N.C.P.I.—CRIMINAL 260.22B
SALE OR DELIVERY OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ON OR WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF A PUBLIC PARK. FELONY.
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NOTE WELL: This charge may be used for the manufacture of a controlled substance and for the possession with intent to sell, manufacture or deliver a controlled substance.

The defendant has been charged with [selling] [delivering] (name substance), a controlled substance, [on property that is a public park<sup>1</sup>] [within1,000 feet of the boundary of property that is a public park].

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 knowingly [sold] [delivered]<sup>2</sup> (name substance) to (name buyer or distributee)<sup>3</sup>. (Describe conduct) would be [sale] [delivery] of a controlled substance<sup>4</sup>.)

<u>Second</u>, that the defendant was [on property that is a public park] [within 1,000 feet of the boundary of property of a public park].

And <u>Third</u>, that at the time of [sale] [delivery], the defendant was 21 years of age or older.

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on or about the alleged date the defendant knowingly [sold] [delivered] (name substance), a controlled substance, to (name distributee or buyer), that the defendant was [on property that is a public park] [within 1,000 feet of the boundary of the property that is a public park] and that at the time of the [sale] [delivery], the defendant was 21 years of age or older, it would be your duty to return a verdict of guilty. If you do not so find or if you have a reasonable doubt as to one or more of these things, it would be your duty to return a verdict of not guilty.<sup>5</sup>

<sup>1. &</sup>quot;Public park" is not defined in G.S. 90-95. Absent a specific definition, it can be

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presumed the legislature intended that the phrase be afforded its ordinary meaning.

- 2. "Delivery" is defined in G.S. 90-87(7) (see N.C.P.I.—Crim. 260.21)but the transfer of less than 5 grams of marijuana for no remuneration does not constitute delivery. *See* G.S. 90-95(e)(8).
- 3. Bill of Indictment must state the name of purchaser or that his name is unknown. State v. Bennet, 280 N.C. 167 (1971); S. v. Wall, 96 N.C. App. 45 (1989).
- 4. If the defendant contends that he didn't know the true identity of what he [sold] [delivered], add this language to the first sentence: "and the defendant knew that what he [sold] [delivered] was (name substance)." S.v. Boone, 310 N.C. 284, 291 (1984).
- 5. If the defendant is not guilty of sale or delivery of a controlled substance on school property then instructions on a lesser included offense such as a violation of 90-95(a)(1) (see N.C.P.I.—Crim. 260.21) may be appropriate.