

(b) A person shall ride upon a motorcycle only while sitting astride the seat, facing forward, with one leg on each side of the motorcycle.

(c) No person shall operate a motorcycle while carrying any package, bundle, or other article which prevents him from keeping both hands on the handlebars.

(d) No operator shall carry any person, nor shall any person ride, in a position that will interfere with the operation or control of the motorcycle or the view of the operator.

§ 11-1303. *Operating motorcycles on roadways laned for traffic.*

(a) All motorcycles are entitled to full use of a lane and no motor vehicle shall be driven in such a manner as to deprive any motorcycle of the full use of a lane. This subsection shall not apply to motorcycles operated two abreast in a single lane.

(b) The operator of a motorcycle shall not overtake and pass in the same lane occupied by the vehicle being overtaken.

(c) No person shall operate a motorcycle between lanes of traffic or between adjacent lines or rows of vehicles.

(d) Motorcycles shall not be operated more than two abreast in a single lane.

(e) Subsections (b) and (c) shall not apply to police officers in the performance of their official duties.

§ 11-1304. *Clinging to other vehicles.*

No person riding upon a motorcycle shall attach himself or the motorcycle to any other vehicle (or streetcar) on a roadway.

§ 11-1305. *Footrests and handlebars.*

(a) Any motorcycle carrying a passenger, other than in a side-car or enclosed cab, shall be equipped with footrests for such passenger.

(b) No person shall operate any motorcycle with handlebars more than 15 inches in height above that portion of the seat occupied by the operator.

§ 11-1306. *Equipment for motorcycle riders.*

(a) No person shall operate or ride upon a motorcycle unless he is wearing protective headgear which complies with standards established by the commissioner.

(b) No person shall operate a motorcycle unless he is wearing an eye-protective device of a type approved by the commissioner, except when the motorcycle is equipped with a windscreen.

(c) This section shall not apply to persons riding within an enclosed cab.

(d) The commissioner is hereby authorized to approve or disapprove protective headgear and eye-protective devices required