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## TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS

## Yellow-Box Junctions

**YELLOW-BOX JUNCTIONS**

93 It is an offence for any driver to drive his/her vehicle into a junction marked with a yellow box and cause obstruction even if the lights are in his/her favour. However, there are certain situations in which a driver or rider will not be penalised for entering the yellow-box junction.

**(a) Situation One**

The first is when the turning vehicles in a box-junction do not block other vehicles. Only drivers of turning vehicles A, B and C and NOT those marked X may enter the yellow box when their exit lanes from it are blocked by other vehicles. Should the traffic lights change to red, vehicles A, B and C would not cause any obstruction to other vehicles. However, vehicles marked X would be obstructing traffic should the lights change and the drivers will be penalised, as such they should wait behind the stop-line at 'Y'.

**(b) Situation Two**

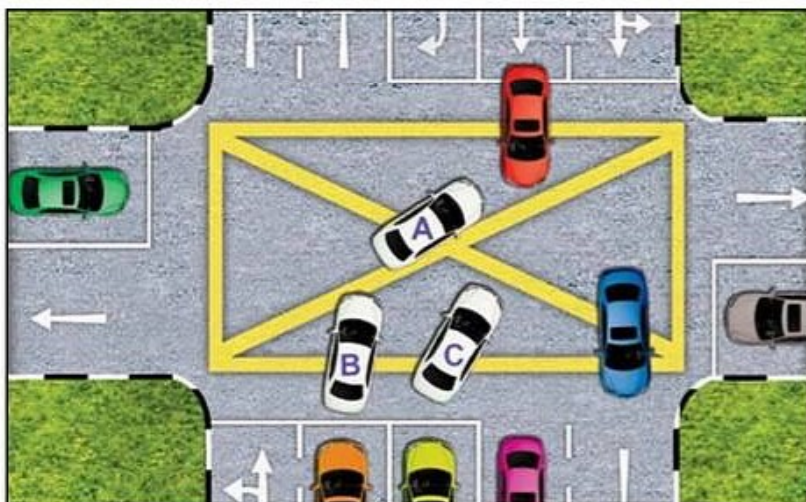
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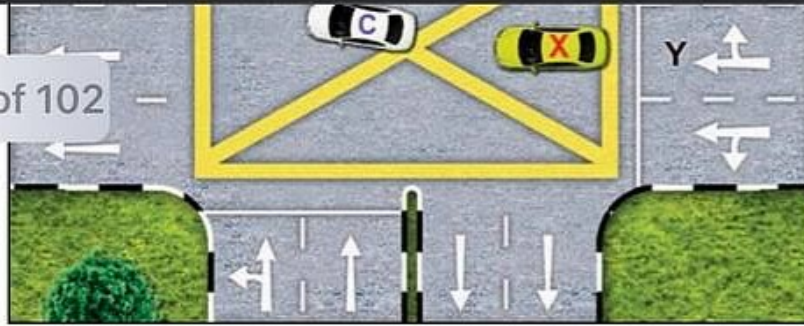
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**(c) Situation Three**

The third situation is when motorists are waiting in a yellow box junction while making left or right turns because of pedestrians crossing the road. The diagram shows that the drivers of vehicles A, B, C, D and E may enter the yellow box even when they are prevented from executing their turns by pedestrians using the crossings.

