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The motor vehicle law provides that: (Select among the following alternatives as applicable)

[(Red light) when a traffic signal erected or installed at a place other than an intersection is emitting a steady red light, a vehicle approaching and facing the red light shall come to a complete stop.<sup>1</sup>]

[(Flashing red light) when a flashing red light has been erected or installed at a place other than an intersection, a vehicle approaching and facing the flashing red light shall stop and yield the right-of-way to pedestrians or other vehicles.<sup>2</sup>]

[(Yellow light) when a traffic signal erected or installed at a place other than an intersection is emitting a steady yellow light, a vehicle approaching and facing the steady yellow light is thereby warned that a red light will be immediately forthcoming and that vehicles may not proceed through that red light.<sup>3</sup>]

[(Flashing yellow light) when a flashing yellow light has been erected or installed at a place other than an intersection, a vehicle approaching and facing the flashing yellow light may proceed with caution, yielding the right-of-way to pedestrians and other vehicles.<sup>4</sup>]

[(Green light) when a traffic signal erected or installed at a place other than an intersection is emitting a steady green light, a vehicle approaching and facing the green light may proceed subject to the rights of pedestrians and other vehicles.<sup>5</sup>]

A violation of [this duty] [one of these duties] is not negligence within itself. However, a violation of [this duty] [one of these duties]

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would be negligence if under the same or similar circumstances a reasonably careful and prudent person would not have violated [that duty] [one of those duties].

1. N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-158(c)(2).

<sup>2.</sup> *Id*. at (c)(3).

<sup>3.</sup> Id. at (c)(2).

<sup>4.</sup> Id. at (c)(4).

<sup>5.</sup> *Id*. at (c)(2)