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A Bill

SENATE BILL 428

By: Senator J. Bryant
By: Representative Rose

For An Act To Be Entitled

AND ACT CONCERNING A CIVIL CAUSE OF ACTION FOR
VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING; TO PROVIDE A STATUTE OF
LIMITATION PERIOD OF TEN YEARS FOR A VICTIM OF HUMAN
TRAFFICKING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING; AND TO
PROVIDE A STATUTE OF LIMITATION PERIOD
OF TEN YEARS FOR A VICTIM OF HUMAN
TRAFFICKING.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-118-109(f)(1), regarding the statute of limitation for a civil cause of action for victims of human trafficking, is amended to read as follows:

(f)(1) ~~A statute of limitation period imposed for the filing of a civil action under this section will not begin to run until~~ A civil action under this section shall be commenced within ten (10) years from the date the plaintiff discovers that the human trafficking incident occurred and that the defendant caused, was responsible for, or benefitted financially or received anything of value from the human trafficking incident.

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