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Representatives Powell of the 32nd and Jasperse of the 11th offer the following amendment:

1 *Amend the Senate substitute to HB 721 (HB 721/SCSFA) by replacing lines 1 and 2 with the*
2 *following:*

3 To amend Code Sections 15-21-179 and 40-5-27 of the Official Code of Georgia
4 Annotated, relating to additional penalty for violation of traffic laws or ordinances and
5 examination of applicants for licensed driver training schools, respectively, so as to
6 increase the additional penalty to be assessed for violation of traffic laws and ordinances;
7 to revise the automatic sunset date for the imposition of such fees; to revise the criteria by
8 which the Department of Driver

9 *By replacing lines 8 and 9 with the following:*

10 Code Section 15-21-179, relating to additional penalty for violation of traffic laws or
11 ordinances, is amended as follows:

12 "15-21-179.

13 (a) In every case in which any court in this state shall impose a fine or bond payment,
14 which shall be construed to include costs, for any violation of the traffic laws of this state
15 or for violations of ordinances of political subdivisions which have adopted by reference
16 the traffic laws of this state, there shall be imposed as an additional penalty a sum equal to
17 ~~1.5~~ 3 percent of the original fine.

18 (b) Such sums shall be in addition to any amount required to be paid into any pension,
19 annuity, or retirement fund under Title 47 or any other law and in addition to any other
20 amounts provided for in this article.

21 (c) This Code section shall be repealed in its entirety on June 30, ~~2019~~ 2022, unless
22 extended by an Act of the General Assembly."

23 **SECTION 2.**

24 Code Section 40-5-27 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to examination of
25 applicants for licensed driver training schools, is amended by revising subsection (d) as
26 follows:

27 *By redesignating Section 2 as Section 3.*