| 26 | (1) (a) A vehicle shall be equipped, maintained, and operated to prevent excessive or |
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| 27 | unusual noise. |
| 28 | (b) A motor vehicle shall be equipped with a muffler or other effective noise |
| 29 | suppressing system in good working order and in constant operation. |
| 30 | (c) A person may not use a muffler cut-out, bypass, or similar device on a vehicle. |
| 31 | (2) (a) Except while the engine is being warmed to the recommended operating |
| 32 | temperature, the engine and power mechanism of a[:(i)] gasoline-powered motor vehicle may |
| 33 | not emit visible contaminants during operation[;]. |
| 34 | [(ii) diesel engine manufactured on or after January 1, 1973, may not emit visible |
| 35 | contaminants of a shade or density darker than 20% opacity; and] |
| 36 | [(iii) diesel engine manufactured before January 1, 1973, may not emit visible |
| 37 | contaminants of a shade or density darker than 40% opacity.] |
| 38 | [(b) A person who violates the provisions of Subsection (2)(a) is guilty of a class C |
| 39 | misdemeanor.] |
| 40 | (b) (i) A diesel engine manufactured on or after January 1, 2008, may not emit visible |
| 41 | contaminants during operation: |
| 42 | (A) except while the engine is being warmed to the recommended operating |
| 43 | temperature \$→ or under a heavy tow ←\$; or |
| 44 | (B) unless the diesel engine is in a vehicle with a manufacturer's gross vehicle weight |
| 45 | rating in excess of 26,000 pounds. |
| 46 | (ii) A diesel engine manufactured before January 1, 2008, may not emit visible |
| 47 | contaminants of a shade or density that obscures a contrasting background by more than 20% |
| 48 | for more than five consecutive seconds: |
| 49 | (A) except while the engine is being warmed to the recommended operating |
| 50 | temperature $\hat{S} \rightarrow \underline{\text{or under a heavy tow}} \leftarrow \hat{S}$; or |
| 51 | (B) unless the diesel engine is in a vehicle with a manufacturer's gross vehicle weight |
| 52 | rating in excess of 26,000 pounds. |
| 53 | (c) A violation of Subsection (2)(a) or (b) is a: |
| 54 | (i) class C misdemeanor on the first offense; and |
| 55 | (ii) class B misdemeanor on the second or subsequent offense. |
| 56 | (3) (a) [A] If a motor vehicle is equipped by a manufacturer with air pollution control |