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Senator Bean moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

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Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Effective July 1, 2021, paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (1) of section 320.06, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

320.06 Registration certificates, license plates, and validation stickers generally .-

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(b) 1. Registration license plates bearing a graphic symbol

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and the alphanumeric system of identification shall be issued for a 10-year period. At the end of the 10-year period, upon renewal, the plate shall be replaced. The department shall extend the scheduled license plate replacement date from a 6year period to a 10-year period. The fee for such replacement is \$28, \$2.80 of which shall be paid each year before the plate is replaced, to be credited toward the next \$28 replacement fee. The fees shall be deposited into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund. A credit or refund may not be given for any prior years' payments of the prorated replacement fee if the plate is replaced or surrendered before the end of the 10-year period, except that a credit may be given if a registrant is required by the department to replace a license plate under s. 320.08056(8)(a). With each license plate, a validation sticker shall be issued showing the owner's birth month, license plate number, and the year of expiration or the appropriate renewal period if the owner is not a natural person. The validation sticker shall be placed on the upper right corner of the license plate. The license plate and validation sticker shall be issued based on the applicant's appropriate renewal period. The registration period is 12 months, the extended registration period is 24 months, and all expirations occur based on the applicant's appropriate registration period. Vehicles taxed pursuant to s. 320.08(6)(a) may elect a permanent registration period, provided payment of the appropriate license taxes and fees occurs annually. A vehicle that has an apportioned registration shall be issued an annual license plate and a cab card that denote the declared gross vehicle weight for each apportioned jurisdiction in which the vehicle is authorized to



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- 2. In order to retain the efficient administration of the taxes and fees imposed by this chapter, the 80-cent fee increase in the replacement fee imposed by chapter 2009-71, Laws of Florida, is negated as provided in s. 320.0804.
- (c) Registration license plates equipped with validation stickers subject to the registration period are valid for not more than 12 months and expire at midnight on the last day of the registration period. A registration license plate equipped with a validation sticker subject to the extended registration period is valid for not more than 24 months and expires at midnight on the last day of the extended registration period. A registration license plate equipped with a validation sticker subject to a permanent registration period is permanently valid but shall become void if appropriate license taxes and fees are not paid annually. For each registration period after the one in which the metal registration license plate is issued, and until the license plate is required to be replaced, a validation sticker showing the month and year of expiration shall be issued upon payment of the proper license tax amount and fees and is valid for not more than 12 months. For each extended registration period occurring after the one in which the metal registration license plate is issued and until the license plate is required to be replaced, a validation sticker showing the year of expiration shall be issued upon payment of the proper license tax amount and fees and is valid for not more than 24 months. For each permanent registration period occurring after the one in which the metal registration license plate is issued and until the license plate is required to be replaced, a

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validation sticker showing a permanent registration period shall be issued upon payment of the proper license tax amount and fees and is permanently valid but shall become void if the proper license taxes and fees are not paid annually. When license plates equipped with validation stickers are issued in any month other than the owner's birth month or the designated registration period for any other motor vehicle, the effective date shall reflect the birth month or month and the year of renewal. However, when a license plate or validation sticker is issued for a period of less than 12 months, the applicant shall pay the appropriate amount of license tax and the applicable fee under s. 320.14 in addition to all other fees. Validation stickers issued for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(6)(a), for any company that owns 250 vehicles or more, or for semitrailers taxed under the provisions of s. 320.08(5)(a), for any company that owns 50 vehicles or more, may be placed on any vehicle in the fleet so long as the vehicle receiving the validation sticker has the same owner's name and address as the vehicle to which the validation sticker was originally assigned.

