**13-1605. Ordinary care of minor.**

A person under 18 years of age is not necessarily held to the same standard of conduct as an adult. By the term "ordinary care" with respect to a minor, I mean that degree of care which a reasonably careful minor of the age, mental capacity and experience of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (*plaintiff - defendant - decedent*) would use under circumstances similar to those shown by the evidence in this case.

USE NOTES

This instruction should be given when there is an issue as to the negligence of a minor seven (7) years of age or older unless the court finds that the minor has assumed the responsibility of an adult by engaging in certain activities such as driving a motor vehicle.