#### NOTICE TO THE BAR AND PUBLIC

# COLLECTION OF VOLUNTARY JUROR DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION -INITIAL IMPLEMENTATION IN BERGEN, CAMDEN, AND MIDDLESEX COUNTIES

The Supreme Court in <u>State v. Dangcil</u>, 248 N.J. 114, 146 (2021), directed the collection of voluntary juror demographic information as to race, ethnicity, and gender. The Court as part of its <u>July 12, 2022</u> Administrative Determinations on the Report of the Committee of the Judicial Conference on Jury Selection, approved the Committee's recommendations as to how those demographic questions should be worded. The Court also approved updates to the juror qualification questionnaire in order to begin collecting that demographic information, starting for all trials in Bergen, Camden, and Middlesex Counties, as part of the pilot program on attorney-conducted voir dire. The collection of juror demographic information will expand statewide sometime in 2023.

The attached enhanced juror qualification questionnaire, which includes those demographic questions, will be used in Bergen, Camden, and Middlesex. Those same questions have been added to the online juror qualification portal (eResponse).

The collection of voluntary juror demographic information will help the Judiciary understand the diversity and representativeness of jury pools. Juror responses to demographic questions are optional and will not affect juror selection.

Questions on this notice should be directed to Statewide Manager of Jury Programs Brian J. McLaughlin at (609) 815-2900 x58133.

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Juror No: 00010

Respond online at njcourts.gov/myjuryservice Questions? Go to njcourts.gov/jurors/index.html

### **Petit Juror Questionnaire**

By Order of the Court, Deborah Silverman Katz, Assignment Judge, you are summoned to serve as a petit juror beginning on September 12, 2022.

Your Term of Service is 4 days or 1 trial. This required questionnaire can also be completed by using the online eResponse system at njcourts.gov/myjuryservice.

If qualified to serve, check for reporting instructions after 5:30 p.m. the night before you are to report by calling (856) 650 - 9090 or going to: njcourts.gov/jurors/juryreporting

If you are required to report in-person, you will report to:

Camden County Hall of Justice, 101 South Fifth St. Suite L-10, Camden, NJ 08103.

You may contact Jury Management at 856-650-9085 or <a href="mailto:camjury.mbx@njcourts.gov">camjury.mbx@njcourts.gov</a>

The Judiciary will, with advance notice, provide accommodations consistent with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

#### **Mandatory Name and Signature**

I hereby certify that the answers on this form are true and correct. I understand that if I submit a knowingly false answer I can be subject to punishment for contempt of court.

Signature of Juror or Person Completing Form	Date	
Print Name Here		

## Petit Juror Questionnaire John Doe Si usted no comprende ingles, debe solicitor ayuda llenar el cuestionario

Qua	alifying Information		
1.	Are you a resident of Camden County?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
2.	Are you a citizen of the United States?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
3. (	Can you read and understand English?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
4.	Are you 18 years of age or older?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
5.	Are you over the age of 75?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
	If you answer YES to question 5, do you wish to be excused permanently from jury service?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
	Have you been convicted of or pleaded guilty to an indictable criminal offense? Please do not include traffic or disorderly person offenses. State t	□ <b>YES</b> □ NO he	
	charge and the year. If you have pending charges, or if you are not sure about your criminal history, please contact the Jury Management Office.		
8.	Are you mentally and physically able to perform the functions of a juror?	$\Box$ YES $\Box$ NO	
9. ′	Telephone: 10. Email:		
11.	Telephone: 10. Email:   Date of Birth: 12. Employer:		
13.	Occupation:		
14.	Are you employed full-time by the State of N.J., or any county, municipality, public school, or college, or any N.J. government agency?	$\square$ YES $\square$ NO	
Der	mographic Information		
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	pools. Your responses to these questions are optional and will <b>not</b> affect	<u>-</u>	
15. Selecting from the race categories used by the U.S. Census, please select the response that			
	most closely aligns with your racial identity.	D 'C' I 1 1	
	☐ American Indian or Alaska Native ☐ Native Hawaiian or Other	Pacific Islander	
	☐ Asian ☐ White		
1.0	☐ Black or African American ☐ More than one race	1144	
10.	16. Selecting from the ethnicity categories used by the U.S. Census, please also select the response that most closely aligns with your ethnic identity.		
	☐ Hispanic or Latino ☐ Not Hispanic or Latino		
17.		ease select the	
1,,	response that most closely aligns with your gender.	and believe the	
	☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Non-Binary or Under	signated	
Oth	ner Information Check only those that apply		
	I request to reschedule my summons date.		
Reason:			
Provide othere dates that we will try to accommodate:			
	I wish to request a hardship excuse:		
	I need to correct my name or address:		