Section 2. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) and subsection (5) of section 320.06, Florida Statutes, are amended to read: 320.06 Registration certificates, license plates, and validation stickers generally .-

(3) (a) Registration license plates must be made of metal specially treated with a retroreflection material, as specified by the department. The registration license plate is designed to increase nighttime visibility and legibility and must be at least 6 inches wide and not less than 12 inches in length, unless a plate with reduced dimensions is deemed necessary by

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the department to accommodate motorcycles, mopeds, or similar smaller vehicles. Validation stickers must also be treated with a retroreflection material, must be of such size as specified by the department, and must adhere to the license plate. The registration license plate must be imprinted with a combination of bold letters and numerals or numerals, not to exceed seven digits, to identify the registration license plate number. The license plate must be imprinted with the word "Florida" at the top and the name of the county in which it is sold, the state motto, or the words "Sunshine State" at the bottom. Apportioned license plates must have the word "Apportioned" at the bottom and license plates issued for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(3)(d), (4)(m) or (n), (5)(b) or (c), or (14) must have the word "Restricted" at the bottom. License plates issued for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(12) must be imprinted with the word "Florida" at the top and the word "Dealer" at the bottom unless the license plate is a specialty license plate as authorized in s. 320.08056. Manufacturer license plates issued for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(12) must be imprinted with the word "Florida" at the top and the word "Manufacturer" at the bottom. License plates issued for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(5)(d) or (e) must be imprinted with the word "Wrecker" at the bottom. Any county may, upon majority vote of the county commission, elect to have the county name removed from the license plates sold in that county. The state motto or the words "Sunshine State" shall be printed in lieu thereof. A license plate issued for a vehicle taxed under s. 320.08(6) may not be assigned a registration license number, or be issued with any other distinctive character or designation, that distinguishes

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the motor vehicle as a for-hire motor vehicle.

(5) By July 1, 2021, the department shall $\frac{may}{may}$ conduct a pilot program to evaluate the designs, concepts, and technologies for digital alternative license plates. For purposes of the pilot program, the department shall investigate the feasibility and use of alternative license plate technologies and the long-term cost impact to the consumer. The pilot program shall be limited to installation and use of digital license plates that are used on government-owned motor vehicles as described in s. 320.0655. Such digital license plates are exempt from the requirements in paragraph (3)(a).

Section 3. Paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 320.0657, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.0657 Permanent registration; fleet license plates.-(2)

(b) The plates, which shall be of a distinctive color, shall have the word "Fleet" appearing at the bottom and the word "Florida" appearing at the top unless the license plate is a specialty license plate as authorized in s. 320.08056. The plates shall conform in all respects to the provisions of this chapter, except as specified herein. For additional fees as set forth in s. 320.08056, fleet companies may purchase specialty license plates in lieu of the standard fleet license plates. Fleet companies shall be responsible for all costs associated with the specialty license plate, including all annual use fees, processing fees, fees associated with switching license plate types, and any other applicable fees.

Section 4. Subsection (12) of section 320.08, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

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320.08 License taxes.—Except as otherwise provided herein, there are hereby levied and imposed annual license taxes for the operation of motor vehicles, mopeds, motorized bicycles as defined in s. 316.003(4), tri-vehicles as defined in s. 316.003, and mobile homes as defined in s. 320.01, which shall be paid to and collected by the department or its agent upon the registration or renewal of registration of the following:

(12) DEALER AND MANUFACTURER LICENSE PLATES.—A franchised motor vehicle dealer, independent motor vehicle dealer, marine boat trailer dealer, or mobile home dealer and manufacturer license plate: \$17 flat. For additional fees as set forth in s. 320.08056, dealers may purchase specialty license plates in lieu of the standard dealer license plates. Dealers shall be responsible for all costs associated with the specialty license plate, including all annual use fees, processing fees, fees associated with switching license plate types, and any other applicable fees.

