



Matrimonial Causes Act 1965

1965 CHAPTER 72

PART I

DIVORCE, NULLITY AND OTHER MATRIMONIAL SUITS

Divorce

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Textual Amendments

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8 Remarriage of divorced persons.

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(2) No clergyman of the Church of England or the Church in Wales shall be compelled—

- (a) to solemnise the marriage of any person whose former marriage has been dissolved and whose former spouse is still living; or
- (b) to permit the marriage of such a person to be solemnised in the church or chapel of which he is the minister.

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