

# I AM DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING

#### WHEN PULLED OVER, I COMMUNICATE USING THESE METHODS:

American Sign Language
Pen and Paper
Lip-read and use what hearing I have
Verbal Communication

Other

#### **PLEASE HELP ME UNDERSTAND YOU:**

- **Don't shine your flashlight in my eyes**
- Try to eliminate background noise
- Don't cover your mouth when speaking
- Don't shout
- Speak clearly and in a normal tone
- Face me when you speak
- Be sure there is light for me to see you



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### **REASONS FOR STOP:**



### **IF THE POLICE STOP YOU, FOLLOW THESE STEPS:**













- Your Visor Card should be attached to the driver's side sun visor.
- Open your driver's side window.
  If it is dark, turn on your vehicle's dome light.
- Place both of your hands near the top of the steering wheel.
- When the officer is at your window, point to your Visor Card and remove it from the sun visor. Hand it to the officer.
- The officer can use the Visor Card to instruct you on what to do next. The pictures on the card can help both of you communicate better.



