



# SCOTT'S LAW

THE "MOVE  
OVER" LAW

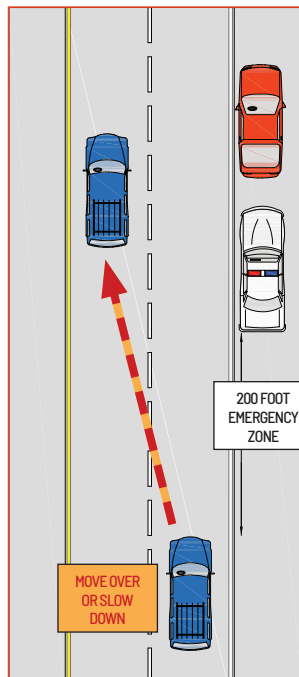


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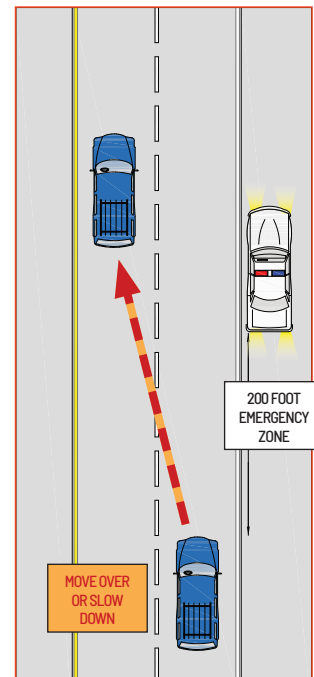


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EMERGENCY VEHICLE



HAZARD LIGHTS FLASHING



## WHAT IS SCOTT'S LAW?

625 ILCS 5/11-907(c)

Scott's Law was named after Lieutenant Scott Gillen of the Chicago Fire Department who was struck and killed by an intoxicated driver while assisting at a crash on the Dan Ryan Expressway. Scott's Law mandates that upon approaching any stationary vehicle with flashing emergency lights, including commercial trucks and cars, all approaching vehicles shall:

- reduce speed
- change lanes if possible; and
- proceed with caution.

**IF IT'S FLASHING, MOVE OVER!**

### NOTICE

**MOVEOVER-SLOWDOWN  
FOR STOPPED  
EMERGENCY OR  
MAINTENANCE VEHICLES  
IT'S THE LAW**