Florida Senate - 2020 Bill No. SB 346

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

House

The Committee on Criminal Justice (Bradley) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 181 and 182

insert:

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Section 4. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 961.03, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

961.03 Determination of status as a wrongfully incarcerated person; determination of eligibility for compensation.-(1) (b) The person must file the petition with the court: Florida Senate - 2020 Bill No. SB 346

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11	1. Within <u>2 years</u> 90 days after the order vacating a
12	conviction and sentence becomes final and the criminal charges
13	against the person are dismissed if the person's conviction and
14	sentence is vacated, or the person is retried and found not
15	guilty, on or after July 1, 2008. If a person had a claim
16	dismissed or did not file a claim because of the former 90-day
17	petition filing period under this subparagraph, he or she may
18	file a petition with the court within 2 years after July 1,
19	2020.
20	2. By July 1, 2010, if the person's conviction and sentence
21	was vacated by an order that became final <u>before</u> prior to July
22	1, 2008.
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25	And the title is amended as follows:
26	Delete line 30
27	and insert:
28	officer; amending s. 961.03, F.S.; revising the
29	circumstances under which a wrongfully incarcerated
30	person must file a petition with the court to
31	determine eligibility for compensation; authorizing
32	certain persons to petition the court to determine
33	eligibility for compensation within a specified
34	timeframe; amending s. 961.04, F.S.; revising the

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