

**1st Sub. S.B. 177**

**INCREASE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON RAPE**

Representative **David Litvack** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 30 through 37:*

30 (1) Except as otherwise provided, a prosecution for:  
31 (a) a felony or negligent homicide shall be commenced within four years after it is  
32 committed~~[;]~~, except that prosecution for the offenses under Subsection (2) shall be  
33 commenced ~~{;}~~  
34 ~~—(i)—~~ within eight years after the offense is committed, if within four years after its  
35 commission the offense is reported to a law enforcement agency ~~{; or~~  
36 ~~—(ii) at a later date if DNA evidence allows prosecution to be commenced under~~  
37 Subsection (3)} ;

2. *Page 2, Lines 47 through 49:*

47 ~~[(2)]~~ (3) (a) ~~{A}~~ Notwithstanding Subsection (1), prosecution for the offenses listed in  
48 Subsections 76-3-203.5(1)(c)(i)(A)  
49 through (P) may be commenced at any time if the identity of the person who committed the  
49 crime is unknown but DNA evidence is collected that would identify the person at a later date.