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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2485

"THE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE ACT OF 2005."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2485.

Amend House Bill No. 2485 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 22 through 25 and substitute:

"(a) Every special license plate continued under this chapter shall be discontinued on April 7, 2007, unless an application that meets the criteria for issuance of the special license plate under the appropriate subchapter governing that type of plate is submitted and approved by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration at least ninety (90) days prior to April 1, 2007."

AND

Page 8, line 14, delete "War;" and substitute "War; and"

AND

Page 8, delete line 15 entirely

AND

Page 8, line 16, delete "(F)" and substitute "(E)"

AND

Page 10, delete line 25 and substitute:

"duties.

(g) The renewal of a license plate issued under this section shall require the payment of all taxes and fees imposed by law for the renewal of registration and license plates on motor vehicles."

AND

Page 16, delete lines 31 through 34 and

"The purpose of this subchapter is to continue the procedure which existed prior to the effective date of this act for issuing special license



plates to the elected members of the General Assembly. These special license plates are issued to honor the elected members of the General Assembly and to assist in making parking rules for the State Capitol more enforceable by the State Capitol Police.”

AND

Page 18, delete lines 4 through 36 and substitute:

“(a)(1) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall each calendar year cause to be prepared two (2) sets as deemed necessary by the House Management Committee of one hundred seven (107) special license plates for members of the House of Representatives and selected staff.

(2) In addition, there will be two (2) sets or the number of sets deemed necessary by the House Management Committee of one hundred (100) “Member” special license plates prepared for distribution.

(3) Upon receipt of the plates, the director shall deliver them to the Speaker of the House of Representatives for issuance.

(b)(1) The background of the special license plate and the words, figures, and emblems shall be in the colors requested by the House of Representatives by resolution duly adopted by that body.

(2) Each special license plate shall also contain figures showing the calendar year for which the license is issued and other words, emblems, and identifying information.

(3) The special license plates issued under this section shall be numbered consecutively “0” through “100” and the words “House of Representatives” shall appear on the standard House of Representatives special license plates and on the “Member” special license plates.

(4) The following seven (7) special license plates shall be prepared as follows:

(A) The words “Speaker of the House” shall appear on special license plate “1”;

(B) The words “House Speaker Pro Tem” shall appear on special license plate “2”;

(C) The words “House Parliamentarian” shall appear on special license plate “3X”;

(D) The words “xHouse Parliamentarian” shall appear on the special license plate “x3x”;

(E) The words “House Chief of Staff” shall appear on special license plate “3”;

(F) The words “House Info Director” shall appear on special license plate “0”; and

(G) The words “Chaplain of the House” shall appear on special license plate “4”.

(c) On or before January 15 of each year, the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall furnish the director with a list of names of members of the House of Representatives designating:

(1) The special license plate number that shall be reserved for each member; and

(2) The number of vehicles to which the special license plate is to be attached, specifying each vehicle’s regular license plate number issued by the Department of Finance and Administration and the vehicle

identification number.

(d) Any member of the House of Representatives who desires to obtain a special license plate may obtain it by applying to the Speaker of the House of Representatives upon showing proof that the vehicle to which the special license plate is to be attached is properly registered and licensed in Arkansas.

AND

Page 19, delete lines 1 through 11 entirely

AND

Page 19, line 15, delete "motor" and substitute "each of his or her personal motor"

AND

Page 23, line 36, delete "design-use contribution" and substitute "cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates"

AND

Page 24, line 26, delete "fee" and substitute "fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)"

AND

Page 24, line 27, delete "Commission;" and substitute "Commission or for fund-raising purposes;"

AND

Page 27, line 18, delete "design-use contribution" and substitute "cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates"

AND

Page 27, line 36, delete "fee" and substitute "fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)"

AND

Page 28, line 1, delete "university;" and substitute "university or for fund-raising purposes;"

AND

Page 31, line 20, delete "design-use contribution" and substitute "cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates"

AND

Page 32, line 6, delete “design-use contribution” and substitute “cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates”

AND

Page 32, line 24, delete “fee” and substitute “fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)”

AND

Page 32, line 25, delete “university;” and substitute “university or for fund-raising purposes;”

AND

Page 35, line 22, delete “design-use contribution” and substitute “cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates”

AND

Page 36, line 19, delete “fee” and substitute “fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00)”

AND

Page 36, line 20, delete “sorority;” and substitute “sorority or for fund-raising purposes;”

AND

Page 42, line 12, delete “27-27-1305.” and substitute “27-24-1305.”

