

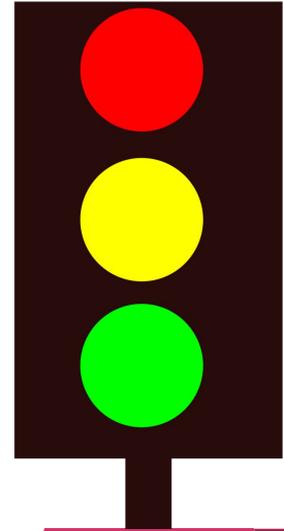
# Driving Crimes

Judge Gregory J. Amoroso



# Driving Without A License

- Traffic infractions, not crimes
- No knowledge requirement
- No right to free lawyer
- Can hire private lawyer
- Usually punished by money fine



# Aggravated Unlicensed Operation

- A crime-either a misdemeanor or a felony
- Driving when you know your license is suspended or revoked
- Will be entitled to a free lawyer
- Can choose to hire your own lawyer
- Usually punished by significant money fines



# Aggravated Unlicensed Operation

- **Can also be punished by probation or jail time**
- **Failure to appear in court can result in bench warrant**



# Impaired Driving

- A traffic infraction-not a crime
- Driving while impaired due to consuming alcohol
- No right to free lawyer
- Can hire private lawyer
- Usually punishable by significant money fines
- Usually results in license suspension
- Usually results in mandated treatment



# Intoxicated Driving

- A crime-either a misdemeanor or a felony
- Driving while intoxicated due to consuming alcohol or drugs
- Will be entitled to a free lawyer
- Can choose to hire your own lawyer
- Usually punishable by significant money fines
- Usually results in license suspension-right away
- Usually results in mandated treatment



# Intoxicated Driving

- **Can also be punished by probation or significant jail time**
- **Failure to appear in court can result in bench warrant**
- **Will be required to pay for and drive with an ignition interlock device**

