SENATE BILL No. 803

October 28, 2003, Introduced by Senator CROPSEY and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled
"The code of criminal procedure,"
by amending section 24 of chapter VII (MCL 767.24), as amended by
2002 PA 119.

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- 2 Sec. 24. (1) An indictment for murder, or criminal sexual
- 3 conduct in the first degree, or a violation of chapter LXXXIII-A
- 4 of the Michigan penal code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.543a to
- 5 750.543z, or a violation of chapter XXXIII of the Michigan penal
- 6 code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.200 to 750.212a, that is punishable by
 - life imprisonment may be found and filed at any time.
- 8 (2) An indictment for a violation or attempted violation of
- 9 section 145c, 520c, 520d, 520e, or 520g of the Michigan penal
- 10 code, 1931 PA 328, MCL 750.145c, 750.520c, 750.520d, 750.520e,

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- 1 and 750.520q, may be found and filed as follows:
- 2 (a) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (b), an
- 3 indictment may be found and filed within 10 years after the
- 4 offense is committed or by the alleged victim's twenty-first
- 5 birthday, whichever is later.
- 6 (b) If evidence of the violation is obtained and that
- 7 evidence contains DNA that is determined to be from an
- 8 unidentified individual, an indictment against that individual
- 9 for the violation may be found and filed at any time after the
- 10 offense is committed. However, after the individual is
- 11 identified, the indictment shall be found and filed within 10
- 12 years after the individual is identified or by the alleged
- 13 victim's twenty-first birthday, whichever is later.
- 14 (c) As used in this subsection:
- 15 (i) "DNA" means human deoxyribonucleic acid.
- 16 (ii) "Identified" means the individual's legal name is known
- 17 and he or she has been determined to be the source of the DNA.
- 18 (3) An indictment for kidnapping, extortion, assault with
- 19 intent to commit murder, attempted murder, manslaughter,
- 20 conspiracy to commit murder, or first-degree home invasion shall
- 21 be found and filed within 10 years after the offense is
- 22 committed.
- 23 (4) An indictment for identity theft or attempted identity
- 24 theft may be found and filed as follows:
- 25 (a) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (b), an
- 26 indictment may be found and filed within 6 years after the
- 27 offense is committed.

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- 1 (b) If evidence of the violation is obtained and that
- 2 evidence is determined to be from an unidentified individual, an
- 3 indictment shall be found and filed at any time after the offense
- 4 is committed, but not more than 6 years after the individual is
- 5 identified.
- 6 (c) As used in this subsection:
- 7 (i) "Identified" means the individual's legal name is known.
- 8 (ii) "Identity theft" means that term as defined in section 3
- 9 of the identity theft protection act, MCL 445.63.
- 10 (5) -(4) All other indictments shall be found and filed
- 11 within 6 years after the offense is committed.
- 12 (6) -(5) Any period during which the party charged did not
- 13 usually and publicly reside within this state is not part of the
- 14 time within which the respective indictments shall be found and
- 15 filed.

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