

Clark County Office of the District Attorney

2025 Legislative Session PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO AB 245

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Intent:

By adding “Unless a greater penalty is provided by law” into the bill, we ensure that this new statute does not preempt a DA’s ability to file additional charges against a person when the elements of those additional crimes are met by the evidence.

Proposed Amendment to Section 1, Subsection 2:

2. *Unless a greater penalty is provided by law, a person who aids or knowingly permits a person who is less than 21 years of age to violate subsection 1:*

(a) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (b), for the first offense, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

(b) For a first offense, if the person knows or has reason to know that there is a substantial risk that the person who is less than 21 years of age will use the firearm to commit a violent act, is guilty of a category C felony and shall be punished as provided in NRS 193.130.

(c) For a second or any subsequent offense, is guilty of a category B felony and shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison for a minimum term of not less than 1 year and a maximum term of not more than 6 years, and may be further punished by a fine of not more than \$5,000.