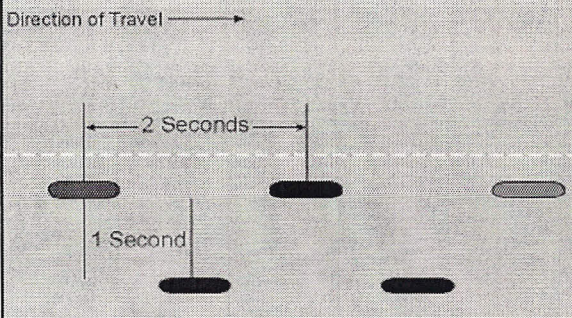


STAGGERED FORMATION

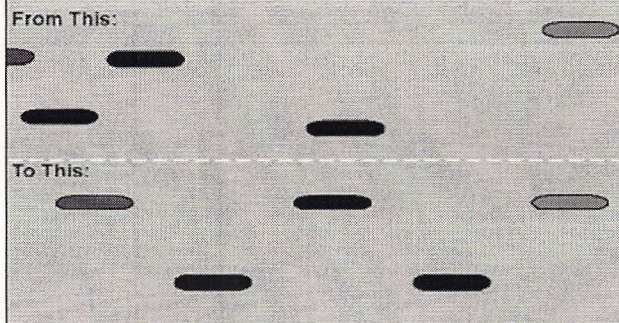


- = Road Captain
- = Group Bike
- = Tail Gunner

The typical formation is a Staggered Formation. When riding in the staggered formation the **Road Captain** will be in the left most position and the second bike will be to his right and 1 second behind. This formation creates two rows each rider 2 seconds behind the rider directly ahead and 1 second behind the rider in the staggered position. This formation creates a 2 second "safety cushion" allowing for reaction time. The Tail Gunner will be the last bike.

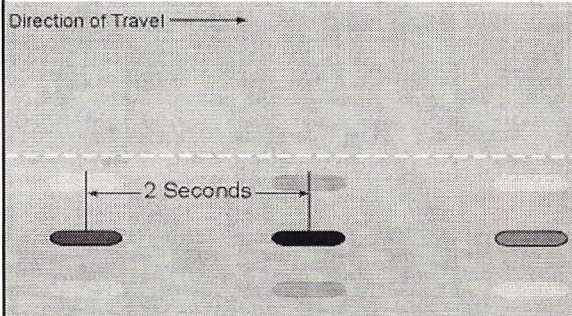
There may come a time when you will need to "tighten up" as a group, due to traffic and/or road conditions. This is signaled by the **Road Captain**, he will extend his arm skyward and opens and closed his hand.

Tighten-Up FORMATION



- = Road Captain
- = Group Bike
- = Tail Gunner

SINGLE FORMATION



- = Road Captain
 - = Group Bike
 - = Tail Gunner
- } Alternate Single File Lane Positions

When road conditions or obstacles warrant it is recommended to go to a single file formation. This is signaled by the **Road Captain** by raising his arm and pointing 1 (one) finger in the skyward. You must maintain a safe two second distance between all bikes. You can return to a staggered formation only after the **Road Captain** raises his arm skyward with his thumb and little finger skyward.