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By: **Chairman, Environmental Matters Committee (Departmental -  
Environment and Transportation)**

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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program - Termination - Repeal**

3 FOR the purpose of repealing the termination date for the vehicle emissions  
4 inspection program; and generally relating to the vehicle emissions inspection  
5 program.

6 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,  
7 Article - Transportation  
8 Section 23-202(a)  
9 Annotated Code of Maryland  
10 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

11 BY repealing  
12 Article - Transportation  
13 Section 23-208  
14 Annotated Code of Maryland  
15 (1998 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

16 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
17 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

18 **Article - Transportation**

19 23-202.

20 (a) (1) Subject to subsection (d) of this section, the Administration and the  
21 Secretary shall establish an emissions control program in the State in accordance  
22 with the federal Clean Air Act.

23 (2) The program shall remain in effect only as long as required by federal  
24 law.

1 [23-208.

2 Any program adopted under this subtitle terminates on December 31, 2001,  
3 unless, prior to its termination, the period of operation is extended by an Act of the  
4 General Assembly.]

5 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take  
6 effect October 1, 1999.