AND

Page 43, line 15, delete “27-27-1306.” and substitute “27-24-1306.”

AND

Page 43, line 22, delete “licensed” and substitute “certified”

AND

Page 43, line 24, delete “or” entirely

AND

Page 43, delete line 25 and substitute:

“(C) An emergency medical technician intermediate; or
(D) A First Responder with the documented completion of
forty (40) hours of curriculum approved by the United States Department of
Transportation.”

AND

Page 43, delete lines 32 through 33 and substitute:

“(3) An additional fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) to be collected by the Department of Finance and Administration and remitted monthly to the Arkansas EMT Association Benevolence and Scholarship Funds.”

AND

Page 44, line 5, delete “licensed in the state” and substitute “certified in the State”

AND

Page 44, line 7, delete “or”

AND

Page 44, delete line 8 and substitute:

“(3) An emergency medical technician intermediate; or
(4) A First Responder with the documented completion of forty (40) hours of curriculum approved by the United States Department of Transportation.”

AND

Page 44, line 22, delete “plates.” and substitute “plates with decals.”

AND

Page 44, line 33, delete “plate” and substitute “plate with a decal”

AND

Page 44, line 36, delete “plates;” and substitute “plate decals;”

AND

Page 45, line 2, delete “plates;” and substitute “plate decals;”

AND

Page 45, line 5, delete “plates.” and substitute “plate decals.”

AND

Page 45, line 10, delete “plate.” and substitute “plate decal.”

AND

Page 45, line 17, delete “plate” and substitute “plate decal”

AND

Page 45, delete line 29 and substitute:

“as direct revenue.

(f)(1) An organization that is eligible to request an additional public service license plate decal under this section may establish a fund-raising fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25) for the issuance and renewal of a special license plate with a permanent decal.

(2) If an organization establishes a fund-raising fee under this subsection, then the organization shall provide:

(A) Its financial plan for the use of the proceeds from the special license plate decal; and

(B) An affidavit signed by an official of the organization that states the proceeds from the special license plate decal will be used according to the financial plan submitted with the application.”

AND

Page 46, delete line 4 and substitute:

“subchapter.

27-24-1310. Accountability.

If an organization sponsors a special license plate or special license plate decal under this subchapter and collects a fund-raising fee, then the organization shall provide:

(1) Its financial plan for the use of the proceeds from the special license plate or special license plate with a permanent decal; and

(2) An affidavit signed by an official of the organization that states the proceeds from the special license plate or special license plate permanent decal will be used according to the financial plan submitted with the application.”

AND

Page 47, line 5, delete “belong;” and substitute “belong; and”

AND

Page 47, line 9, delete “purposes;” and substitute “purposes.”

AND

Page 47, delete lines 10 through 28 entirely

AND

Page 48, line 11, delete “contribution” and substitute “contribution or for fund-raising purposes”

AND

Page 48, delete lines 31 through 33 and substitute:

“(2)(A)(i) For the purposes of this subchapter, the State Highway Commission is the entity entitled to receive funds from the fund-raising fee collected for antique automobiles and trucks.

(ii) The State Highway Commission shall establish the amount of the additional fund-raising fee collected under this subchapter which shall not exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

(B) All special license plates for historic or special interest vehicles that were issued and renewed prior to the effective date of this act shall be continued under this subchapter as antique automobile and truck special license plates and shall be subject to the provisions of subdivision (b)(2)(C) of this section.

(C)(i) For special license plates for antique automobiles and trucks that are issued or renewed on or after July 1, 2005, the additional fee for design-use contribution or fund-raising that is required to be remitted for the issuance and renewal of other special interest special license plates under this subchapter shall be required to be remitted with the issuance and renewal of special license plates for antique automobiles and trucks under this subchapter.

(ii) This fee shall be collected by the department and deposited into the State Treasury to the credit of the Highway Special Construction Fund Account as special revenues.”

