

TATTOOING A MINOR. G.S. 14-400. MISDEMEANOR.

The defendant has been charged with tattooing a minor.

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

First, that the defendant tattooed, that is placed an indelible mark under the skin of the [arm] [limb] [body] of the victim.

And Second, that at that time, the victim was under 18 years of age.

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on or about the alleged date, the defendant tattooed the [arm] [limb] [body] of the victim, who was under 18 years of age, 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 both of these things, it would be your duty to return a verdict of not guilty.

