the motor vehicle. The inspection rejection sticker shall be an indication that adjustments, corrections, or repairs to the motor vehicle that has failed inspection must be made and the motor vehicle presented for re-inspection within the period of time set forth in N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.5.

(f) Notwithstanding (e) above, if a passenger vehicle registered in New Jersey does not conform to the inspection standards set forth in this subchapter or the inspection standards established by the Department of Environmental Protection at N.J.A.C. 7:27-15 and 7:27B-5 or 7:27-14 and 7:27B-4, whichever are

applicable, and the nature of the defect(s) found is such as to constitute a hazard to the public safety, so as to require immediate repairs to such motor vehicle, an official inspection facility shall present the motor vehicle inspection report or inspection card for the passenger vehicle to the operator thereof, shall remove the previously-issued inspection certificate of approval, inspection decal, and/or inspection rejection sticker, if any, and shall affix a "48 hour" inspection rejection sticker to the lower left corner of the windshield inside the passenger compartment of the motor vehicle. A defect that constitutes a hazard to the public safety, so as to require immediate repairs to a motor vehicle shall include, but not be limited to, the items specified in N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.6(b). The "48 hour" inspection rejection sticker shall be an indication that the defect(s) deemed to constitute a hazard to the public safety must be repaired and the motor vehicle presented for re-inspection within the period of time set forth in N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.6(a).

(g) A motor vehicle inspection report, issued to an owner or lessee of a motor vehicle with elevated chassis height, a motor vehicle which has been modified at the direction of the New Jersey Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services, a reconstructed vehicle, or a salvage motor vehicle that is subject to inspection at a State specialty inspection facility in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.3(d), shall be marked "MUST BE REINSPECTED AT A STATE SPECIALTY INSPECTION FACILITY." When a motor vehicle inspection report is marked in this manner, an official inspection facility shall neither reinspect nor certify the motor vehicle, as it must be returned to a State specialty inspection facility for such reinspection and certification.

(h) Any motor vehicle presented for initial inspection shall undergo a complete inspection. Once the inspection has commenced it shall not be terminated until the motor vehicle is either certified or rejected. An inspection may be terminated prior to completion when the condition of the motor vehicle being inspected makes it unsafe to complete such inspection and the vehicle shall fail the inspection. These conditions include, but are not limited to:

1. Flat tire(s);
2. Excessive smoke;
3. Uncontrollable engine speed;
4. Brake system failure;
5. Inability of the vehicle to move forward and/or in reverse;
6. Major fluid leak which impairs the vehicle's ability to operate while being inspected; and
7. Inability of the vehicle to operate.

(i) Any motor vehicle for which the current inspection certificate of approval or inspection decal has been lost, stolen, destroyed, or defaced, or any motor vehicle that has had its windshield replaced, may be presented at an official inspection facility for the issuance of a replacement inspection certificate of approval or inspection decal. Such a replacement inspection certificate of approval or inspection decal shall be affixed to the motor vehicle provided the operator thereof presents a valid driver's license for the class of motor vehicle being operated, a valid New Jersey motor vehicle registration certificate and a valid New Jersey insurance identification card for the motor vehicle, if applicable, and further provided that there are no obvious emission-related or OBD-related defects.

(j) Any new motor vehicle purchased in a foreign jurisdiction for which a temporary authorization certificate has been issued by the Motor Vehicle Commission in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(d)

shall be presented at an official inspection facility for the issuance of an appropriate inspection decal. A new motor vehicle receiving a decal pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(d) and this subsection shall be subject to inspection not later than five years from the last day of the calendar month in which the decal was issued for such motor vehicle and the decal affixed to such motor vehicle pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(d) and this subsection shall so indicate; provided, however, that a new motor vehicle receiving a decal pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(d) and this subsection that is registered as a commercial vehicle or passenger vehicle transportation shall be subject to inspection not later than one year from the last day of the calendar month in which the decal was issued for such motor vehicle and the decal affixed to such motor vehicle pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(d) and this subsection shall so indicate. Such a decal shall be affixed to the motor vehicle provided the operator thereof presents a valid driver's license for the class of motor vehicle being operated, a valid New Jersey motor vehicle registration certificate, and a valid New Jersey insurance identification card for the motor vehicle, if applicable, and further provided that there are no obvious emission-related or OBD-related defects.

