A tast-moving Ford

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FORESTVILLE (Md.) — A limousine carrying Vice President Ford and a station wagon apparently loaded with Secret Service agents were ordered to slow down Friday night by a state police trooper in Washington's Maryland suburbs.

Ford and his family were returning to their Alexandria, Va., home at about 11:30 p.m. from Catonsville, Md., where the Fords' son was married.

State Police Corporal Houston Karnes said he was traveling south on the Capital Beltway at 55 mph — the speed limit — when a Cadillac and a Mercury station wagon bearing District of Columbia license tags passed at 70.

Karnes pulled alongside the Cadillac, turned on his seat, signaled the two cars to slow down.

They did, and Karnes let them continue.