

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Existing law provides that time limitations established by C.Cr.P. Art. 572 shall not commence to run as to the following offenses until the relationship or status involved has ceased to exist when:

- (1) The offense charged is based on the misappropriation of any money or thing of value by one who, by virtue of his office, employment, or fiduciary relationship, has been entrusted therewith or has control thereof.
- (2) The offense charged is extortion or false accounting committed by a public officer or employee in his official capacity.
- (3) The offense charged is public bribery.

Prior law provided that time limitations established by existing law shall not commence to run regarding an offense of aggravated battery (R.S. 14:34) and the victim was under seventeen years of age until the relationship or status involved ceased to exist.

New law changes applicability from when the offense charged is aggravated battery and the victim is under 17 years of age to when the offense charged is a felony crime of violence (R.S. 14:2(B)) or cruelty to juveniles (R.S. 14:93) and the victim is under 18 years of age, unless a longer period of time limitation is established by another provision of law.

Effective August 1, 2021.

(Amends C.Cr.P. Art. 573(4))