

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. _____

Offered by _____ Of _____

Amend SS/SCS/HCS/House Bill No. 1682, Page 81, Section 610.100, Line 24,

2 by inserting after all of said line the following:

3 "Section 1. Subject to appropriation, any Missouri resident
 4 whose health care provider recommends that he or she receive an
 5 active COVID-19 test shall receive such test and the results of
 6 the test at no cost. The department of health and senior
 7 services shall be authorized to utilize available federal funds
 8 to pay for the portion of the expense of such test and resulting
 9 analysis that is not covered by the resident's health insurance
 10 provider."; and

11 Further amend said bill, page 82, Section B, line 8, by
 12 inserting after all of said line the following:

13 "Section C. Because of the emergence of the novel
 14 coronavirus COVID-19 and its devastating impact on Missouri
 15 residents, the enactment of section 1 of this act is deemed
 16 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health,
 17 welfare, peace and safety, and is hereby declared to be an
 18 emergency act within the meaning of the constitution, and the
 19 enactment of section 1 of this act shall be in full force and
 20 effect upon its passage and approval."; and

21 Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.