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Senator Lang

To amend sections 2305.06 and 2305.07 of the

limitations for bringing an action upon a

Revised Code to reduce the statute of

written or oral contract.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:	
Section 1. That sections 2305.06 and 2305.07 of the	5
Revised Code be amended to read as follows:	6
Sec. 2305.06. Except as provided in sections 126.301,	7
1302.98, 1303.16, 1345.10, and 2305.04 of the Revised Code, an	8
action upon a specialty or an agreement, contract, or promise in	9
writing shall be brought within six three years after the cause	10
of action accrued.	11
Sec. 2305.07. (A) Except as provided in sections 126.301	12
and 1302.98 of the Revised Code, an action upon a contract not	13
in writing, express or implied, shall be brought within four two	14
years after the cause of action accrued.	15
(B) An action upon a liability created by statute other	16
than a forfeiture or penalty shall be brought within six years	17
after the cause of action accrued.	18
(C) Except as provided in sections 1303.16, 1345.10, and	19
2305.04 of the Revised Code, and notwithstanding divisions (A)	20

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and (B) of this section, section 1302.98, and division (B) of	21
section 2305.03 of the Revised Code, an action arising out of a	22
consumer transaction incurred primarily for personal, family, or	23
household purposes, based upon any contract, agreement,	24
obligation, liability, or promise, express or implied, including	25
an account stated, whether or not reduced to writing or signed	26
by the party to be charged by that transaction, shall be	27
commenced within six years after the cause of action accrued.	28
For purposes of this division, a cause of action accrues thirty	29
calendar days after the date of the last charge or payment by,	30
or on behalf of, the consumer, whichever is later.	31
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Section 2. That existing sections 2305.06 and 2305.07 of	32
the Revised Code are hereby repealed.	33