COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT SERVICES,
CONSUMER AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

BILL NO. 31-0322

Thirty-first Legislature of the Virgin Islands

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An Act amending title 20 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 43, by adding a section 511a providing for three-way and four-way stops when traffic signals are inoperable

PROPOSED BY: Senator Justin Harrigan, Sr.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. Title 20 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 43 is amended to add a section 511a to read as follows:

"§ 511a Inoperable traffic signals

When the traffic signals at intersections are inoperable, drivers approaching the intersection shall come to a complete stop at the horizontal white line and thereafter proceed through the intersection in the order in which they arrived at the intersection. Drivers shall ensure that all pedestrians have crossed safely before proceeding through the intersection.

BILL SUMMARY

This bill provides when traffic signals are inoperable, drivers must stop at the light before proceeding through the intersection and shall proceed in the order in which they arrived at the intersection.

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