

SENATE BILL SUMMARY

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SB 92

Statutes of Limitations/Wrongful Death Actions
by Senator Rich

Cites this act as the "Jeffrey Klee Memorial Act."
Eliminates the statute of limitations for wrongful death actions for intentional torts resulting in death from acts described in provisions relating to murder, or provisions relating to manslaughter. Specifies that an arrest, the filing of formal criminal charges, or a conviction for a violation of the provisions relating to murder or manslaughter is not required as a condition for filing a civil action. Limits the application of the extension of the wrongful death statute of limitations to claims not otherwise time-barred on the effective date of the act.
(See bill for details)