

HB0719/248472/1

BY: Judicial Proceedings Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 719
(Third Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 4, strike “may be” and substitute “is”; and in line 9, after “Act;” insert “providing that the period of the declared state of emergency and catastrophic health emergency may not be used for the purposes of calculating the time limitation on filing a certain action;”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, in line 8, strike “may” and substitute “shall”; in the same line, after “unenforceable” insert “during the period of the state of emergency and catastrophic health emergency beginning March 5, 2020, with the Governor’s “Declaration of State of Emergency and Existence of Catastrophic Health Emergency – COVID-19” and ending 180 days after the expiration or rescission of the Governor’s proclamation;”; in line 16, after “Governor;” insert “and”; in line 20, strike “; and” and substitute a period; strike in their entirety lines 21 and 22; after line 32, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the period of the state of emergency and catastrophic health emergency beginning March 5, 2020, with the Governor’s “Declaration of State of Emergency and Existence of Catastrophic Health Emergency – COVID-19” and ending on the expiration or rescission of the Governor’s proclamation may not be considered for the purposes of calculating time limitations restricting the filing of an action alleging liability that accrued during the state of emergency and catastrophic health emergency under a personal liability clause of a commercial lease;”;

and in line 33, strike “2.” and substitute “3.”.