



HOUSE FILE 2624

AN ACT

EXTENDING THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR THE FILING OF AN  
INDICTMENT OR INFORMATION IN A FELONY OR AGGRAVATED OR  
SERIOUS MISDEMEANOR PROCEEDING INVOLVING DNA PROFILING.

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

Section 1. Section 802.3, Code 2005, is amended to read as follows:

802.3 FELONY -- AGGRAVATED OR SERIOUS MISDEMEANOR.

In all cases, except those enumerated in ~~sections~~ section 802.1, 802.2, ~~and~~ 802.2A, or 802.10, an indictment or information for a felony or aggravated or serious misdemeanor shall be found within three years after its commission.


Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 802.10 DNA PROFILE OF ACCUSED.

1. "DNA profile" means the same as defined in section 81.1.

2. An indictment or information may be found containing only the DNA profile of the person charged. When an indictment or information is found containing only a DNA profile, the limitation of any action under section 802.3 is tolled.

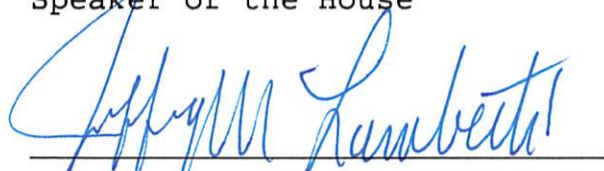
3. However, an indictment or information shall be found within three years from the date the identity of the person charged is identified by the person's DNA profile under section 802.3. If the action involves sexual abuse, the

indictment or information shall be found as provided in section 802.2, if the person is identified by the person's DNA profile.



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CHRISTOPHER C. RANTS  
Speaker of the House



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JEFFREY M. LAMBERTI  
President of the Senate

I hereby certify that this bill originated in the House and is known as House File 2624, Eighty-first General Assembly.



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MARGARET THOMSON  
Chief Clerk of the House

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THOMAS J. VILSACK  
Governor