

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
)
COUNTY OF MARION)
)
VANESSA BLACKWELL, a/k/a)
JACQUELINE BLACKWELL)
PLAINTIFF)
v.)
)
MARION COUNTY SHERIFF'S)
DEPARTMENT,)
)
DEFENDANT.)

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
TWELFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
CASE NO. 2015-CP-33-0140

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1. Was the defendant negligent?
 YES - Go to Question 2
 NO - Stop deliberations

2. Was the defendant's negligence a proximate cause of the plaintiff's injuries?
 YES - Go to Question 3
 NO - Stop deliberations

3. Was the plaintiff negligent?
 YES - Go to Question 4
 NO - Go to Question 7

4. Was the plaintiff's negligence a proximate cause of the plaintiff's injuries?
 YES - Go to Question 5
 NO - Go to Question 7

5. Using the combined negligence that proximately caused the plaintiff's injuries as one hundred percent (100%), what percentage of that negligence is attributable to the plaintiff and what percentage is attributable to the defendant?

Plaintiff	<u>35</u> %
Defendant	<u>65</u> %
Total	<u>100</u> %

6. Was the plaintiff's negligence greater or more than Fifty Percent (50%)?

~~YES~~ - Stop deliberations

NO - Go to Question 7

7. Please state the amount of damages, if any, sustained by the plaintiff.

[Do not reduce the plaintiff's total damages based on the percentage of negligence by any party. After you have answered these questions, the Judge will compute the amount of damages for which the defendant is responsible based on the percentage of the defendant's negligence which you have decided proximately caused the plaintiff's injuries. You are to determine ONLY the total amount of the plaintiff's damages and enter that amount below.]

\$ 500,000.00 Actual Damages

September 13, 2016
Date


SHANNON STACKHOUSE, FORELADY