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(a) Subject to the conditions stated in this section, the driver of an emergency vehicle REGISTERED IN ANY STATE may exercise the privileges set forth in this section while:

- (1) Responding to an emergency call;
- (2) Pursuing a violator or suspected violator of the law; or
- (3) Responding to, but not while returning from, a fire alarm.

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(c) A person may not drive or move on any highway any vehicle or equipment that is equipped with or displays any light or signal device designed to emit an oscillating, rotating, blinking, or other type of emission of light, unless designated and authorized by the Administrator as indicated in paragraphs (1) through [(7)] (8) of this subsection. The provisions of this section do not prohibit the display and use of any lighting device that may be permitted or required elsewhere in the Maryland Vehicle Law.

(1) Vehicles of the police department and other city, county, State, or federal law enforcement agencies may be equipped with and display red and blue lights or signal devices.

(2) (i) Vehicles of city, county, State, or federal fire departments or duly constituted volunteer fire departments or rescue squads may be equipped with or display red and/or white lights or signal devices.

(ii) 1. In Harford County, the fire chief and the two chief deputies of each volunteer fire company may have their vehicles equipped with amber lights or signal devices designed to emit an oscillating, rotating, blinking, or other type of emission of light.

2. The lights or signal devices may be flashed or oscillated or otherwise used only while the vehicle is on route to or at the scene of an accident, flood, or other emergency to which the volunteer fire company is responding.

(3) Ambulances may be equipped with or display red and/or white lights or signal devices.

(4) State vehicles used in response to oil or hazardous materials spills may be equipped with or display red and/or white lights or signal devices.