

## HOUSE REPUBLICAN STAFF ANALYSIS

Bill: Senate File 362	House Committee: PASSED on March 23 (19-0)
Committee: Judiciary	House Floor:
Floor Manager: Rep. Jones	Senate Floor: PASSED on March 14 (47-0)
Date: April 18, 2023	Governor:
Staff: Amanda Wille (1-5230)	

### Statute of Limitations- Fourth Degree Sexual Assault

- In 2022, SF 529 created the crime of fourth degree sexual assault if a health care professional used unapproved genetic material during assisted reproduction or if they lied about the genetic material.
- SF 362 ensures that there is no statute of limitations for prosecuting fourth degree sexual assault.

### Section by Section Analysis

#### Section 1 –Limitation of Criminal Actions- Felony -Aggravated or Serious Misdemeanor (802.3)

Lifts the statute of limitations for fourth degree sexual assault.

#### Section 2 –Limitation of Criminal Actions- DNA Prolife of Accused (802.10)

A person can be charged with fourth degree sexual assault anytime after the offense is committed if the person is identified by DNA.

### Amendment Analysis