(133rd General Assembly)
(Amended Substitute House Bill Number 197)

AN ACT

To amend sections 122.075, 125.831, 131.45, 133.01, 133.06, 133.07, 133.18, 135.142, 305.31, 306.322, 307.671, 307.672, 307.674, 307.678, 307.695, 319.301, 321.03, 321.20, 323.154, 323.155, 351.01, 351.03, 351.141, 718.01, 718.021, 929.01, 1545.041, 1545.21, 1711.15, 1711.16, 3316.03, 3316.06, 3317.01, 4301.20, 4582.024, 4582.26, 4582.56, 4723.43, 4729.01, 4761.17, 5104.31, 5701.08, 5701.11, 5701.12, 5703.04, 5703.211, 5703.54, 5703.94, 5703.95, 5705.03, 5705.13, 5705.19, 5705.195, 5705.213, 5705.252, 5705.29, 5705.315, 5705.34, 5705.35, 5705.36, 5705.49, 5709.201, 5709.43, 5709.48, 5709.53, 5709.61, 5709.80, 5709.85, 5709.93, 5713.03, 5713.30, 5713.351, 5715.13, 5715.36, 5721.06, 5721.191, 5721.39, 5725.98, 5726.50, 5726.98, 5727.02, 5727.11, 5727.23, 5727.32, 5727.33, 5727.80, 5727.83, 5727.84, 5729.98, 5733.042, 5733.05, 5733.052, 5733.055, 5733.40, 5733.98, 5735.026, 5735.06, 5739.01, 5739.011, 5739.02, 5739.021, 5739.028, 5739.03, 5739.034, 5739.08, 5739.09, 5739.21, 5740.02, 5743.05, 5743.08, 5743.33, 5743.65, 5745.14, 5747.01, 5747.011, 5747.012, 5747.013, 5747.02, 5747.058, 5747.061, 5747.07, 5747.082, 5747.11, 5747.231, 5747.41, 5747.51, 5747.52, 5747.55, 5747.98, 5748.08, 5748.09, 5751.01, 5751.08, 5751.09, 5751.50, 5751.51, 5751.98, and 5753.11; to enact sections 4723.433, 4723.434, 4723.435, 5739.091, 5739.092, 5751.40, 5751.41, and 5751.42; and to repeal sections 901.13, 5705.211, 5727.87, 5733.46, 5739.105, 5747.75, and 5751.23 of the Revised Code and to amend Section 757.40 of H.B. 166 of the 133rd General Assembly to continue essential operations of state government and maintain the continuity of the state tax code in response to the declared pandemic and global health emergency related to COVID-19, to make appropriations, and to declare an emergency.
SECTION 22. (A) The following that are set to expire between March 9, 2020, and July 30, 2020, shall be tolled:

(1) A statute of limitation, as follows:
(a) For any criminal offense, notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the applicable period of limitation set forth in section 2901.13 of the Revised Code for the criminal offense;
(b) When a civil cause of action accrues against a person, notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the period of limitation for commencement of the action as provided under any section in Chapter 2305. of the Revised Code, or under any other provision of the Revised Code that applies to the cause of action;
(c) For any administrative action or proceeding, the period of limitation for the action or proceeding as provided under the Revised Code or the Administrative Code, if applicable.

(2) The time within which a bill of indictment or an accusation must be returned or the time within which a matter must be brought before a grand jury;

(3) The time within which an accused person must be brought to trial or, in the case of a felony, to a preliminary hearing and trial;

(4) Time deadlines and other schedule requirements regarding a juvenile, including detaining a juvenile;

(5) The time within which a commitment hearing must be held;

(6) The time by which a warrant must be issued;

(7) The time within which discovery or any aspect of discovery must be completed;

(8) The time within which a party must be served;

(9) The time within which an appearance regarding a dissolution of marriage must occur pursuant to section 3105.64 of the Revised Code;

(10) Any other criminal, civil, or administrative time limitation or deadline under the Revised Code.

(B) This section applies retroactively to the date of the emergency declared by Executive Order 2020-01D, issued on March 9, 2020.

(C) Division (A) of this section expires on the date the period of emergency ends or July 30, 2020, whichever is sooner.