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NOTE WELL. N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-72.7(b) provides for innocent activities to which the prohibition of this section does not apply.

The defendant has been charged with felonious [altering] [destroying] [disassembling] [dismantling] [reassembling] [storing] of any [motor vehicle] [motor vehicle part] illegally obtained by [theft] [fraud] [*describe other illegal means*].

For you to find the defendant guilty of this offense, the State must prove two things beyond a reasonable doubt:

First, that the defendant knowingly [altered] [destroyed] [disassembled] [dismantled] [reassembled] [stored] any [motor vehicle] [motor vehicle part] illegally obtained by [theft] [fraud] [*describe other illegal means*].

And Second, that the defendant [knew] [had reasonable grounds to believe] that the [motor vehicle] [motor vehicle part] was illegally obtained by [theft] [fraud] [*describe other illegal means*].

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on or about the alleged date, the defendant knowingly [altered] [destroyed] [disassembled] [dismantled] [reassembled] [stored] any [motor vehicle] [motor vehicle part] illegally obtained by [theft] [fraud] [*describe other illegal means*] and the defendant [knew] [had reasonable grounds to believe] that the [motor vehicle] [motor vehicle part] had been illegally

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obtained by [theft] [fraud] [*describe other illegal means*], it would be your
duty to return a verdict of guilty. If you do not so find or have a reasonable
doubt as to one or more of these things, it would be your duty to return a
verdict of not guilty.