GENERAL INFORMATION

Engine Performance Diagnostic Routine Outline

WHERE DOES DRIVEABILITY DIAGNOSIS START?

PERFORM BASIC INSPECTION

- 1. Verify Customer Complaint
- 2. Perform Visual Inspection (See Basic Diagnostic Procedures)
- 3. Test Engine Sub-Systems (See Basic Diagnostic Procedures)
 - Mechanical Condition (Compression)
 - Ignition Output
 - Fuel Delivery
- 4. Check Air Induction System For Leaks
- 5. Check & Adjust Basic Engine Settings (See On-Vehicle Adjustments)
 - Ignition Timing
 - Idle Speed

CHECK FOR TROUBLE CODES

- 1. Check for Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs). (See Self-Diagnostics)
- 2. Repair cause of DTCs.
- 3. Clear PCM memory and repeat self-test.

DIAGNOSE SYMPTOM

- 1. If no self-diagnostics available, or no trouble codes present, identify symptom.
- 2. See trouble shooting procedure to identify problem. (See Trouble Shooting No Codes)

TEST SYSTEM

- 1. Perform required tests. (See Systems & Component Testing)
- 2. Verify complaint is repaired.