

**IN THE 39th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT FOR THE STATE OF ALABAMA
 LIMESTONE COUNTY**

STATE OF ALABAMA,)	
)	
v.)	CASE NO. CC-2019-0476
)	
MICHAEL ANTHONY BLAKELY,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

**STATE’S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR JUROR QUESTIONNAIRE
 AND CORRESPONDING SCHEDULING ORDER**

Following the Court’s status conference held on March 4, 2021, the parties have conferred and submit for the Court’s consideration the following proposed scheduling order and the attached juror questionnaire (Exhibit A):

May 10, 2021 – Limestone County distributes juror summons;

May 24, 2021 – Limestone County distributes juror questionnaires; and

June 8, 2021 – Deadline for juror questionnaires to be returned to Limestone County Clerk’s Office.

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of March, 2021.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on March 30, 2021, I electronically filed the foregoing using the AlaFile system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record in the above-styled case.

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EXHIBIT A

JUROR QUESTIONNAIRE

This questionnaire is for use only by the judge and the lawyers to help select a fair and impartial jury. Please answer all questions.

BACKGROUND

1. Juror name: _____
2. Place of birth: _____ Age: _____
3. Gender: Male, Female, Other: _____
4. Circle Race: Caucasian/White, African American, Hispanic, Other: _____
5. Circle Status: Own home, Rent home or apartment, Live with a friend/relative
6. Home Address: _____
7. How long have you lived at your current residence: _____
8. How long have you lived in Limestone County: _____
9. Do you live on the east side or the west side of Interstate 65: _____
10. What cities/states have you lived in the past five years: _____

IMMEDIATE FAMILY

11. Circle Status: Never married, Married, Divorced/Separated, Widowed
 If married: Spouse's occupation and place of employment: _____

 Spouse's highest educational level completed: _____
12. Number of children, if any: ____ boy(s) ____ girl(s)
 List each child's age, school or place of employment, and city of residence: _____

13. Do you belong to or attend any church: _____

If yes, which church: _____

14. Do you have a religious or ethical reason why you cannot serve on a jury:

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain: _____

15. Do you have a medical condition that would prevent you from serving on a jury:

Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain: _____

16. On a scale of one to ten (with ten being the most comfortable) how comfortable are you with serving on a jury during the COVID-19 pandemic? _____

YOUR EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND AND EMPLOYMENT

17. Are you currently in school: Yes _____ No _____

If yes, where are you in school, and what are you studying: _____

18. Your highest level of education completed: _____

19. Are you: Employed: _____ Retired: _____ Otherwise not working: _____

20. Where was your most recent employment: _____

Type of business: _____

City of business: _____

What is/was your job title and general duties: _____

Do/did you supervise other employees at this job: _____

21. Do you belong to any professional/civic/social/union organizations: Yes _____ No _____

If yes, which: _____

22. Have you ever worked for the local, state, or federal government: Yes _____ No _____

If yes, where did you work: _____

23. Have any of your close friends or family members worked for the government:

Yes _____ No _____ If yes, who, and where did they work: _____

24. Have you ever worked as a government contractor: Yes _____ No _____

If yes, who was the contractor and who did it contract with: _____

25. Have you ever held a position where you had to manage or be responsible for someone else's money: Yes _____ No _____

26. Have you ever worked as a financial advisor: Yes _____ No _____

27. Have you ever borrowed money from a friend or colleague: Yes _____ No _____

MILITARY SERVICE

28. Have you ever served in the military: Yes _____ No _____ (If no, skip to next section)

If yes, what branch: _____

Length of service: _____

What was your job: _____

What was your highest rank: _____

Nature of discharge, if any: _____

PAST JURY SERVICE

29. Have you ever served on a jury for a criminal trial:

Yes _____ No _____ (If no, skip to next question).

If yes, when and how many times: _____

If yes, how did you feel about your experience: _____

If yes, what kind of verdict did you return:

Guilty _____ Not guilty _____ Hung jury/no verdict _____

If yes, were you the foreperson of the jury: Yes _____ No _____

30. Have you ever served on a grand jury: Yes _____ No _____

If yes, how did you feel about your experience: _____

If yes, were you the foreperson: Yes _____ No _____

LEGAL INVOLVEMENT

31. Have you ever been convicted of or pled guilty or no contest to a felony charge (a felony charge is a crime for which the punishment could be a year or more in prison). If no,

mark "no" below and skip to question #31:

Yes _____ No _____ If yes, what was the charge: _____

Year when conviction happened: _____

If yes, do you feel that you were treated fairly: _____

If yes, did this experience negatively affect how you view law enforcement or the court system: _____

32. Have you or a member of your immediate family been arrested for a criminal offense, whether or not the person was ultimately convicted. If no, mark "no" and skip to #32.

Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please provide:

Who was the person arrested: _____

What was the charge: _____

Year when arrest or charge happened: _____

Outcome of arrest or charge: _____

If yes, do you feel the person arrested/charged was treated fairly: _____

If yes, did this experience negatively affect how you view law enforcement or the court system: _____

33. Have you ever filed for bankruptcy: Yes ____ No ____

34. Have you, a family member, or a close friend ever been the victim of a crime:

Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please describe: _____

LAW ENFORCEMENT

35. Have you ever worked in a law enforcement job such as a police officer, sheriff, trooper, prison guard, or military police: Yes ____ No ____

If yes, who did you work for: _____

How long: _____ Reason for leaving job, if no longer there: _____

36. Have you ever applied for a job in law enforcement: Yes ____ No ____

If yes, where, and were you offered the position: _____

37. Have you ever had a bad experience with law enforcement: Yes ____ No ____

If yes, was it with the Limestone County Sheriff's Office: Yes ____ No ____

Other law enforcement agency: Yes ____ No ____

If yes, describe why you feel the experience was bad: _____

PERSONAL

38. Have you ever visited the Limestone County Rodeo grounds: Yes ____ No ____

39. Have you ever been falsely accused of something or been blamed for someone else's mistake: Yes ____ No ____

40. List hobbies/spare-time activities/interests: _____

41. What websites or newspapers do you read: _____

42. What radio shows/podcasts do you regularly listen to: _____

43. Have you ever put political signs in your yard or political bumper stickers on your
vehicle: Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what did they say: _____

44. Have you ever run for political office: Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what office: _____

45. Have you ever volunteered or worked for a political campaign: Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what did you do and for whom: _____

46. Have you ever donated to a PAC: Yes _____ No _____
If yes, what or how much money did you donate: _____
When was your donation(s): _____
Which PAC(s): _____