

Calendar No. 276

117TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 28, 2021

Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. LEAHY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. PADILLA, and Mr. OSSOFF) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

FEBRUARY 17, 2022

Reported by Mr. DURBIN, with amendments

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
 2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Eliminating Limits
 5 to Justice for Child Sex Abuse Victims Act of ~~2021~~ 2022”.

6 **SEC. 2. ELIMINATION OF THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS.**

7 Section 2255 of title 18, United States Code, is
 8 amended by striking subsection (b) and inserting the fol-
 9 lowing:

10 “(b) STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS.—There shall be no
 11 time limit for the filing of ~~any~~ *a complaint commencing*
 12 *an action commenced* under this section.”.

13 **SEC. 3. EFFECTIVE DATE; APPLICABILITY.**

14 This Act and the amendments made by this Act
 15 shall—

16 (1) take effect on *the* date of enactment of this
 17 Act; and

18 (2) apply to—

19 (A) any claim or action that, as of the date
 20 described in paragraph (1), would not have
 21 been barred under section 2255(b) of title 18,
 22 United States Code, as it read *on* the day be-
 23 fore the date of enactment of this Act; and

24 (B) any claim or action arising after the
 25 date of enactment of this Act.

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