**(k)** Any motor vehicle less than five model years old for which a temporary authorization certificate has been issued by the Motor Vehicle Commission in accordance with N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(a), (g), or (i) that is presented at an official inspection facility and is eligible for the issuance of an inspection decal pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(a), (g)1, or (i)2 shall be subject to the provisions of this subsection. A motor vehicle receiving a decal pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(a), (g)1, or (i)2 and this subsection shall be subject to inspection during the calendar year in which the motor vehicle becomes five model years old no later than the last day of the calendar month within that year that is designated on the decal affixed to such motor vehicle pursuant to N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.4(a), (g)1, or (i)2 and this subsection. Such a decal shall be affixed to the motor vehicle provided the operator thereof presents a valid driver's license for the class of motor vehicle being operated, a valid New Jersey motor vehicle registration certificate, and a valid New Jersey insurance identification card for the motor vehicle.

#### **HISTORY:**

Amended by R.2001 d.358, effective October 15, 2001.

See: 33 N.J.R. 1894(a), 33 N.J.R. 3651(b).

In (f), substituted "7:27B-5" for "7:27B-4" and added the third sentence; in (l), substituted "7:27B-5" for "7:27B-4" and substituted "45 days of the date of the most recent inspection rejection" for "the period of time set forth in N.J.A.C. 13:20-7.5, 7.6(a) or 43.14(g), whichever is applicable"; added (r) and (s) .

Administrative change.

See: 33 N.J.R. 4388(a).

Amended by R.2003 d.206, effective May 19, 2003.

See: 34 N.J.R. 2523(a), 35 N.J.R. 2251(b).

In (l) and (q) through (s), inserted ", or OBD-related" preceding "defects" throughout.

Amended by R.2006 d.249, effective July 3, 2006.

See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

Substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission" for "Division" throughout; in (b), substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission's" for "Division's"; in (k), inserted "and Workforce Development" following "Labor"; and in (r), substituted "four" for "two".

Amended by R.2009 d.312, effective October 19, 2009.

See: 41 N.J.R. 1674(a), 41 N.J.R. 3939(b).

Rewrote (a) and (b); deleted former (d); recodified former (e) through (g) as (d) through (f); rewrote (d) through (f); deleted former (h); recodified former (i) through (r) as (g) through (p); rewrote (j), (k), (m) and (o); rewrote (p), operative January 1, 2010; added new (q), operative January 1, 2010; recodified former (s) as (r); and rewrote (r).

Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.

See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).

Rewrote the section.

Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.

See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).  
Rewrote the section.

### **§ 13:20-32.3 Credentials; official inspection facilities**

(a) The driver of a passenger motor vehicle presented for inspection shall possess a valid driver's license for the class of motor vehicle being operated, a valid New Jersey motor vehicle registration certificate, and a valid New Jersey insurance identification card for the motor vehicle, if applicable. Official inspection facilities employees shall advise motorists of such requirement.

(b) Certification of a motor vehicle shall not be refused because the New Jersey motor vehicle registration certificate presented by the motorist contains a typographical error(s) in the vehicle identification number, provided the make, year and license plate number of the motor vehicle set forth on the registration certificate are accurate.

#### **HISTORY:**

Amended by R.2007 d.33, effective February 5, 2007 (operative March 1, 2007).

See: 38 N.J.R. 2636(a), 39 N.J.R. 498(c).

Inserted designation (a); and added (b).

Amended by R.2009 d.312, effective October 19, 2009.

