

or of a political subdivision of the State, or of a bicounty or multicounty agency in the State shall be instituted within 2 years after the offense was committed.

(g) A prosecution for conspiracy to commit any of the offenses enumerated in subsection (f) of this section shall be instituted within 2 years after the offense was committed.

(h) A prosecution to impose a civil fine for an offense arising under § 13-604 of the Election Law Article shall be instituted within 3 years after the offense was committed.

(i) A petition by the State Ethics Commission to seek a civil fine under § 15-902(b) of the State Government Article may not be initiated unless the complaint is filed by the Commission within 3 years from the time the conduct ended.

(j) A prosecution for a welfare offense under §§ 8-501 through 8-504 of the Criminal Law Article shall be instituted within 3 years after the offense was committed.

(k) A prosecution for a misdemeanor offense under Title 8, Subtitle 5, Part II of the Criminal Law Article shall be instituted within 3 years after the offense was committed.

(l) A prosecution for an offense arising under the Tax - General Article with respect to the sales and use, admissions and amusement, financial institution franchise, income, or motor fuel tax shall be instituted within 3 years after the date on which the offense was committed.

(m) A prosecution for the offense of failure to secure workers' compensation insurance in accordance with Title 9, Subtitle 4 of the Labor and Employment Article shall be instituted within 1 year after the State Workers' Compensation Commission finds, by order, that the employer was uninsured or, pursuant to the authority contained in § 9-1003 of the Labor and Employment Article, within 1 year after the Uninsured Employers' Fund makes payment under § 9-1003 of the Labor and Employment Article, as directed by the Commission.

(n) A prosecution for an offense of the controlled hazardous substance law under § 7-265(b) of the Environment Article, shall be instituted within 2 years after commission of the offense.

(o) Except as provided in subsection (g) of this section, the statute of limitations for the prosecution of the crime of conspiracy is the statute of limitations for the prosecution of the substantive crime that is the subject of the conspiracy.

(p) A prosecution for an offense under Title 2, Subtitle 5 or § 2-209 of the Criminal Law Article or § 20-102 of the Transportation Article shall be instituted within 3 years after the offense was committed.

(q) A prosecution for an offense of discrimination on the basis of sex in paying wages under §§ 3-301 through 3-308 of the Labor and Employment Article shall be instituted within 3 years after the performance of the act on which the prosecution is based.