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GOVERNOR CORZINE SIGNS TRAFFIC SAFETY LAW PROTECTING EMERGENCY PERSONNEL

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On January 27, 2009, Governor Jon S. Corzine signed into law a bill that requires drivers approaching stationary emergency vehicles, tow trucks and other highway safety vehicles displaying certain flashing lights to move over one lane or, if not safe to move over, then to slow down below the posted speed limit.

- Failure to move over or slow down is punishable by a fine of \$100 to \$500; no points will be assessed for the offense.
- This law took effect upon Governor Corzine's signature.
- The complete text of the law can be found at http://www.njleg.state.nj.us/2008/Bills/PL09/5_.PDF.
- If you have any questions regarding the terms or enforcement of this new law, please consult your local prosecutor.



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