

SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 943

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled
"Michigan vehicle code,"
by amending section 79d (MCL 257.79d), as added by 2003 PA 315.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 79d. **(1)** "Work zone" means a portion of a street or
2 highway **open to vehicular traffic and adjacent to a barrier, berm,**
3 **lane, or shoulder of a street or highway within which construction,**
4 **maintenance, public utility work, reconstruction, repair,**
5 **resurfacing, or surveying is being conducted by 1 or more**
6 **individuals and** that meets any of the following:

7 (a) Is between a ~~"work zone begins" sign and an "end road~~
8 ~~work" sign.~~**both of the following:**

9 **(i) A sign notifying the beginning of work.**

1 (ii) An "end road work" sign or, if no sign is posted, the last
2 temporary traffic control device before the normal flow of traffic
3 resumes.

4 (b) ~~For construction, maintenance, or utility work activities~~
5 ~~conducted by a work crew and more than 1 moving vehicle, is~~ **Is**
6 between a "begin work convoy" sign and an "end work convoy" sign.

7 (c) ~~For construction, maintenance, surveying, or utility work~~
8 ~~activities conducted by a work crew and 1~~ **If a** moving or stationary
9 vehicle **or equipment** exhibiting a rotating beacon or strobe light
10 **is used**, is between **both of** the following points:

11 (i) A point that is 150 feet behind the rear of the vehicle **or**
12 **equipment** or that is the point from which the beacon or strobe
13 light is first visible on the street or highway behind the vehicle
14 **or equipment**, whichever is closer to the vehicle **or equipment**.

15 (ii) A point that is 150 feet in front of the front of the
16 vehicle or **equipment or** that is the point from which the beacon or
17 strobe light is first visible on the street or highway in front of
18 the vehicle **or equipment**, whichever is closer to the vehicle **or**
19 **equipment**.

20 (2) As used in this section, "temporary traffic control
21 device" means a traffic control device that is installed for a
22 limited time period during construction, maintenance, public
23 utility work, reconstruction, repair, resurfacing, or surveying as
24 described in subsection (1).