

VICTIM IMPACT STATEMENT FOR PARENTS OF CHILD VICTIMS

NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN: _____

NAME OF CHILD _____

NAME OF DEFENDANT _____

1. HAS YOUR CHILD BEEN EMOTIONALLY AFFECTED BY THIS CRIME? IF YES, YOU MAY WISH TO DISCUSS HOW THE CRIME MAY HAVE AFFECTED YOUR CHILD'S RELATIONSHIPS WITH YOU, FAMILY MEMBERS, AND THOSE CLOSE TO YOU. IF YOUR CHILD RECEIVED ANY TYPE OF VICTIM SERVICES SUCH AS COUNSELING BY EITHER A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL, MEMBER OF THE CLERGY, OR A COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP, YOU MAY WISH TO MENTION THIS. PLEASE USE ADDITIONAL PAPER AS NECESSARY.

2. WAS YOUR CHILD PHYSICALLY INJURED OR HURT AS RESULT OF THIS CRIME? IF YES, YOU MAY WISH TO WRITE ABOUT THE TYPE OF INJURIES YOUR CHILD SUFFERED, WHAT MEDICAL TREATMENT YOUR CHILD RECEIVED, AND HOW LONG THESE INJURIES LASTED OR ARE EXPECTED TO LAST.

3. HAS THIS CRIME AFFECTED THE WAY YOUR CHILD RELATES TO HIS/HER FRIENDS, EITHER IN SCHOOL OR IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD? HAS THIS CRIME AFFECTED YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL WORK IN ANY WAY?

4. HOW HAS THIS CRIME AFFECTED YOU, YOUR FAMILY, AND THOSE CLOSE TO YOUR CHILD? YOU MAY WISH TO WRITE ABOUT CHANGES THAT MAY HAVE OCCURRED IN YOUR FAMILY, IN YOUR ABILITY TO PERFORM YOUR WORK, MAKE A LIVING, RUN A HOUSEHOLD, OR ENJOY ANY OTHER ACTIVITIES YOU ENJOYED BEFORE THE CRIME. YOU MAY ALSO WISH TO INCLUDE ANY VICTIM SERVICES OR COUNSELING THAT YOU AND THOSE CLOSE TO YOUR CHILD HAVE RECEIVED.