

COCKFIGHTING.¹ MISDEMEANOR. G.S. 14-362.

The defendant has been charged with cockfighting.

For you to find the defendant guilty of this offense, the State must prove two things beyond a reasonable doubt.

First, that the defendant [instigated] [promoted] [conducted] [was employed at] [allowed property under his ownership or control to be used for] [participated as a spectator at] [profited from] an exhibition featuring the fighting of a cock.

And Second, that the defendant acted intentionally,² that is without justification or excuse.

If you find from the evidence beyond a reasonable doubt that on or about the alleged date, the defendant intentionally [instigated] [promoted] [conducted] [was employed at] [allowed property under his ownership or control to be used for] [participated as a spectator at] [profited from] an exhibition featuring the fighting of a cock, it would be your duty to return a verdict of guilty. If you do not so find or have a reasonable doubt as to one or both of these things, it would be your duty to return a verdict of not guilty.

¹For offense involving "dog fighting" see N.C.P.I.--Crim. 247.31.

²For the definition of intent see N.C.P.I.--Crim. 120.10.

