**1.14 COMMUNICATIONS BY JURORS WITH THE COURT**

If at any time during the trial you cannot see or hear a witness or an attorney, please raise your hand and I will correct the situation. If you have another problem that you would like to bring to my attention, or if you feel ill or need to go to the restroom, please give a note to the in-court clerk who will deliver it to me.

I want you to be comfortable as you carry out your important duties. So do not hesitate to inform me of any problem that you may have.

Use Note

Jurors who have some problem during the trial should be told how to communicate the problem to the court. This instruction explains how; it should be given in all cases.

If the problem is anything more than momentary, the court should share the note with the attorneys, who may want to think about excusing the juror.