N.C.P.I.-Crim. 219B.26 CREDIT CARD (FINANCIAL TRANSACTION CARD) THEFT-SELLING A CREDIT CARD. FELONY. GENERAL CRIMINAL VOLUME MAY 2003 N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-113.9(a)(3)

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NOTE WELL: The contradiction in terms making the unlawful selling of the credit card a "theft", is as the statute dictates.

The defendant has been charged with credit card theft by unlawfully selling a credit card.

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

First, that the defendants sold a (*describe credit card*)² to another.

And Second, that the defendant was neither the credit card issuer nor the authorized agent of the credit card issuer.

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on or about the alleged date, the defendant sold a credit card to another and was neither the credit card issuer nor an authorized agent of the credit card issuer, 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.} N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-113.8(4) defines "financial transaction card" which includes a "credit card."

^{2.} Describe credit card so as to indicate who is the issuer; that is, the business organization or financial institution or its duly authorized agent that issued the financial transaction card. N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-113.8(5).