

## **22.13 Definition Of Resisting Or Obstructing A Peace Officer Or Correctional Institution Employee**

A person commits the offense of resisting or obstructing a [(peace officer) (correctional institution employee)] when he knowingly resists or obstructs the performance of any authorized act within the official capacity of one known to him to be a [(peace officer) (correctional institution employee)].

### **Committee Note**

720 ILCS 5/31-1(a) (West 1992) (formerly Ill.Rev.Stat. ch. 38, §31-1(a) (1991)), amended by P.A. 87-1198, effective September 25, 1992.

Give Instruction 22.14.

Give either Instruction 4.08, defining the term “peace officer,” or Instruction 22.13A, defining the term “correctional institution employee.”