

HOUSE BILL 198

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REDUCING THE TIME FOR FILING A PETITION FOR POSTCONVICTION RELIEF FROM 5 YEARS TO 1 YEAR AFTER REMITTITUR OR 1 YEAR AFTER DATE OF JUDGMENT IF NO APPEAL IS FILED; AMENDING SECTION 46-21-102, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN APPLICABILITY DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 46-21-102, MCA, is amended to read:

"46-21-102. When petition may be filed. A petition for such postconviction relief may be filed at any time within 5 years--of 1 year from the date of the-conviction remittitur of the record to the district court following termination of an appeal or, if no appeal is taken, within 1 year from the date of entry of judgment."

NEW SECTION. **Section 2.** Applicability. [This act]

applies to all petitions filed on or after October 1, 1991.

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