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LEGISLATIVE BILL 1011

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Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Rules of the Road; to amend
- 2 section 60-601, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2016; to
- 3 provide a duty for drivers approaching certain stopped vehicles on
- 4 any roadway as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal
- 5 the original section.
- 6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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1 Section 1. Section 60-601, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,

- 2 2016, is amended to read:
- 3 60-601 Sections 60-601 to 60-6,383 <u>and section 2 of this act</u>shall
- 4 be known and may be cited as the Nebraska Rules of the Road.
- 5 Sec. 2. <u>A driver in a vehicle on any roadway other than a</u>
- 6 controlled-access highway who is approaching a vehicle operated by a
- 7 towing or vehicle recovery service, a publicly or privately owned utility
- 8 maintenance vehicle, a highway maintenance vehicle, or a vehicle operated
- 9 by a solid waste or recycling collection service which is stopped and
- 10 displaying flashing red, yellow, or amber lights shall, unless otherwise
- 11 <u>directed by a law enforcement officer, proceed with due care and caution</u>
- 12 and:
- 13 (1) Move into another lane that is at least one moving lane apart
- 14 from the stopped vehicle if possible under existing traffic and safety
- 15 conditions; or
- 16 (2) If such a lane change is impossible, unsafe, or prohibited by
- 17 law, reduce speed to a reasonable speed below the posted speed limit and
- 18 be prepared to stop.
- 19 Sec. 3. Original section 60-601, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 20 Supplement, 2016, is repealed.