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96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To repeal section 571.070, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the crime of unlawful possession of a firearm, 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Section A. Section 571.070, RSMo, is repealed and one new section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 crime 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 on probation for a felony offense under the**
7 **laws of this state, or for a crime under the laws of any state or of the**
8 **United States, which if committed within this state, would be a felony;**
9 **or**

10 (3) Such person is a fugitive from justice, is habitually in an intoxicated
11 or drugged condition, or is currently adjudged mentally incompetent.

12 2. Unlawful possession of a firearm is a class C felony.

13 3. The provisions of subdivision (1) of subsection 1 of this section shall not
14 apply to the possession of an antique firearm.

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