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On-Board Diagnostic System Check During State Emission Test

Subaru has revised the Malfunction Indicator Light (MIL) illumination strategy for most 2001 and later models, such that the MIL status is OFF in both the Key On-Engine Off (KOEO) and Key On-Engine Running (KOER) positions.

Only 2001MY Impreza 2.2L and Legacy 2.5L vehicles with manual AWD transmission will retain the 1996-2000 model MIL illumination strategy, in which the MIL is illuminated and commanded ON in the KOEO position. If the MIL is checked in the KOER position, the MIL will indicate OFF, assuming no Diagnostic Trouble Codes are present. Subaru plans to revise the MIL illumination strategy as described in the first paragraph for these models in 2002.

All 2001MY SUBARU vehicles are 50-State certified and conform to California's Low Emission Vehicle emission standards. Additionally, all 2001 models are All Wheel Drive (AWD) equipped.