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## **PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

August 6, 2020

## NOTICE: TEMPORARY WAIVER OF CERTAIN TRANSPORTATION INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

This notice is given by the Public Service Commission of Maryland (the "Commission"), acting pursuant to the Proclamation of Governor Lawrence J. Hogan, Jr. (the "Governor") dated March 5, 2020 proclaiming a state of emergency and a catastrophic health emergency related to COVID-19, as it may be amended or renewed from time to time, and the Order of the Governor dated March 12, 2020 entitled "Extending Certain Licenses, Permits, Registrations, and Other Governmental Authorizations, and Authorizing Suspension of Legal Time Requirements", as it may be amended from time to time, after finding that the action(s) described herein will not endanger the public health, welfare, or safety.

The Chairman, on behalf of the Commission, hereby extends the due date for the required annual submission, under COMAR 20.95.01.11B(1) of a valid State Inspection Certificate to the end of this calendar year, and, for Calendar Year 2020, waives the requirement under COMAR 20.95.01.11B(2), to provide a valid State Inspection Certificate on a semi-annual basis for vehicles older than 10 model years (while still requiring the submission of at least one valid State Inspection Certificate by the conclusion of this year).

This waiver, for Calendar Year 2020 only, is effective immediately and shall remain in effect – in the absence of a superseding Commission or Executive Order.

By Direction of the Chairman,

/s/ Andrew S. Johnston

Andrew S. Johnston Executive Secretary