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Nebraska Tractor Test Laboratory

ADVERTISING CHANGES ALLOWED AFTER TESTS

Under Section 2-2701 (3) (b) of the Nebraska Tractor Engine Testing Law manufacturers are prohibited from modifying sales literature, advertisement claims, or specifications to avoid penalties applicable to tractor models that, when tested, did not meet the claims. Should test results show a tractor model exceeded the original claims, in those cases manufacturers may change sales literature, advertisement claims or specifications after the test has been completed. These changes are permissible without further testing, provided all the following requirements are met.

1. Tractors with power originally advertised as 100 PTO hp or less may not be advertised as having more than 100 PTO hp unless a full OECD performance test was, or is conducted, in accordance with Board Action No. 28.
2. All changed or new claim values were met or exceeded by the tractor model when tested.

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