

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-10-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to the lights displayed by tow trucks.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-10-03.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-10-03.1. Class B authorized emergency vehicles.**

- 7 1. The driver of a class B authorized emergency vehicle may:
- 8 a. Park or stand, irrespective of the provisions of this chapter.
- 9 b. Exceed the speed limit so long as the driver does not endanger life or property  
10 during the time of a local or national disaster.
- 11 c. Disregard regulations governing direction of movement or turning in specified  
12 directions.
- 13 2. The exceptions ~~herein~~ granted in this section to a class B authorized emergency  
14 vehicle apply only when the authorized emergency vehicle is displaying an amber and  
15 white light visible under normal atmospheric conditions for a distance of five hundred  
16 feet [152.4 meters] in any direction, and:
- 17 a. When it is necessary for the authorized emergency vehicle to use these  
18 exemptions for the immediate protection of life or property;
- 19 b. When an authorized emergency vehicle is stopped on a highway for the purpose  
20 of performing a duty as required of the driver; or
- 21 c. When traveling at a speed slower than the normal flow of traffic.