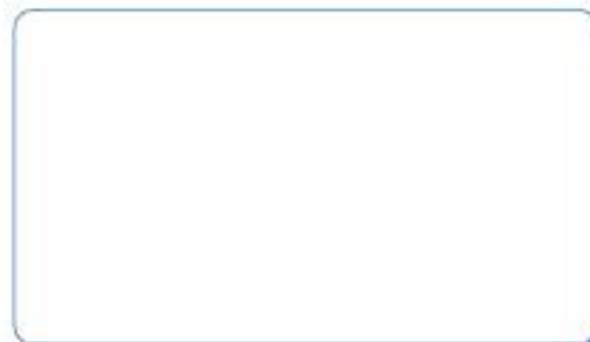


Safety Questions: Horn/Steering

Horn

Question on the move:

When it's safe to do so, can you show me how you'd operate the horn?



Normally you should not use the horn unless you are warning of danger or alerting another road user to your presence - however, it's OK to demonstrate that you can use it for the purpose

of the test. If you feel that it is not safe to demonstrate the horn or any other control when asked, tell the examiner that you will do it as soon as an opportunity arises - and then remind him/her just before you do it.

Steering

Question:

Explain how you would check that the power assisted steering is working before starting a journey.

Example answer:

Explain the symptoms of power steering loss by stating that the steering becomes heavy. The two simple checks that can be made to check power steering.

1. Gentle pressure on the steering wheel, maintained while the engine is started, should result in a slight but noticeable movement of the wheel as the system begins to operate.
2. Turning the steering wheel just after moving off will give an immediate indication that the power assistance is functioning.



Lesson Notes:

