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Hello,

I want to state that a rule coming from this board is an over reach concerning EV and hybrid requirements for Maine citizens.

The marketplace should decide.

Every state is not the same as far as EV performance due to weather.

It is a known fact that EV's are more intense concerning environmental pollution than gas aor diesel vvehicles.

If the problem is CO2 emissions (which are not truly proven) then address the problem there: do not create a whole new set of problems.

Please table the issue for 5 years.

We will all be glad that you did.

Thank You,

Art B.