QUALITY ASSURANCE OFFICERS AND PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE

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SUBJECT: EMISSIONS CERTIFICATION TRAINING

Emissions Certification Training

As you may know, beginning in January 2004, Pennsylvania's Emissions Inspection and Maintenance (I/M) Program is scheduled to begin in the Northern Region, which consists of Blair, Cambria, Centre, Erie, Lackawanna, Luzerne, Lycoming and Mercer counties. The following implementation schedule for each county is planned:

Beginning January 2004
Beginning February 2004
Beginning March 2004

Erie and Mercer Blair, Cambria, and Centre Lackawanna, Luzerne, and Lycoming

Station owners who wish to participate in the upcoming emissions program need to have at least one certified emissions inspector employed at their station in order to be eligible for appointment as an Official Emissions Inspection Station.

Since the program is tailored to meet specific air quality needs, a special Emissions Inspector Certification course has been designed to enable technicians to perform only the required emissions Visual Anti-Tampering Check and Gas Cap Test.

The Emissions Inspector Certification course is a home study training program. This training program is available via a three to four hour web-based course or by obtaining a printed manual. If you select the web-based training, it can be accessed through www.delphi-iss.com/paim. If you select the written manual, it can be purchased by calling the Aspire customer service toll free number at 1-800-247-1099, then pressing option 5.

Upon completion of the required training, a web-based final exam will be administered at Vo-techs and Community Colleges in the above listed counties. The user name and password (provided when registering for this training program) and a valid driver's license will be needed at the time of testing. Attached is a listing of testing facilities. As more facilities become available to offer the testing, the attached list will be

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updated. You may view the most recent list of testing facilities at www.drivecleanpa.state.pa.us.

I look forward to your participation in Pennsylvania's Emissions Program. If you have any questions, please contact the Vehicle Inspection Division at (717) 787-2895.

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BLAIR COUNTY		
Greater Altoona Career & Technology Center	Sharon Linaburg	(814) 946-8470
CAMBRIA COUNTY		
Admiral Peary AVTS	Gary Glass	(814) 472-6490
CENTRE COUNTY		
Central PA Institute of Science & Technology	June Irwin	(814) 359-2793
ERIE COUNTY		
Erie County AVTS	Mary Ellen Camp	(814) 864-0641 ext 227 or 357
Corry Area Middle High School	Sandy Kalika	(814) 665-8297 ext 116
LACKAWANNA COUNTY		
Career Technology Center of Lackawanna Cty	Vincent Nallo	(570) 346-8471 ext 173
Johnson College	Dominic Carachilo or Helen Loftus	(570) 342-6404 ext 113 or 115

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LUZERNE COUNTY		
West Side AVTS	Joe Barush or Janice Krupa	(570) 288-8493 ext 161
Wilkes-Barre AVTS	Frank Majikes	(570) 822-4131
Hazleton Area Career Center	Danielle Bokeko	(570) 459-3111 ext 3162
LYCOMING COUNTY		
Jersey Shore High School	Pat English	(570) 398-7170 ext 1619
Lycoming County Career Vocational Tech	Susan Iachini	(570) 327-9001
Pennsylvania College of Technology	Deb Sanders	(570) 327-4775
MERCER COUNTY		
Mercer County Career Center	Beth Shook	(724) 662-3000 ext 1010