



MODEL CRIMINAL JURY INSTRUCTIONS COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes of:
Friday, February 18, 2022
Held via WebEx

Attendees: Justice Samour (Chair), Judge Dailey (Vice Chair), Judge Freyre (Vice Chair), Chief Judge Blanco, Judge Egelhoff, Judge Randall, Judge Tuttle.

Staff: Jeremy Beck (Reporter).

I. Approval of Minutes

The Committee approved the minutes for the January 28, 2022, meeting.

II. Self-Defense for Multiple Assailants

The Committee reviewed the Reporter's alternative revisions to the self-defense instruction in light of *People v. Roberts-Bicking*, 2021 COA 12, 490 P.3d 1128. The Committee elected to modify the main self-defense instruction with bracketed language for multiple-assailant scenarios, rather than adding a new special instruction. The Committee also approved of the Reporter's comment tracking the historical development of the issue through caselaw.

III. Second-Degree Kidnapping

The Committee approved of the updated comment on the second-degree kidnapping instruction regarding the phrase "seizes and carries" in light of *Garcia v. People*, 2022 CO 6.

IV. Firearms and Felony Murder

The Committee reviewed instructions affected by 2021 legislation involving firearms and felony murder. The Committee made revisions to certain instructions—including the creation of a special instruction for the new crime of failing to responsibly and securely store a firearm—but otherwise approved of the instructions.

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 4:37 p.m.