## 13-116. Two or more defendants. (Optional as preliminary instruction.)

Although there is more than one defendant in this action, it does not follow from that fact alone that if one is liable another is liable. Each defendant is entitled to a fair consideration of that defendant's own defense. You will decide each defendant's case separately, as if each were a separate lawsuit.

## **USE NOTES**

See UJI 13-114 NMRA.

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