

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
GREENWOOD DIVISION



Pernanza Hill,) C/A No. 8:06-1010
)
Plaintiff,)
v.)
) **SPECIAL VERDICT FORM**
USA Truck, Inc.,)
)
Defendant)
)

1. Do you find that the defendant was negligent and that such negligence proximately caused the plaintiff's injuries?

Yes. If you answer yes, GO TO QUESTION 2.

No. If you answer no, STOP AND DELIBERATE NO FURTHER.

2. Do you find that the plaintiff was negligent and that such negligence proximately caused his injuries?

Yes. If you answer yes, GO TO QUESTION 3.

No. If you answer no, GO TO QUESTION 4.

3. If your answers to both Question Number 1 and Question Number 2 are YES, then answer this question:

Taking the combined negligence that proximately caused the plaintiff's injuries as one hundred percent (100%), what percentage of that negligence is attributable to the plaintiff and what percentage is attributable to the defendant? (The percentages must add up to 100%).

Plaintiff: _____%

Defendant: _____%

Total: 100%

If the plaintiff's percentage of the combined negligence is greater than 50%, STOP AND DELIBERATE NO FURTHER.

If the plaintiff's percentage of the combined negligence is 50% OR LESS, GO TO QUESTION 4.

4. Please state the total amount of actual damages sustained by the plaintiff: \$ 2,000,000.00

Note: If your answer to Question Number 2 was YES, do NOT reduce the plaintiff's damages. The Court will reduce the damages if necessary.

If your answer to Question 4 was greater than zero (0), then GO TO QUESTION 5.

5. Do you find that the defendant's conduct was reckless, willful, and wanton, and that such conduct proximately caused plaintiff's injury?

Yes. If you answer Yes, GO TO QUESTION 6.

No. If you answer No, STOP AND DELIBERATE NO FURTHER.

6. Please state the amount of punitive damages.

\$ 1,000,000