

[AS PASSED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY]

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BILL

further to amend the Limitation Act, 1908

WHEREAS, it is expedient further to amend the Limitation Act, 1908 (IX of 1908) for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

- 1. **Short title and commencement:** - (1) This Act may be called the Limitation (Amendment) Act, 2022,
- (2) It shall come into force at once.
- 2. **Amendment of the First Schedule Act, IX of 1908.** - In the Limitation Act, 1908, in the Table, against entry of Article 150, in column 2, for the words "seven days" the words "thirty days" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

When any person is awarded death sentence for any crime, his heirs are devastated. Their thinking and decision making ability temporarily elapses. The person to whom death sentence is given temporarily loses power of making right decision. He gets temporarily relief in the form of jail appeal. But there is no legal advisor appointed in any jail. The clerical staff pen down his appeal with innumerable legal lacunas. Hence the person given death sentence remains deprived of Justice.

The Bill has been designed to achieve the above purpose.

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