

WHAT TO DO IF YOUR VEHICLE FAILED EMISSIONS

If a vehicle fails either portion of the emissions test, emissions-related repairs must be completed before it is retested.

Vehicles that continue to fail may be eligible for a waiver after a fixed amount has been spent on emissions-related repairs.

TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A WAIVER ALL THE BELOW MUST APPLY:

The vehicle has failed inspection for emissions three times.

Engine parameters are set to the manufacturer's specifications.

The vehicle did not fail for visible smoke or missing emissions control equipment.

THE REPAIR COST HAS EXCEEDED THE LIMIT:

\$75 model year 1968-1980 (all counties)

\$200 model year 1981 and newer (Sussex County)

\$1110 model year 1981 and newer (New Castle and Kent Counties)

ALL REPAIR RECEIPTS, AND VEHICLE INSPECTION REPORTS (VIR) MUST ACCOMPANY THE WAIVER APPLICATION.

A DNREC CERTIFIED EMISSION REPAIR TECHNICIAN MUST COMPLETE ALL REPAIRS.

documents.dnrec.delaware.gov/Air/inspection-maintenance/Certified-Emission-Repair-Technician-List.pdf



**SCAN FOR LIST
OF CERTIFIED FACILITIES**



[DNREC.DELAWARE.GOV](https://dnrec.delaware.gov)



Delaware Division of Motor Vehicles

[DMV.DE.GOV](https://dmv.de.gov)

QUESTIONS?

DMVCustomerService@delaware.gov

Wilmington 302-434-3243

Delaware City 302-832-5172

Dover 302-744-2560

Georgetown 302-853-1018

For more information on the amendment to Delaware's Inspection and Maintenance Program and under [7 Del. Admin C. §1126](#) and [7 Del. Admin C. §1131](#) visit dnrec.delaware.gov.



APPLICATION FOR EMISSIONS TEST WAIVER

Owner's Name (as appears on registration)

Date Submitted

Address

Please attach all Vehicle Inspection Reports (VIR's) and repair receipts to this application.

City, State, Zip Code

County of residence: Kent New Castle Sussex

Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)

Tag Number

Model Year

Manufacturer

Model

Total cost of repairs applicable towards the waiver requirement \$

Owner's Signature

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

- Verified \$75 Expenditure (model year 1980 and older)
- Verified \$200 Expenditure (model year 1981 and newer Sussex County)
- Verified \$1110 Expenditure (model year 1981 and newer Kent & New Castle Counties)

STATUS

CERT PERMIT #

Approved

Employee Name

Denied

Employee Signature

7 Del. Admin. C. § 1126
7 Del. Admin. C. § 1131

Date

Falsifying information on this waiver application is a Class A misdemeanor and may result in a fine up to \$1000. Original to the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control.