## <u>SAMPLE VERDICT SHEET</u> (Aggravated Assault - Significant Bodily Injury and Lesser Offense)

| STATE OF NEW JERSEY | : | SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY |
|---------------------|---|------------------------------|
|                     |   | LAW DIVISION COUNTY          |
| V?                  | : |                              |
|                     |   | INDICTMENT No.               |
| Defendant.          | : |                              |

## **AGGRAVATED ASSAULT** – Significant Bodily Injury

Count \_\_\_\_\_ of the indictment, aggravated assault, charges defendant, \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, did [choose appropriate: purposely attempt to cause significant bodily injury, purposely or knowingly caused significant bodily injury, or under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life recklessly caused significant bodily injury] to (name of victim).

Our verdict is:

NOT GUILTY \_\_\_\_ GUILTY \_\_\_\_

If you find the defendant "GUILTY," please go on to Count \_\_\_\_ [your deliberations are complete].

If you answered "NOT GUILTY," please answer the following question.

## **<u>SIMPLE ASSAULT</u> – Bodily Injury**

Did defendant, \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_, [choose appropriate: purposely attempt to cause bodily injury, or purposely, knowingly, or recklessly caused bodily injury] to (name of victim).

Our verdict is:

NOT GUILTY \_\_\_\_ GUILTY \_\_\_\_

If you find the defendant "GUILTY," please go on to Count \_\_\_\_\_ [ your deliberations are complete].

PLEASE ADVISE THE SHERIFF'S OFFICER THAT YOU HAVE REACHED A VERDICT.