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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

735 ILCS 5/13-202

from Ch. 110, par. 13-202

Amends the Code of Civil Procedure. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the limitation period for actions for damages for personal injury.

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AN ACT concerning civil law.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Code of Civil Procedure is amended by 5 changing Section 13-202 as follows:

6 (735 ILCS 5/13-202) (from Ch. 110, par. 13-202)

7 Sec. 13-202. Personal injury - Penalty. Actions for damages for an injury to the the person, or for false imprisonment, or 8 9 malicious prosecution, or for a statutory penalty, or for 10 abduction, or for seduction, or for criminal conversation, except damages resulting from first degree murder or the 11 commission of a Class X felony and the perpetrator thereof is 12 convicted of such crime, shall be commenced within 2 years next 13 14 after the cause of action accrued but such an action against a defendant arising from a crime committed by the defendant in 15 16 whose name an escrow account was established under the 17 "Criminal Victims' Escrow Account Act" shall be commenced within 2 years after the establishment of such account. 18

19 (Source: P.A. 84-1450.)