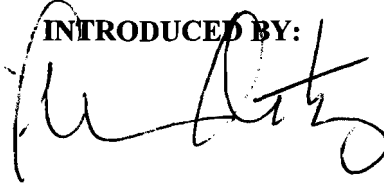


CITY OF SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

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AMENDING SECTION 12-6-12.18 OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE UNIFORM TRAFFIC  
CODE 2007 TO REPEAL SUBSECTION (6) REGARDING THE PROHIBITION OF  
HAND-HELD CELLULAR PHONE USAGE WHILE A VEHICLE IS IN MOTION.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE:

Section 1. Section 12-6-12.18 of the City of Santa Fe Uniform Traffic Code,  
2007 Compilation (being Ord. No. 1978-21, as amended) is amended to read:

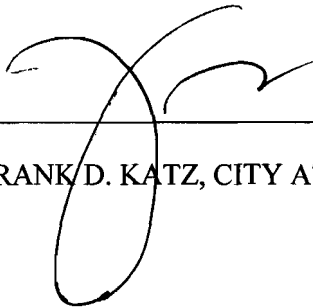
12-6-12.18 PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES WHILE DRIVING. No person shall:

- (1) drive a vehicle while engaged in any activity which interferes with the safe  
operation of the vehicle;
- (2) drive while having in his lap any adult person, adult or minor, or any animal;
- (3) drive while seated in the lap of another person while the vehicle is in motion;
- (4) drive a vehicle while having either arm around another person;
- (5) operate a motor vehicle's equipment, including but not limited to the vehicle horn  
or lights, in such a manner as to distract other motorists on the public way or in such a manner as

1 to disturb the peace; or

2 ~~[(6) drive a vehicle while talking on a hand held cellular phone while the vehicle is in~~  
3 ~~motion. Calling 911 while driving, in order to report roadside assistance, an emergency or a crime~~  
4 ~~being committed shall be exempt.]~~

5 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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8 FRANK D. KATZ, CITY ATTORNEY  
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