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- 1 Two or three year limitations.** Amends the two and three year statute of limitations that applies to a variety of actions. Provides a two year limitation period for the privacy torts of intrusion upon seclusion, appropriation (i.e., commercial appropriation of an individual's identity), and publication of private facts. These common law torts were recognized by the Minnesota supreme court in a decision issued last summer.