

N.C.P.I.-Motor Vehicle 209.10
TURNING-RIGHT TURN.
MOTOR VEHICLE VOLUME
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The motor vehicle law provides that the operator of a vehicle intending to make a right turn shall approach for the purpose of making the turn and shall make the turn as close as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the roadway.¹

A violation of this law is negligence within itself.²

1. Under N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-153(c) local authorities or the Board of Transportation may modify the method of turning at an intersection by clearly indicating a different method by buttons, markers or other directional signs. For an instruction on N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-153(c) see N.C.P.I.-Civil 209.20.

2. See *Tarrant v. Pepsi-Cola Bottling Co.*, 221 N.C. 390, 20 S.E.2d 565 (1942); *Pearsall v. Duke Power Co.*, 258 N.C. 639, 129 S.E.2d 217 (1963).

As to required turn signals, see N.C.P.I.-Civil 206.10.