

**ACT No. 678**

2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 196

BY REPRESENTATIVE MARINO

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact Code of Criminal Procedure Article 978(D), relative to expungement  
3 of records of arrest and conviction of a felony offense; to provide relative to the limit  
4 on the number of expungements a person may receive in a specified period of time;  
5 to remove the limitation for persons whose conviction was set aside and prosecution  
6 dismissed; and to provide for related matters.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. Code of Criminal Procedure Article 978(D) is hereby amended and  
9 reenacted to read as follows:

10 Art. 978. Motion to expunge record of arrest and conviction of a felony offense

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12 D. Expungement of a record of arrest and conviction of a felony offense  
13 shall occur only once with respect to any person during a fifteen-year period. The  
14 limitation provided in this Paragraph shall not apply to a person who is seeking the

