**REPORTED SPEECH TO DIRECT SPEECH**

The policeman ordered the driver to step out of his car. The driver agreed, but he wondered what the matter was. The policeman inquired if the driver had been speeding, but the driver denied it. The policeman explained that it was illegal to drive at more than 50 km an hour on that stretch of road. The driver protested that he hadn’t been speeding but the policeman insisted that he would have to give him a ticket for speeding.

THE POLICEMAN: Can you step out of your car, please?/ Step out of your car, please.

THE DRIVER: OK. I wonder what the matter is. / What’s the matter?

THE POLICEMAN: Have you been speeding?

THE DRIVER: No, I haven’t.

THE POLICEMAN: It is illigal to drive at more tan 50 km an hour on this stretch of road.

THE DRIVER: I haven’t been speeding.

THE POLICEMAN: I will have to give you a ticket for speeding