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- 1 Annulment of Criminal Records. Amend RSA 651:5, IV to read as follows:
- IV. If a petition for annulment is denied, no further petition shall be brought more frequently than every 3 years thereafter, except that any person whose arrest has resulted in a finding of not guilty, or whose case was dismissed or not prosecuted, may petition for annulment of the arrest record or court record, or both, every year after the petition for annulment is denied. The court shall include written findings stating the basis for denial.

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## AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill amends the waiting period required for filing a petition for annulment of a criminal record and requires the denial of a petition for annulment to include written findings stating the basis for denial.