

VOIR DIRE IN ELDER ABUSE

- 1) ARE YOU MARRIED? DO YOU HAVE CHILDREN?
- 2) HOW OLD ARE YOU?
- 3) HAVE YOU EVER WORKED AS A CAREGIVER FOR THE ELDERLY, OR THE DISABLED?
- 4) HAS ANYONE CLOSE TO YOU SUFFERED FROM A TERMINAL ILLNESS?
- 5) HAVE YOU EVER BEEN A CAREGIVER FOR A SERIOUSLY ILL OR TERMINALLY ILL PERSON?
- 6) DOES THIS SUBJECT OF ELDER ABUSE, OR CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST THE ELDERLY OR INFIRM, RAISE IN YOU CONCERNS ABOUT BEING ABLE TO SIT AS A FAIR AND IMPARTIAL JUROR?
- 7) DOES THE CHARGE OF ELDER ABUSE RAISE IN YOU CONCERNS ABOUT BEING ABLE TO SIT AS A FAIR AND IMPARTIAL JUROR?
- 8) DO YOU HAVE AN OPINION ABOUT ELDER ABUSE LAWS?
- 9) DO YOU REGULARLY SEE A DOCTOR?
- 10) DO YOU HAVE ANY OPINIONS IN FAVOR OF, OR AGAINST, MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS?
- 11) WOULD YOU BE ABLE TO LISTEN TO THE TESTIMONY OF A PHYSICIAN OR NURSE, AND WEIGH THAT TESTIMONY AS YOU WOULD ANY OTHER?
- 12) IS ANYONE INVOLVED IN ANY ORGANIZATION ADDRESSING ISSUES AFFECTING THE ELDERLY OR DISABLED?

- 13) HAVE YOU HAD EXPERIENCES WITH ANY LOCAL, CITY,
COUNTY, STATE OR FEDERAL SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCY?
- 14) WOULD YOU BE ABLE TO OBSERVE, LOOK AT, LISTEN TO, AND
DISCUSS MATTERS THAT MAY BE DISTURBING?