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The defendant has been charged with safecracking, which is the unlawful removal from its premises of a safe or vault for the purpose of stealing, tampering with, or ascertaining its contents.

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

<u>First</u>, that the defendant removed the safe or vault of another from its premises.

<u>Second</u>, that the defendant did so unlawfully; that is, knowingly and without the consent of any person authorized to give consent.

And <u>Third</u>, that the defendant did this for the purpose of [stealing] [tampering with] [ascertaining] the contents of the [safe] [vault].

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on or about the alleged date, the defendant removed the [safe] [vault] of another person and that the defendant did so knowingly and without the consent of any person authorized to give consent and for the purpose of [stealing] [tampering with] [ascertaining] the contents of the [safe] [vault], 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.