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CD-18-02 (All Manufacturers and Converters)

Subject: Adjustment of the Motor Vehicle and Engine Compliance Program Fees for Calendar Year 2019

Dear Manufacturer:

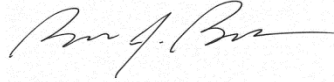
The Motor Vehicle and Engine Compliance Program (MVECP) fees rule (69 Fed. Reg. 26222, May 11, 2004) provided for annual certification fees adjustment and advance notification of the same. In accordance with updated fees regulations 40 C.F.R. 1027.105(c), this letter serves as EPA's advance notification of the new fees for complete applications for certification received by EPA on or after January 1, 2019, through December 31, 2019. Please note that fees are determined by the calendar year in which a complete application is received, not by the model year. The new certification fees schedule is provided in Attachment 1 to this letter.

The new fees are calculated by inserting the appropriate values for each category into the formulas shown in Attachment 2. The formulas take into account changes in labor costs (multiplying the labor costs by a factor derived from changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI)), and apply an adjustment factor that is based on the average number of certificates issued in the 2016 and 2017 model years for each fee/industry category. The CPI value for November, 2017, which was obtained from the United States Department of Labor, is 246.669. The number of certificates for each fee/industry category for the 2016 and 2017 model years is provided in Attachment 2 to this letter. The formula also includes fixed operating (Op) and labor (L) costs and these values are set forth in 40 C.F.R. 1027.105(d)(1).

EPA has transitioned to a fully electronic payment system for the submission of fee payments and fee forms that improves processing time and notification of fees payment. Fee forms are no longer available on EPA's website. A new fee filing form that may be used for all payment types is available on Pay.gov.

Any questions regarding the adjusted fees or fee payments should be directed to your EPA certification team representative, and any questions about the process EPA has employed in arriving at the new fees or the transition to electronic fee payment should be directed to Lynn Sohacki at 734-214-4851.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Byron J. Bunker". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Byron J. Bunker, Director
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Enclosures

Enclosure 1 to CD-18-02
Table of Fees for Calendar Year 2019

Category (Industry Sector Codes from fifth digit of engine family name)	Certificate Type	Fee for Calendar Year 2019
Light-Duty Vehicles, Light-Duty Trucks, Medium-Duty Passenger Vehicles, excluding ICIs (A,V,T,J)	Federal Certificate ¹	\$26,864
	California-only Certificate ¹	\$14,367
Complete Heavy-Duty Highway Vehicles , excluding ICIs (D)	Federal Certificate ¹	\$26,864
	California-only Certificate ¹	\$14,367
ICIs for the following industries: LD, MDPV, or Complete HD Vehicles	All Types	\$97,115 or 1% of the aggregate retail sales value of the vehicles being certified
Heavy-Duty Highway Engines, (H,E)	Federal Certificate ¹	\$55,892
	California-only Certificate ¹	\$563*
Heavy-Duty Evaporative (F)	Evaporative Family Certificate	\$563*
Highway Motorcycles, including ICIs (C)	All Types	\$1,852*
Nonroad Compression-Ignition Engines excluding Locomotives, Marine and Recreational engines (L)	All Types	\$2,940
Nonroad Spark-Ignition Engines (S,B)	All Types	\$563*
Marine Engines (W,N,M)	All Types regulated by 40 CFR parts -1045 and 94 or Annex VI ¹	\$563*
All Nonroad Recreational, excluding Marine engines (Y,X)	All Types	\$563*
Locomotives (K,G)	All Types	\$563*
Equipment and Fuel System Components (P)	All Types	\$451*

¹ Federal and California-only Certificates and Annex VI are defined in 40 C.F.R. 1027.110(a)

* Remains at 2018 amount as per 40 C.F.R. 1027.105(c)(2)

Enclosure 2 to CD-18-02
“Op” and “L” Values and Number of Certificates for 2016 and 2017

Fee Category	“Op”	“L”	2016 Certificates	2017 Certificates
LD Cert/FE	\$3,322,039	\$2,548,110	556	550
LD In-Use	\$2,858,223	\$2,184,331	544	548
LD ICI	\$344,824	\$264,980	8	9
MC HW	\$225,726	\$172,829	288	299
HD HW	\$1,106,224	\$1,625,680	62	77
NR CI	\$486,401	\$545,160	487	491
Other	\$177,425	\$548,081	1,953	2057
Equipment and Fuel System Components	\$5,039	\$236,670	843	870

For each category except Equipment and Fuel System Components:

Certification fee (Calendar Year 2019) = [Op + L* (CPI Nov 2017 /CPI 2002)] * 1.169/[(Cert # 2016 + Cert # 2017) * .5], CPI 2002=180.9

For Equipment and Fuel System Components:

Certification fee (Calendar Year 2019) = [Op + L* (CPI Nov 2017 /CPI 2006)] * 1.169/[(Cert # 2016 + Cert # 2017) * .5], CPI 2006=201.8

The LD Fed. Certificate fee is the LD in-use and LD Cert/FE category fees added together. The LD Cal-only fee is only the LD Cert/FE category fee.

The CPI is posted on the United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics website in the page entitled “Consumer Price Index Data from 1913 to 2017,” Table: “All Urban Customers – (CPI – U), 1913-2017*”:

<http://www.usinflationcalculator.com/inflation/consumer-price-index-and-annual-percent-changes-from-1913-to-2008/>