

HOUSE BILL NO. 5118

October 16, 2019, Introduced by Rep. Calley and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 2016 PA 343, entitled
"Wrongful imprisonment compensation act,"
by amending section 7 (MCL 691.1757).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1 Sec. 7. **(1)** An action for compensation under this act must be
- 2 commenced within 3 years after entry of a verdict, order, or
- 3 judgment as the result of an event described in section 4(1)(b).
- 4 Any action by this state challenging or appealing a verdict, order,
- 5 or judgment entered as the result of an event described in section



1 4(1)(b) tolls the 3-year period.

2 (2) An individual convicted, imprisoned, and released from
3 custody before ~~the effective date of this act~~ **March 29, 2017** must
4 commence an action under this act within 18 months after the
5 effective date of ~~this act.~~ **the 2019 amendatory act that amended**
6 **this section.**

7 Enacting section 1. Section 7 of the wrongful imprisonment
8 compensation act, 2016 PA 343, MCL 691.1757, as amended by this
9 amendatory act, applies retroactively to March 29, 2017.

