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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1531

By: Representative Vines

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE VETERANS OF
FOREIGN WARS MOTORCYCLE LICENSE PLATES; TO MAKE
TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE
VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS MOTORCYCLE
LICENSE PLATES AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL
CORRECTIONS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-20-120(d), concerning the issuance and
renewal of Veterans of Foreign Wars motorcycle license plates, is amended to
read as follows:

(d)(1) ~~The special motorcycle license plate created and issued under
this section shall be issued and renewed to an eligible applicant under
subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section upon payment of a one dollar (\$1.00)
fee, which the Department of Finance and Administration is authorized to
collect.~~

~~(2) An applicant who qualifies for a special motorcycle license
plate under subdivisions (a)(1)(B) (F) of this section shall pay the fee for
licensing a motorcycle under § 27-14-601.~~ An applicant who qualifies for a
special motorcycle license plate under subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section:

(A) Shall pay:

(i) A fundraising fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) for
the issuance and renewal of his or her first special motorcycle license



1 plate; and

2 (ii) An annual fee not to exceed one dollar (\$1.00)
 3 that the Department of Finance and Administration may charge for the issuance
 4 and renewal of the first special license plate; and

5 (B) May obtain and renew additional special motorcycle
 6 license plates upon payment of a fundraising fee in the amount of ten dollars
 7 (\$10.00) and the fee for licensing a motorcycle under § 27-14-601.

8 (2) An applicant who qualifies for a special motorcycle license
 9 plate under subdivisions (a)(1)(B)-(F) of this section shall, for the
 10 issuance and renewal of any license plate issued under this subsection, pay:

11 (A) A fundraising fee of ten dollars (\$10.00); and

12 (B) The fee for licensing a motorcycle as provided in §
 13 27-14-601.

14 (3) The fundraising fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) paid by any
 15 applicant on issuance or renewal of a special motorcycle license plate under
 16 this section shall be remitted monthly to the Nick Bacon VFW Special Veterans
 17 Scholarship Fund.

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 19 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-24-213(d), concerning the decal
 20 placement on the special license plate to honor the service of the members of
 21 the Veterans of Foreign Wars, is amended to read as follows:

22 (d)(1) The Department of Finance and Administration shall design the
 23 special license plate issued under this section in consultation with the
 24 Department of Arkansas Veterans of Foreign Wars.

25 (2) In place of the legend "The Natural State" at the bottom of
 26 the special license plate, a permanent decal shall be made available for a
 27 veteran of each conflict as authorized under ~~§ 27-24-204(9)-(12), (15), and~~
 28 ~~(16)~~ § 27-24-204(a), upon proof as required under § 27-24-204 that the
 29 applicant is eligible to be issued the decal.