**Victim Impact Statement (VIS) Form:**

(Adult version. For School-aged Child Victim Impact Statement (VIS), see below on page 3.)

Your Name:

Your Loved One’s Name:

Defendant’s Name:

1. How has this event affected you and those close to you? Please feel free to discuss your feelings about what has happened and how it has affected your general well-being. Has this crime affected your relationship with any family members, friends, co-workers or other people? Please feel free to mention if, as a result of this crime, you or others close to you have sought any type of victim services, such as counseling by a licensed professional member of the clergy or a community-sponsored support group. *(Please continue on a separate sheet of paper if necessary.)*
2. Has this crime affected your ability to perform your work, make a living, run a household, go to school or enjoy any other activities you previously performed or enjoyed? If so, please explain how these activities have been affected by your loss. *(Please continue on a separate sheet of paper if necessary.)*
3. If you feel comfortable doing so, use this space to tell the Judge anything you would like him or her to know about your loved one and the kind of person he or she was. If you wish, write about any special memories you have of your loved one, times you shared together, what his or her hopes and dreams were, and any other information you would like to share. *(Please continue on a separate sheet of paper if necessary.)*

**School-aged Child Victim Impact Statement (VIS):**

What Is Your Name?

How Old Are You?

What Grade Are You In?

1. Please write or draw anything you would like the Judge to know about how you feel because of what has happened to you. You may want to write about anything that has changed in your life or in your family. You can even tell a story or write a poem if you would like. *(Please add more paper if you wish.)*
2. Please write or draw anything you want the Judge to know that may be different at school, in your neighborhood, or with your friends because of what has happened to you. *(Please add more paper if you wish.)*