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To amend section 3716 of title 31, United States Code, to reestablish the period of limitations for claims of the United States that may be collected by garnishing payments received from the Government.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

NOVEMBER 3, 2015

Mr. VITTER introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. PERIOD OF LIMITATIONS FOR GARNISHMENT.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3716(e)(1) of title 31,
5 United States Code, is amended by striking “no limitation
6 on the period within which an offset may be initiated or
7 taken pursuant to this section shall be effective” and in-
8 serting “this section shall not apply to a claim under this

1 subchapter that has been outstanding for more than 10
2 years”.

3 (b) APPLICABILITY.—The amendment made by this
4 section shall apply to claims under subchapter II of chap-
5 ter 37 of title 31, United States Code, arising before, on,
6 or after the date of enactment of this Act.

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