STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

IN SENATE

January 20, 2023

Introduced by Sen. PALUMBO -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the penal law, in relation to consecutive terms of imprisonment

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 70.25 of the penal law is amended by adding a new subdivision 2-h to read as follows:

2-h. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, when a person is convicted of two or more felony counts and at least one of which is an offense defined in article two hundred sixty-five of this chapter involving the possession or use of an illegal firearm, rifle or shotgun, the sentences must run consecutively.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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