See: 41 N.J.R. 1674(a), 41 N.J.R. 3939(b).

In (b), deleted a comma following "year" and deleted the former last sentence.

Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.

See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).

Rewrote (a); and added (c) and (d).

Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.

See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).

Deleted (c) and (d).

### **§ 13:20-32.4 License plates; official inspection facilities**

(a) A motor vehicle shall not be certified unless at least one of the license plates is in the possession of the operator when the motor vehicle is presented for inspection.

(b) Certification of a passenger motor vehicle shall not be refused because the following requirements are not met; however, the motorist shall be advised to have the condition corrected:

1. The license plates shall be clear and distinct and free from grease, dirt, or other blurring material so that they are plainly visible at all times of the day and night;
2. The license plates shall be securely attached to the front and rear of the motor vehicle, respectively;
3. The license plates shall be displayed not less than 12 inches nor more than 48 inches from the ground in a horizontal position, right side up and right side out; provided, however, that the rear license plate may be displayed more than 48 inches from the ground on tank trucks, trailers and other commercial vehicles carrying inflammable liquids and on sanitation vehicles which are used to collect, transport and dispose of garbage, solid wastes and refuse;

4. The letters and/or numbers on the license plates shall agree with the letters and/or numbers on the registration certificate of the motor vehicle;
5. A license plate shall not be obstructed by a trailer hitch, snow plow bracket, bumper, bumper guard, sign, mounting bolt head, reflector, or by any other device or material;
6. The license plates shall not be covered by glass, plastic, or similar material; or
7. The license plates shall not be bent, illegible, or defaced.

#### **HISTORY:**

Amended by R.2006 d.249, effective July 3, 2006.

See: 38 N.J.R. 386(b), 38 N.J.R. 2835(a).

In (b)8, substituted "Registration" for "The registration", inserted ", which may be" following "decal(s)", substituted "Motor Vehicle Commission" for "Division" and inserted ", if issued," following "shall".

Amended by R.2007 d.33, effective February 5, 2007 (operative March 1, 2007).

See: 38 N.J.R. 2636(a), 39 N.J.R. 498(c).

In (a), substituted "unless at least one of" for "if" and "is" for "are not" following "license plates" and deleted ", or if the letters and/or numbers on the license plates are illegible" from the end; and in (b)7, inserted ", illegible,".

Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.

See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).

In the introductory paragraph of (b), inserted "passenger"; in (b)6, inserted "or"; in (b)7, substituted a period for "; or" at the end; deleted (b)8; and added (c).

Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.

See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).

Deleted (c).

**§ 13:20-32.5 (Reserved)**

**§ 13:20-32.6 (Reserved)**

**§ 13:20-32.7 (Reserved)**

**§ 13:20-32.8 (Reserved)**

**§ 13:20-32.9 (Reserved)**

**§ 13:20-32.10 (Reserved)**

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**§ 13:20-32.13 (Reserved)**

**§ 13:20-32.14 (Reserved)**



§ 13:20-32.15 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.16 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.17 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.18 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.19 (Reserved)

**§ 13:20-32.20 Vehicle inspection: exhaust system; official inspection facilities**

A passenger vehicle shall not be certified if there is evidence of tampering with emission control apparatus in violation of N.J.A.C. 7:27-15.7.

**HISTORY:**

Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.

See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).

Section was "Exhaust system; official inspection facilities".

Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.

See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).

Section was "Commercial vehicle inspection: exhaust system; official inspection facilities". Rewrote the section.

**§ 13:20-32.21 Vehicle inspection: visible smoke and on-board diagnostics test(s); official inspection facilities**

(a) With respect to each gasoline-fueled or bi-fueled passenger vehicle that is presented for inspection, an official inspection facility shall conduct the emission or OBD test(s) specified for such motor vehicle at N.J.A.C. 13:20-43.8 in accordance with the inspection standards and test procedures established by the Department of Environmental Protection at N.J.A.C. 7:27-15 and 7:27B-5.

