

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2549

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE NEWMAN.

6394H.011

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 571.060, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the sale of ammunition to minors, with penalty provisions.

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

Section A. Section 571.060, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 571.060, to read as follows:

571.060. 1. A person commits the crime of unlawful transfer of weapons if he **or she**:

(1) Knowingly sells, leases, loans, gives away or delivers a firearm or ammunition for a firearm to any person who, under the provisions of section 571.070, is not lawfully entitled to possess such;

(2) Knowingly sells, leases, loans, gives away or delivers a blackjack to a person less than eighteen years old without the consent of the child's custodial parent or guardian, or recklessly, as defined in section 562.016, sells, leases, loans, gives away or delivers any firearm to a person less than eighteen years old without the consent of the child's custodial parent or guardian; provided, that this does not prohibit the delivery of such weapons to any peace officer or member of the Armed Forces or National Guard while performing his official duty; [or]

(3) **Directly or indirectly sells, delivers, or otherwise transfers any firearm ammunition or accessories to a person he or she knows or has reasonable cause to believe is less than eighteen years of age; or**

(4) Recklessly, as defined in section 562.016, sells, leases, loans, gives away or delivers a firearm or ammunition for a firearm to a person who is intoxicated.

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

16 2. Unlawful transfer of weapons under subdivision (1) of subsection 1 of this section is
17 a class D felony; unlawful transfer of weapons under subdivisions (2) [and (3)] **to (4)** of
18 subsection 1 of this section is a class A misdemeanor.

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