

1 AN ACT in relation to criminal law.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Code of Criminal Procedure of 1963 is  
5 amended by changing Section 115-8 as follows:

6 (725 ILCS 5/115-8) (from Ch. 38, par. 115-8)

7 Sec. 115-8. A defendant may waive his or her right to be  
8 present during trial. However, upon motion of the State's  
9 Attorney made prior to or during trial, the court shall order  
10 the defendant to present himself in open court for the  
11 purpose of identification.

12 (Source: P.A. 77-1426.)