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S.F. No. 3094 - Plain Language Written Examination (First Engrossment)

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S.F. 3094 establishes plain language requirements for the written portion of the driver's examination offered in English by the Division of Driver and Vehicle Services (DVS).

Section 1 requires the creation of a new plain language written examination by February 1, 2025.

- Specifies grammatical standards and plain language best practices to be used when creating the new written examination.
- Requires additions or revisions to the subjects tested on the examination to be written using plain language standards.
- Authorizes the commissioner of public safety to contract with a third party to help revise and create the new written examination under the guidelines.

Section 2 requires a report to the legislature by February 1, 2026, from DVS on implementation of plain language standards.

Section 3 makes a onetime appropriation of \$212,000 from the driver and vehicle services account in the special revenue fund for costs relating to rewriting the written portion of the driver's knowledge examination. Specifies how the funds may be used.