

11 An act relating to motor vehicle inspections

12 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

13 Sec. 1. 23 V.S.A. § 1222 is amended to read:

14 **§ 1222. INSPECTION OF REGISTERED VEHICLES**

15 (a)(1) Except for school buses, which shall be inspected as prescribed in

16 section 1282 of this title, and motor buses as defined in subdivision 4(17) of

17 this title, which shall be inspected twice during the calendar year at six-month

18 intervals, all motor vehicles registered in this State with a gross vehicle weight

19 rating of 10,000 pounds or more shall undergo a safety and visual emissions

20 inspection once each year and all motor vehicles with a gross vehicle weight

- 1 rating of 10,000 pounds or more that are registered in this State and are
- 2 16 model years old or less shall undergo an emissions or on board diagnostic
- 3 (OBD) systems inspection once each year as applicable.

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14 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

15 This act shall take effect on July 1, 2027.