



**94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**State of Illinois**  
**2005 and 2006**  
**HB5544**

Introduced 01/27/06, by Rep. Robert F. Flider

**SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:**

735 ILCS 5/13-202

from Ch. 110, par. 13-202

Amends the Code of Civil Procedure. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the limitation period for actions for damages for personal injury.

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1 AN ACT concerning civil law.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Code of Civil Procedure is amended by  
5 changing Section 13-202 as follows:

6 (735 ILCS 5/13-202) (from Ch. 110, par. 13-202)

7 Sec. 13-202. Personal injury - Penalty. Actions for damages  
8 for an injury to the ~~the~~ person, or for false imprisonment, or  
9 malicious prosecution, or for a statutory penalty, or for  
10 abduction, or for seduction, or for criminal conversation,  
11 except damages resulting from first degree murder or the  
12 commission of a Class X felony and the perpetrator thereof is  
13 convicted of such crime, shall be commenced within 2 years next  
14 after the cause of action accrued but such an action against a  
15 defendant arising from a crime committed by the defendant in  
16 whose name an escrow account was established under the  
17 "Criminal Victims' Escrow Account Act" shall be commenced  
18 within 2 years after the establishment of such account.

19 (Source: P.A. 84-1450.)