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Comments on 2022-R-A-0011: Low Emission Vehicle Program

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Comments:

The Electric Vehicle mandate would bring harsh consequences to the farming as well as other businesses in Delaware. We are not structurally capable of such a mandate at such time. The power grid cannot possibly handle that type of mandate. We already have to shut down our pivots at certain times to help conserve power during peak times of usage. This is like the old farmer saying putting the cart before the horse. We are not able to handle this. We as farmers won't be able to do our job at providing food for our people with this type of mandate. Please consider the impact this will make on the businesses of this state and how THAT will impact our people. There are other ways of controlling emissions and other things. This will be of great hardship to all.