SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS
2025 Regular Session
Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to Original Senate Bill No. 39
by Senator Morris

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 4, change "delictual" to "civil"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 9, delete "the limitation of certain causes of action brought by an offender"
5 and insert "jurisdiction and venue"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 3

7 On page 1, delete lines 15 through 17

8 AMENDMENT NO. 4

9 On page 2, delete lines 1 through 13

10 AMENDMENT NO. 5

11 On page 2, line 14, change "**B.**" to "**A.**"

12 AMENDMENT NO. 6

13 On page 2, between lines 17 and 18, insert the following:

14 "**(2) "Offender" means a person convicted of a crime and sentenced to serve a**
15 **term of imprisonment.**"

16 AMENDMENT NO. 7

17 On page 2, line 18, change "**(2)**" to "**(3)**"

18 AMENDMENT NO. 8

19 On page 2, line 18, after "**means**" delete the remainder of the line

20 AMENDMENT NO. 9

21 On page 2, delete lines 19 through 22 in their entirety and insert "**the unlawful detention**
22 **of an offender by or on behalf of the department, including incarceration of an offender**
23 **beyond the date the offender was**"

24 AMENDMENT NO. 10

25 On page 2, delete lines 24 through 29

26 AMENDMENT NO. 11

27 On page 3, line 1, change "**(5)**" to "**(4)**"

28 AMENDMENT NO. 12

29 On page 3, line 3, change "**C. Delictual**" to "**B. Civil**"

1   AMENDMENT NO. 13

2   On page 3, delete line 4, and insert the following:

3   "**(1) Any civil action for damages based on claims of false imprisonment**"

4   AMENDMENT NO. 14

5   On page 3, delete lines 7 through 12

6   AMENDMENT NO. 15

7   On page 3, line 13 change "**(1)**" to "**(2)**"

8   AMENDMENT NO. 16

9   On page 3, line 16, after "**review**" delete the remainder of the line and insert "**in the parish**
10 **of East Baton Rouge in the Nineteenth Judicial District Court.**"

11 AMENDMENT NO. 17

12 On page 3, delete lines 17 through 27

13 AMENDMENT NO. 18

14 On page 3, line 28, change "**E.**" to "**C.**"

15 AMENDMENT NO. 19

16 On page 3, line 29, delete "**No delictual action claiming false imprisonment**" and insert
17 the following:

18   "**No civil action for damages based on claims of false imprisonment arising from**
19 **the computation or calculation of the offender's sentence, release date, good time date,**
20 **or parole date**"

21 AMENDMENT NO. 20

22 On page 4, line 1, after "**sheriff**" delete "**or**" and insert a comma

23 AMENDMENT NO. 21

24 On page 4, line 1, after "**department**" delete "**by an offender**" and insert "**, or any officer**
25 **or employee thereof,**"

26 AMENDMENT NO. 22

27 On page 4, delete lines 3 and 4 and insert "**to the provisions of R.S. 15:1171 et seq.,**
28 **including judicial review.**"

29 AMENDMENT NO. 23

30 On page 4, line 5, delete "**lawsuit**" and insert "**civil action for damages**"

31 AMENDMENT NO. 24

32 On page 4, at the end of line 6, change "**bona fide**" to "**a bona fide**"

33 AMENDMENT NO. 25

34 On page 4, delete lines 8 through 10 and insert the following:

1   **"(2) Any civil action for damages claiming false imprisonment brought after the**
2 **offender fails to timely initiate or pursue the procedure required to challenge the**
3 **computation or calculation of the offender's sentence, release date, good time date, or**
4 **parole date, shall be dismissed with prejudice.**"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 26

6 On page 4, delete lines 11 through 29

7 AMENDMENT NO. 27

8 On page 5, delete lines 1 through 12 and insert "Section 2. The provisions of this Act shall
9 have prospective application only."