

# Georgia Case Law

♦ *Love v. State*, 290 Ga. App. 486, 659 S.E.2d 835 (2008): Exigent circumstances justified officers' entry into defendants' home when a neighbor called 911 to report that their door was "wide open," although no one appeared to be home, as they were called to investigate whether a burglary had occurred, or whether anyone inside might have been the victim of an accident, medical emergency, or foul play. The sweep was of relatively short duration, the officers searched only those areas in which an intruder could have been hiding, and did not search drawers or other areas, when they discovered marijuana in plain view.

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