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Short Title: Clarify Left-Turn Rules.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RULES FOR MAKING LEFT TURNS ON VARIOUS
ROADWAYS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

Section 1. G.S. 20-153(b) reads as rewritten:

"(b) Left Turns. – The driver of a vehicle intending to turn left at any intersection shall approach the intersection in the extreme left-hand lane lawfully available to traffic moving in the direction of travel of ~~such that~~ vehicle, and, after entering the intersection, the left turn shall be made so as to leave the intersection in a lane lawfully available to traffic moving in ~~such the~~ direction upon the roadway being entered. ~~Whenever practicable the left turn shall be made in that portion of the intersection to the left of the center of the intersection.~~"

Section 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.