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DEATH PENALTY--PEREMPTORY INSTRUCTION--STATUTORY MITIGATING CIRCUMSTANCE(S).

Note Well: This instruction is to be read to the jury only where there is sufficient unrebutted evidence, as a matter of law, to establish the existence of (a) statutory mitigating circumstance(s).

The defendant has the burden of establishing this mitigating circumstance by the preponderance of the evidence, as I have explained to you.

Accordingly, as to this mitigating circumstance, I charge you that if one or more of you find the facts to be as all the evidence tends to show, you will answer "Yes" as to Mitigating Circumstance Number (read number) on the "Issues and Recommendation" form.

