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§ 600.313-08 Timetable for data and information submittal and review.

- (a) A manufacturer shall submit to the Administrator fuel economy label values and sufficient information to determine fuel economy label values within the following time constraints (except for manufacturers designated under §600.312(a)(4) who shall submit the information no later than thirty calendar days prior to the date the model type [vehicle] is initially offered for sale.
- (1) For initial general label values, no later than five working days before the date that the model type is initially offered for sale:
- (2) For specific label values, no later than five working days before any vehicles are offered for sale;
- (3) For model types having label values updated because of running changes (as required under §600.314(b)), the submission must be made at least five working days before the date of implementation of the running change.
- (b) A manufacturer may not proceed with any label calculation until the data from each vehicle used in such calculation satisfies the requirements of \$600.008, except as allowed under the provisions of \$600.314-01(e) and approved by the Administrator.
- (c) If the Administrator has waived any testing in paragraph (b) of this section and subsequently finds that the decision to waive testing was based on an incorrect data submission or that a fuel economy offset exists (based on subsequent testing of that manufacturer's product line), the Administrator may require confirmation of the data generated by any such waived vehicle.

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§ 600.314-08 Updating label values, annual fuel cost, Gas Guzzler Tax, and range of fuel economy for comparable automobiles.

- (a) The label values established in §600.312 shall remain in effect for the model year unless updated in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section.
- (b)(1) The manufacturer shall recalculate the model type fuel economy values for any model type containing base levels affected by running changes specified in §600.507.

- (2) For separate model types created in \$600.209-08(a)(2) or \$600.209-12(a)(2), the manufacturer shall recalculate the model type values for any additions or deletions of subconfigurations to the model type. Minimum data requirements specified in \$600.010(c) shall be met prior to recalculation.
- (3) Label value recalculations shall be performed as follows:
- (i) The manufacturer shall use updated total model year projected sales for label value recalculations.
- (ii) All model year data approved by the Administrator at the time of the recalculation for that model type shall be included in the recalculation.
- (iii) Using the additional data under this paragraph (b), the manufacturer shall calculate new model type city and highway values in accordance with §600.210 except that the values shall be rounded to the nearest 0.1 mpg.
- (iv) The existing label values, calculated in accordance with §600.210, shall be rounded to the nearest 0.1 mpg.
- (4)(i) If the recalculated city or highway fuel economy value in paragraph (b)(3)(iii) of this section is less than the respective city or highway value in paragraph (b)(3)(iv) of this section by 1.0 mpg or more, the manufacturer shall affix labels with the recalculated model type values (rounded to the nearest whole mpg) to all new vehicles of that model type beginning on the day of implementation of the running change.
- (ii) If the recalculated city or highway fuel economy value in paragraph (b)(3)(iii) of this section is higher than the respective city or highway value in paragraph (b)(3)(iv) of this section by 1.0 mpg or more, then the manufacturer has the option to use the recalculated values for labeling the entire model type beginning on the day of implementation of the running change.
- (c) For fuel economy labels updated using recalculated fuel economy values determined in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section, the manufacturer shall concurrently update all other label information (e.g., the annual fuel cost, range of comparable vehicles and the applicability of the Gas Guzzler Tax as needed).