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**Re:** Product Approval Code of Practice – August 2007 Edition  
Appendix F – MTEP Methods for Rated Parameters: Sequences IIIGB and VID

The August 2007 edition of the American Chemistry Council (ACC) Product Approval Code of Practice (COP) incorporates the proposed addition of Sequences IIIGB and VID to the table in Appendix F under the MTEP Methods for Rated Parameters section. A portion of the existing and proposed table is provided below to show inclusion of Sequence IIIGB and VID.

#### Existing table in August 2007 ACC Code of Practice - Appendix F:

Sequence IIIGA	None	No MTEP, No MTAC
Sequence IVA	MTAC	Avg. cam wear ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
Sequence VG	MTAC MTAC MTAC MTAC MTAC (note 3)	Avg. engine sludge (merits) Rocker arm cover sludge (merits) Avg. piston skirt varnish (merits) Avg. engine varnish (merits) <i>Oil screen clogging (%)</i> Hot stuck compression rings
Sequence VIB	MTAC MTAC MTAC	FEI 1 (%) FEI 2 (%) FEI 1 + FEI 2 (%)

**Proposed table in August 2007 ACC Code of Practice - Appendix F:**

Sequence IIIGA	None	No MTEP, No MTAC
<b>Sequence IIIGB</b>	<b>None</b>	<b>No MTEP, No MTAC</b>
Sequence IVA	MTAC	Avg. cam wear ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
Sequence VG	MTAC MTAC MTAC MTAC MTAC (note 3)	Avg. engine sludge (merits) Rocker arm cover sludge (merits) Avg. piston skirt varnish (merits) Avg. engine varnish (merits) <i>Oil screen clogging (%)</i> Hot stuck compression rings
Sequence VIB	MTAC MTAC MTAC	FEI 1 (%) FEI 2 (%) FEI 1 + FEI 2 (%)
<b>Sequence VID</b>	<b>MTAC</b> <b>MTAC</b> <b>MTAC</b>	<b>FEI 1 (%)</b> <b>FEI 2 (%)</b> <b>FEI 1 + FEI 2 (%)</b>

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