

22-224.1.

(A) IN THIS SECTION THE TERM "MOTORCYCLE" INCLUDES CLASS M (MULTIPURPOSE) VEHICLES THAT ARE DESIGNATED BY THE ADMINISTRATOR.

(B) The head lamp or head lamps on every motorcycle may be of the single-beam or multiple-beam type, but in either event shall comply with the following requirements and limitations:

(1) Every head lamp or head lamps on a motorcycle shall be of sufficient intensity to reveal a person or a vehicle at a distance of:

(i) Not less than 100 feet, when the motorcycle is operated at any speed of less than 25 miles an hour;

(ii) Not less than 200 feet, when the motorcycle is operated at a speed of 25 miles an hour or more; and

(iii) Not less than 300 feet, when the motorcycle is operated at a speed of 35 miles an hour or more;

(2) If the motorcycle is equipped with a multiple-beam head lamp or head lamps, the upper beam shall meet the minimum requirements set forth above and may not exceed the limitations set forth in § 22-222(a)(1) of this subtitle, and the lowermost beam shall meet the requirements applicable to a lowermost distribution of light as set forth in § 22-222(a)(2) of this subtitle; and

(3) If the motorcycle is equipped with a single-beam lamp or lamps, the lamp or lamps shall be so aimed that, when the vehicle is loaded, none of the high-intensity portion of light, at a distance of 25 feet ahead, projects higher than the level of the center of the lamp from which it comes.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1982.

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