AND

Page 49, delete line 26 and substitute:

“provisions of this section.

(d) Every special license plate continued under this subchapter shall be discontinued on April 7, 2007, unless an application is submitted to and approved by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration ninety (90) days prior to April 1, 2007, that establishes the organization’s compliance with the following conditions:

(1) The organization is a state agency or a nonprofit organization that has been approved for tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on January 1, 2005;

(2) The organization is based, headquartered, or has a chapter in Arkansas;

(3) The purpose of the organization is for social, civic, entertainment, or other purposes;

(4) The name of the organization is not the name of a special product or a brand name;

(5) The name of the organization is not interpreted by the department as promoting a special product or a brand name;

(6) The organization is not a political party;

(7) The organization was not created primarily to promote a specific political belief; and

(8) The organization shall not have as its primary purpose the promotion of any specific religion, faith, or anti-religion.”

AND

Page 50, line 18, delete “design-use contribution” and substitute “cost of

initial orders of new designs for special license plates”

AND

Page 51, line delete line 4 and substitute:
“24-107; or”

AND

Page 51, line 6, delete “27-24-1305.” and substitute “27-24-1405.”

AND

Page 51, delete lines 7 through 9 and substitute:

“(d)(1) An organization that applies for the issuance of a special license plate under this section may establish a fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for the design-use contribution or for fund-raising purposes for the issuance and renewal of a special license plate.

(2) If an organization establishes a fee for the design-use contribution or fund-raising purposes under this subsection, then the organization shall provide:

(A) Its financial plan for the use of the proceeds from the special license plate; and

(B) An affidavit signed by an official of the organization that states the proceeds from the special license plate will be used according to the financial plan submitted with the application.

(e) An organization’s application for a special license plate under this section shall establish the organization’s compliance with the following conditions:

(1) The organization is a state agency or a nonprofit organization that has been approved for tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on January 1, 2005;

(2) The organization is based, headquartered, or has a chapter in Arkansas;

(3) The purpose of the organization is for social, civic, entertainment, or other purposes;

(4) The name of the organization is not the name of a special product or a brand name;

(5) The name of the organization is not interpreted by the department as promoting a special product or a brand name;

(6) The organization is not a political party;

(7) The organization was not created primarily to promote a specific political belief; and

(8) The organization shall not have as its primary purpose the promotion of any specific religion, faith, or anti-religion.”

AND

Page 51, line 10, delete “(e)” and substitute “(f)”

AND

Page 51, line 35 through 36 and substitute:

(c)(1)(A) If the request is approved, the director shall determine:
(i) The fee for the cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates which shall be based on the cost of initial orders of new designs for special license plates;”

AND

Page 52, delete lines 1 through 2 entirely

AND

Page 52, delete lines 23 through 25 and substitute:

“(d)(1) An organization that applies for the issuance of a special license plate under this section may establish a fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) for the design-use contribution or for fund-raising purposes for the issuance and renewal of a special license plate.

(2) If an organization establishes a fee for the design-use contribution or fund-raising purposes under this subsection, then the organization shall provide:

(A) Its financial plan for the use of the proceeds from the special license plate; and

(B) An affidavit signed by an official of the organization that states the proceeds from the special license plate will be used according to the financial plan submitted with the application.

(e) An organization’s application for a special license plate under this section shall establish the organization’s compliance with the following conditions:

(1) The organization is a state agency or a nonprofit organization that has been approved for tax exempt status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on January 1, 2005;

(2) The organization is based, headquartered, or has a chapter in Arkansas;

(3) The purpose of the organization is for social, civic, entertainment, or other purposes;

(4) The name of the organization is not the name of a special product or a brand name;

(5) The name of the organization is not interpreted by the department as promoting a special product or a brand name;

(6) The organization is not a political party;

(7) The organization was not created primarily to promote a specific political belief; and

(8) The organization shall not have as its primary purpose the promotion of any specific religion, faith, or anti-religion.”

AND

Page 53, line 1, delete “contribution” and substitute “contribution or for fund-raising purposes”

AND

Page 56, line 18, delete "shall be notarized and" entirely

AND

If appropriate, renumber the remaining sections of the bill

The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative Rosenbaum

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Chief Clerk