

## CHAPTER 9 – VEHICLES & TRAFFIC

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**Sections 9-4-101 to 199, inclusive. Pedestrian rights and duties - general provisions.**

#### **Section 9-4-101 Pedestrian obedience to traffic control devices and traffic regulation.**

- A. A pedestrian shall obey the instruction of any official traffic control device specifically applicable to him, unless otherwise directed by a police officer.
- B. Pedestrians shall be subject to traffic control signals as provided in this chapter.
- C. At all other places, pedestrians shall be accorded the privileges and shall be subject to the restrictions of this chapter.

**Source:** R.O. Pierre, 1957, 14.0612; Rev. of Ord., 1990.

#### **Section 9-4-102 Pedestrian street crossing only at marked or unmarked crosswalks.**

- A. No pedestrian shall cross a roadway at any place other than by a route at right angles to the curb at an intersection with a marked or unmarked crosswalk.

- B. A pedestrian may cross the roadway at a place other than an intersection provided that there is a marked crosswalk.

**Source:** R.O. Pierre, 1957, 14.0615; Rev. of Ord., 1990.

**Section 9-4-103 Unlawful soliciting of rides.**

It shall be unlawful for any person to stand or walk in the roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride from the operator of any vehicle.

**Source:** R.O. Pierre, 1957, 14.0616; Rev. of Ord., 1990.

**Section 9-4-104 Pedestrians yield to authorized emergency vehicle.**

Upon the immediate approach of an authorized emergency vehicle making use of audible and visual signals as required in 9-1-106, every pedestrian shall yield right of way to the authorized emergency vehicle.

**Source:** R.O. Pierre, 1957, 14.0617; Rev. of Ord., 1990.

**Section 9-4-105 Pedestrian under the influence.**

A pedestrian who is under the influence of alcohol or drugs to a degree that renders himself a hazard shall not walk or be upon a roadway.

**Source:** R.O. Pierre, 1957, 14.0613; Rev. of Ord., 1990.

**Section 9-4-106 Pedestrians on sidewalks.**

- A. The driver of any vehicle operating on or crossing a sidewalk shall yield the right of way to any pedestrian.
- B. A pedestrian traveling on the sidewalk shall have right of way over any other traffic on the sidewalk.

**Source:** R.O. Pierre 1957, 14.0614; Rev. of Ord., 1990.

**Sections 9-4-107 to 199, inclusive. Reserved.**