(b) With respect to each OBD-equipped and OBD-eligible diesel-fueled passenger vehicle with model year 1997 or newer having a GVWR of 8,500 pounds or less that is presented for inspection, an official inspection facility shall conduct a visible smoke test and an OBD test specified for such motor vehicle in accordance with the inspection standards and test procedures established by the Department of Environmental Protection at N.J.A.C. 7:27-14 and 7:27B-4. An OBD inspection shall not be required pursuant to this subsection for any OBD-equipped diesel-fueled motor vehicle that is not OBD-eligible, as shall be determined by the Department of Environmental Protection.

**HISTORY:**

Administrative change.

See: 33 N.J.R. 4388(a).

Amended by R.2003 d.206, effective May 19, 2003.

See: 34 N.J.R. 2523(a), 35 N.J.R. 2251(b).  
Inserted "or OBD" following "the emission".  
Amended by R.2009 d.312, effective October 19, 2009.  
See: 41 N.J.R. 1674(a), 41 N.J.R. 3939(b).  
Inserted designation (a); in (a), inserted "that is"; and added (b) through (d).  
Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.  
See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).  
Section was "Prescribed emission or on-board diagnostics test(s); official inspection facilities".  
Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.  
See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).  
Section was "Commercial vehicle inspection: prescribed emission or on-board diagnostics test(s); official inspection facilities". In (a) and (b), substituted "passenger" for the first occurrence of "motor"; and deleted (c) and (d).

### **§ 13:20-32.22 On-board diagnostics inspection equipment maintenance; official inspection facilities**

OBD inspection equipment shall be maintained in accordance with the manufacturer's requirements and the general instructions for all tests adopted by the Department of Environmental Protection at N.J.A.C. 7:27B-4.2(b) and 5.2.

#### **HISTORY:**

Administrative change.  
See: 33 N.J.R. 4388(a).  
Amended by R.2003 d.206, effective May 19, 2003.  
See: 34 N.J.R. 2523(a), 35 N.J.R. 2251(b).  
Inserted "and OBD inspection equipment" following "emission test equipment" and deleted "calibrated and" preceding "maintained".  
Amended by R.2009 d.312, effective October 19, 2009.  
See: 41 N.J.R. 1674(a), 41 N.J.R. 3939(b).  
Inserted "and 4.2(b)".  
Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.  
See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).  
Section was "Emission test equipment and on-board diagnostics inspection equipment maintenance; official inspection facilities". Substituted "N.J.A.C. 7:27B-4.2(b) and 5.2" for "N.J.A.C. 7:27B-5.2 and 4.2(b)".  
Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.  
See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).  
Section was "Commercial vehicle inspection: emission test equipment and on-board diagnostics inspection equipment maintenance; official inspection facilities". Deleted "The emission test equipment and" preceding "OBD".

### **§ 13:20-32.23 (Reserved)**

### **§ 13:20-32.24 (Reserved)**

### **§ 13:20-32.25 (Reserved)**

### **§ 13:20-32.26 (Reserved)**

§ 13:20-32.27 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.28 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.29 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.30 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.31 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.32 (Reserved)

§ 13:20-32.33 (Reserved)

**§ 13:20-32.34 Vehicle inspection: fuel system; official inspection facilities**

Fuel leakage at any point in the motor vehicle fuel system shall be cause for rejection. The fuel tank and piping shall be securely mounted and in proper condition and the fuel tank shall be properly capped.

**HISTORY:**

Amended by R.2014 d.008, effective January 6, 2014.

See: 45 N.J.R. 842(a), 46 N.J.R. 103(c).

Section was "Fuel system; official inspection facilities".

Amended by R.2016 d.050, effective May 16, 2016.

See: 48 N.J.R. 249(a), 48 N.J.R. 810(a).

Section was "Commercial vehicle inspection: fuel system; official inspection facilities". Deleted a comma following "condition".

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