

9.05
Definition Of Bigamy

A person commits the offense of bigamy when [(he) (she)], having a [(husband) (wife)], marries another [and thereafter cohabits in this state].

Committee Note

720 ILCS 5/11-12(a) (West, 1999) (formerly Ill.Rev.Stat. ch. 38, §11-12(a) (1991)).

Give the last clause only when the second marriage takes place outside Illinois and give Instruction 9.05A.

Use applicable bracketed material.