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100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 571.070, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the offense of unlawful possession of a firearm for certain persons, with penalty provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 571.070, RSMo, is repealed and one new section 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 571.070, to read as follows:

571.070. 1. A person commits the offense of unlawful possession of a

- 2 firearm if such person knowingly has any firearm in his or her possession and:
- 3 (1) Such person has been convicted of a felony under the laws of this
- 4 state, or of a crime under the laws of any state or of the United States which, if
- 5 committed within this state, would be a felony; or
- 6 (2) Such person is a fugitive from justice, is habitually in an intoxicated 7 or drugged condition, or is currently adjudged mentally incompetent.
 - 2. Unlawful possession of a firearm is a class [D] C felony.
- 9 3. The provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection 1 of this section shall not apply to the possession of an antique firearm.

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