

# HB3233



## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

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HB3233

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#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/2-112

from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 2-112

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the Secretary of State shall include, in the Illinois Rules of the Road publication, information advising drivers how to safely share the road with large trucks, including how to safely pass a large truck, how to give trucks appropriate space when they are making a right-hand turn, and how to avoid the blind spots around a large truck known as the "No Zone".

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing  
5 Sections 2-112 and 6-109 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/2-112) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 2-112)

7 Sec. 2-112. Distribution of synopsis laws.

8 (a) The Secretary of State may publish a synopsis or  
9 summary of the laws of this State regulating the operation of  
10 vehicles and may deliver a copy thereof without charge with  
11 each original vehicle registration and with each original  
12 driver's license.

13 (b) The Secretary of State shall make any necessary  
14 revisions in its publications including, but not limited to,  
15 the Illinois Rules of the Road, to accurately conform its  
16 publications to the provisions of the Pedestrians with  
17 Disabilities Safety Act.

18 (c) The Secretary of State shall include, in the Illinois  
19 Rules of the Road publication, information advising drivers to  
20 use the Dutch Reach method when opening a vehicle door after  
21 parallel parking on a street (checking the rear-view mirror,  
22 checking the side-view mirror, then opening the door with the  
23 right hand, thereby reducing the risk of injuring a bicyclist

1 or opening the door in the path a vehicle approaching from  
2 behind).

3 (d) The Secretary of State shall include, in the Illinois  
4 Rules of the Road publication, information advising drivers how  
5 to safely share the road with large trucks, including how to  
6 safely pass a large truck, how to give trucks appropriate space  
7 when they are making a right-hand turn, and how to avoid the  
8 blind spots around a large truck known as the "No Zone".

9 (Source: P.A. 100-770, eff. 1-1-19; 100-962, eff. 1-1-19.)