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An Act To Promote Justice for Victims of Childhood Sexual Abuse

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Presented by Representative BRENNAN of Portland.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:
Sec. 1. 14 MRSA §752-C, sub-§3 is enacted to read:
3. Application. This section applies to all actions based upon sexual acts toward minors regardless of the date of the sexual act and regardless of whether the statute of limitations on such actions expired prior to the effective date of this subsection.
Sec. 2. PL 1999, c. 639, §2 is repealed.
SUMMARY
This bill allows civil actions based upon sexual acts toward minors regardless of the date of the sexual act and revives actions that may previously have been barred by a statute of limitations in force prior to the effective date of the law.