IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

PLAINTIFF

VS. NO.

DEFENDANT

JURY INSTRUCTION NO.

The court instructs the jury that should you find from a preponderance of the evidence that the Defendant acted negligently and proximately caused or contributed to the injuries of , and should you further find from a preponderance of the evidence that the negligence of , if any, proximately caused or contributed to his/her injuries and damages, then it is your sworn duty to reduce any damages which you would otherwise award in proportion to his/her own negligence.