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Amendments to House Bill No. 754  
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Requested by Representative Roger Koopman

For the House State Administration Committee

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1. Title, page 1, line 4.

**Strike:** "REQUIRING"

**Insert:** "PROVIDING"

**Strike:** "INTENDS TO FILE"

**Insert:** "FILES"

2. Title, page 1, line 5.

**Following:** the first "FOR"

**Strike:** "A" through ", "

3. Title, page 1, line 6.

**Strike:** "OR"

**Following:** "COURT"

**Strike:** "SHALL" through "CANDIDATE FOR"

**Insert:** ", OR A STATEWIDE"

4. Title, page 1, line 7.

**Following:** "OFFICE"

**Strike:** ", "

**Insert:** "MAY"

5. Title, page 1, line 9.

**Following:** "TEST;"

**Insert:** "PROVIDING FOR A TESTING FEE;"

6. Title, page 1, line 11.

**Strike:** "AMENDING" through "MCA;"

7. Page 1, line 16 through line 18.

**Strike:** "Before" on line 16 through "county," on line 18

**Insert:** "A candidate for"

**Strike:** "or"

**Following:** "court"

**Strike:** "must have taken"  
**Insert:** ", or a statewide office may take"

8. Page 1, line 24.  
**Following:** "administer"  
**Strike:** ", "  
**Insert:** "and"  
**Strike:** ", and score"

9. Page 1, line 24 through line 25.  
**Strike:** "The secretary" on line 24 through "public." on line 25  
**Insert:** "Tests administered by a county election administrator must be forwarded to the secretary of state for scoring. The secretary of state shall score each test and make test scores available to the public, pursuant to procedures adopted by the secretary of state. Only the score from the most recently taken test by an individual may be posted to an internet website by the secretary of state."

10. Page 2, line 2.  
**Strike:** "is required to"  
**Insert:** "may"

11. Page 2, line 21.  
**Strike:** "set a fee, sufficient to pay for the costs of the"  
**Insert:** "charge a fee of \$20 for each"

12. Page 2, line 24.  
**Following:** "test."  
**Insert:** "If the county election administrator administers the test, the county shall charge the fee, retain \$10 of the fee, and forward the balance of the fee to the secretary of state."  
**Strike:** "and the county election administrator"

13. Page 2, line 30 through page 4, line 17.  
**Strike:** sections 3 and 4 in their entirety  
**Renumber:** subsequent sections

14. Page 4, line 19.  
**Strike:** "required"  
**Insert:** "provided for"