

AMECA Accreditation of Japan Vehicle Inspection Association

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AMECA Announces Accreditation to Japan Vehicle Inspection Association (JVIA) For Testing Automotive Lighting and Safety Glass.



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Washington, DC – AMECA (Automotive Manufacturer Equipment Compliance Agency) announces it has extended accreditation to JVIA to test automotive Lighting and safety glass.

Only technically proficient, professional laboratories which maintain a record keeping system with a calibration program and have demonstrated the ability test to every aspect to the relevant safety standard are granted AMECA accreditation. AMECA requires every laboratory to establish and utilize a documented calibration program to assure the required degree of accuracy in measurements. The documented accuracy of all measurement instrument standards remain traceable to primary standards maintained by the National Institute of Standards and Technology of the United States of America or the national physical laboratory maintaining such standards in the country in which the laboratory is located.

Through the accreditation process, JVIA has clearly demonstrated that it has the equipment, personnel and appropriate qualifications to produce accurate, repeatable and technically valid test data to meet the rigorous requirements of the AMECA accreditation process.

About JVIA

JVIA (Japan Vehicle Inspection Association) is an authorized testing and inspection organization of strict fairness for all wheel-equipped vehicles from baby carriages to motor vehicles. In addition to performing tests and inspections required by laws and regulations, JVIA is conducting custom-ordered tests, inspection and consultation, and also rendering other services as an accredited agent of national and foreign qualification organizations.

About AMECA

The Automotive Manufacturers Equipment Compliance Agency, Inc. (AMECA) is the agent for various states of the United States to provide equipment compliance services. The AMECA program is the only program of its type in the United States. This Equipment Compliance Program is centralized, one-stop, and notifies government, industry and the general public about compliant motor vehicle safety equipment. Our Notice of Equipment Compliance is recognized as evidence of compliance with the regulatory requirements with our representative jurisdictions.

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Every item listed by AMECA has been tested by an AMECA-accredited laboratory and found to be in compliance with applicable United States standards. Our clients are the national and international automotive industry, the standards-setting community, the federal government's General Services Administration (GSA), numerous state governments, as well as some foreign governments.

AMECA maintains a listing of items that have been tested and currently comply with the applicable standards. Called the "Compliance List of Automotive Safety Devices", this listing is updated quarterly and is available free as an Adobe PDF document distributed via email. The international "List of Acceptable Plastics for Optical Lenses and Reflectors Used on Motor Vehicles" is also maintained by AMECA. This document is updated twice a year is also available free as an Adobe PDF document distributed via email. To receive your free copy of the either document send an email request to info@ameca.org.

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