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The defendant has been charged with unlawfully [buying]
[selling] [issuing] [possessing] an [inspection sticker] [electronic
inspection authorization].

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

First, that on or about the alleged date, the defendant [bought]
[sold] [issued] [possessed] an [inspection sticker] [electronic
inspection authorization].

Second, that the defendant did so without

- a. [being properly licensed¹ as an [inspection station] [self-
inspector²] [inspection mechanic] and had not obtained in
the course of business authorization from the North
Carolina Division of Motor Vehicles through an electronic
authorization vendor]
- b. [a vehicle inspection for which the vehicle had [passed the
inspection] [received a waiver]].

And Third, that the defendant did so knowingly.

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on
or about the alleged date, the defendant knowingly [bought] [sold]
[issued] [possessed] an [inspection sticker] [electronic inspection
authorization], and that defendant did so without [being properly

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mechanic] and had not obtained in the course of business
authorization from the North Carolina Division of Motor Vehicles
through an electronic authorization vendor] [a vehicle inspection for
which the vehicle had [passed the inspection] [received a waiver]], 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.

1 See N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-183.4 for license requirements to perform safety tests and N.C. Gen. Stat. § 20-183.4A for license requirements to perform emissions tests.

2 The North Carolina Administrative Code 19A 03D, Section .0517(29), defines "Self-Inspector" as a person, firm or corporation so designated by the Commissioner for the purpose of inspecting only those vehicles owned or operated by such person, firm or corporation.