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BOYLE, BURLING, BUTLER, CALHOUN, CONTE, CROUCH, DUPREY, ERRIGO, FINCH,  
FITZPATRICK, HAWLEY, HAYES, KOLB, P. LOPEZ, McDONOUGH, McKEVITT, MILL-  
ER, MOLINARO, OAKS, O'MARA, QUINN, RABBITT, RAIA, REILICH, SALADINO,  
SAYWARD, THIELE, TOBACCO, WALKER -- read once and referred to the  
Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the criminal procedure law, in relation to the timeli-  
ness of prosecutions for assaults committed against children

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-  
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1     Section 1. Paragraph (g) of subdivision 3 of section 30.10 of the  
2 criminal procedure law is relettered paragraph (h) and a new paragraph  
3 (g) is added to read as follows:  
4     (G) FOR PURPOSES OF A PROSECUTION INVOLVING AN ASSAULT DEFINED IN  
5 SECTION 120.01, 120.05 OR 120.12 OF THE PENAL LAW; AN ASSAULT DEFINED IN  
6 SECTION 120.10, 120.20 OR 120.25 OF THE PENAL LAW COMMITTED AGAINST A  
7 CHILD LESS THAN EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; OR THE OFFENSE OF ENDANGERING THE  
8 WELFARE OF A CHILD AS DEFINED IN SECTION 260.10 OF THE PENAL LAW, THE  
9 PERIOD OF LIMITATION SHALL NOT BEGIN TO RUN UNTIL THE CHILD HAS REACHED  
10 THE AGE OF EIGHTEEN, OR THE OFFENSE IS REPORTED TO A LAW ENFORCEMENT  
11 AGENCY OR THE STATEWIDE CENTRAL REGISTER OF CHILD ABUSE AND MALTREAT-  
12 MENT, WHICHEVER OCCURS EARLIER.  
13     S 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall  
14 have become a law and shall apply to offenses committed on or after such  
15 effective date.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets  
[ ] is old law to be omitted.

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