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LEGISLATIVE BILL 910

Introduced by Lautenbaugh, 18.

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Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Rules of the Road; to amend
2 section 60-646, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and
3 sections 60-601 and 60-605, Revised Statutes Supplement,
4 2011; to provide for certified traffic personnel for
5 directing traffic during special events; to define and
6 redefine terms; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the
7 original sections; and to declare an emergency.
8 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 60-601, Revised Statutes Supplement,
2 2011, is amended to read:

3 60-601 Sections 60-601 to 60-6,380 and section 3 of this
4 act shall be known and may be cited as the Nebraska Rules of the
5 Road.

6 Sec. 2. Section 60-605, Revised Statutes Supplement,
7 2011, is amended to read:

8 60-605 For purposes of the Nebraska Rules of the Road,
9 the definitions found in sections 60-606 to 60-676 and section 3 of
10 this act shall be used.

11 Sec. 3. Certified traffic personnel means (1) any person
12 specially trained and certified in traffic control or (2) an off-duty
13 peace officer, used by a political subdivision or special event
14 organizer for directing traffic only at a special event which makes
15 use of the public highways. A special event shall include, but not be
16 limited to, triathlons, marathons, multi-sport events, road races,
17 adventure races, and parades.

18 Sec. 4. Section 60-646, Reissue Revised Statutes of
19 Nebraska, is amended to read:

20 60-646 Peace officer shall mean any town marshal, chief
21 of police, local police officer, sheriff, or deputy sheriff, the
22 Superintendent of Law Enforcement and Public Safety, or any officer
23 of the Nebraska State Patrol and shall also include members of the
24 National Guard on active service by direction of the Governor during
25 periods of emergency or civil disorder and Game and Parks Commission

1 conservation officers while in areas under the control of the Game
2 and Parks Commission. With respect to directing traffic only, peace
3 officer shall also include any person authorized to direct or
4 regulate traffic, including certified traffic personnel.

5 Sec. 5. Original section 60-646, Reissue Revised Statutes
6 of Nebraska, and sections 60-601 and 60-605, Revised Statutes
7 Supplement, 2011, are repealed.

8 Sec. 6. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect
9 when passed and approved according to law.