



1 then given a signal, not less than the last one hundred (100) feet  
2 traveled by the vehicle, of his intention to change lanes.

3 3. Upon a ~~roadway~~ highway which is divided into three lanes, a  
4 vehicle shall not be driven in the center lane except when  
5 overtaking and passing another vehicle where the ~~roadway~~ highway is  
6 clearly visible and the center lane is clear of traffic within a  
7 safe distance, or in preparation for a left turn or where the center  
8 lane is at the time allocated exclusively to traffic moving in the  
9 direction the vehicle is proceeding and is signposted to give notice  
10 of the allocation.

11 4. A two-way left-turn lane is a lane near the center of the  
12 highway set aside for use by vehicles making left turns in both  
13 directions from or into the ~~roadway~~ highway. Two-way left-turn  
14 lanes shall be designated by distinctive ~~roadway~~ highway markings  
15 consisting of parallel double yellow lines, interior line dashed and  
16 exterior line solid, on each side of the lane. A vehicle shall not  
17 be driven in a designated two-way left-turn lane except when  
18 preparing for or making a left turn from or into a ~~roadway~~ highway.  
19 Vehicles turning left from the ~~roadway~~ highway shall not be driven  
20 in the two-way left-turn lane for more than two hundred (200) feet  
21 while preparing for and making the turn. A vehicle turning left  
22 onto the ~~roadway~~ highway may utilize the two-way left-turn lane as a  
23 staging area by stopping and waiting for traffic proceeding in the  
24 same direction to clear before merging into the adjacent lanes of

1 travel. A left turn shall not be made from any other lane where a  
2 two-way left-turn lane has been designated. Provided, however, this  
3 section shall not prohibit driving across a two-way left-turn lane  
4 when moving from a service drive onto such marked ~~roadway~~ highway.

5 5. A vehicle shall not be driven in the left lane of a ~~roadway~~  
6 highway except when overtaking and passing another vehicle;  
7 provided, however, this paragraph shall not prohibit driving in the  
8 left lane when traffic conditions, flow or road configuration, such  
9 as the potential of merging traffic, require the use of the left  
10 lane to maintain safe traffic conditions; provided further, this  
11 paragraph shall not prohibit driving in the left lane of a ~~roadway~~  
12 highway within the city limits of a municipality as long as such  
13 ~~roadway~~ highway is not part of the National System of Interstate and  
14 Defense Highways.

15 6. Official signs may be erected directing slow-moving traffic  
16 to use a designated lane or designating those lanes to be used by  
17 traffic moving in a particular direction regardless of the center of  
18 the ~~roadway~~ highway, and drivers of vehicles shall obey the  
19 directions of every such sign.

20 Any person convicted of violating any provision of this section  
21 shall be punished as provided for in Section 17-101 of this title.

22 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2020.

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24 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON RULES, dated 02/11/2020 - DO PASS.