Section 5. Section 320.08053, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.08053 Establishment of Requirements for requests to establish specialty license plates.-

- (1) If a specialty license plate requested by an organization is approved by law, the organization must submit the proposed art design for the specialty license plate to the department, in a medium prescribed by the department, as soon as practicable, but no later than 60 days after the act approving the specialty license plate becomes a law.
- (2)(a) Within 120 days after following the specialty license plate becomes becoming law, the department shall

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establish a method to issue a specialty license plate voucher to allow for the presale of the specialty license plate. The processing fee as prescribed in s. 320.08056, the service charge and branch fee as prescribed in s. 320.04, and the annual use fee as prescribed in s. 320.08056 shall be charged for the voucher. All other applicable fees shall be charged at the time of issuance of the license plates.

- (b) Within 24 months after the presale specialty license plate voucher is established, the approved specialty license plate organization must record with the department a minimum of $3,000 \frac{1,000}{1,000}$ voucher sales, or in the case of an out-of-state college or university license plate, 4,000 voucher sales, before manufacture of the license plate may commence. If, at the conclusion of the 24-month presale period, the minimum sales requirement has requirements have not been met, the specialty plate is deauthorized and the department shall discontinue development of the plate and discontinue issuance of the presale vouchers. Upon deauthorization of the license plate, a purchaser of the license plate voucher may use the annual use fee collected as a credit towards any other specialty license plate or apply for a refund on a form prescribed by the department.
- (3) (a) New specialty license plates that have been approved by law but are awaiting issuance under paragraph (b) shall be issued in the order they appear in s. 320.08058 provided that they have met the presale requirement. All other provisions of this section must also be met before a specialty license plate may be issued. If the next awaiting specialty license plate has not met the presale requirement, the department shall proceed in the order provided in s. 320.08058 to identify the next

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qualified specialty license plate that has met the presale requirement. The department shall cycle through the list in statutory order.

(b) If the Legislature has approved 150 or more specialty license plates, the department may not make any new specialty license plates available for design or issuance until a sufficient number of plates are discontinued pursuant to s. 320.08056(8) such that the number of plates being issued does not exceed 150. Notwithstanding s. 320.08056(8)(a), the 150license-plate limit includes license plates above the minimum sales threshold and those exempt from that threshold.

Section 6. Present subsection (12) of section 320.08056, Florida Statutes, is renumbered as subsection (15), subsections (2) and (4), paragraph (a) of subsection (10), and subsection (11) are amended, paragraphs (c) through (f) are added to subsection (8), and a new subsection (12) and subsections (13) and (14) are added to that section, to read:

320.08056 Specialty license plates.-

(2) (a) The department shall issue a specialty license plate to the owner or lessee of any motor vehicle, except a vehicle registered under the International Registration Plan, a commercial truck required to display two license plates pursuant to s. 320.0706, or a truck tractor, upon request and payment of the appropriate license tax and fees.

(b) The department may authorize dealer and fleet specialty license plates. With the permission of the sponsoring specialty license plate organization, a dealer or fleet company may purchase specialty license plates to be used on dealer and fleet vehicles.



244 (c) Notwithstanding s. 320.08058, a dealer or fleet 245 specialty license plate must include the letters "DLR" or "FLT" on the right side of the license plate. Dealer and fleet 246 247 specialty license plates must be ordered directly from the 248 department. 249 (4) The following license plate annual use fees shall be 250 collected for the appropriate specialty license plates: 251 (a) Manatee license plate, \$25. (a) (b) Challenger/Columbia license plate, \$25, except that 252 253 a person who that purchases 1,000 or more of such license plates 254 shall pay an annual use fee of \$15 per plate. 255 (c) Collegiate license plate, \$25. 256 (b) (d) Florida Salutes Veterans license plate, \$15. 257 (e) Florida panther license plate, \$25. 258 (c) (f) Florida United States Olympic Committee license 259 plate, \$15. 260 (d) (g) Florida Special Olympics license plate, \$15. 261 (e) (h) Florida educational license plate, \$20. 262 (i) Florida Professional Sports Team license plate, \$25. 263 (f) (j) Florida Indian River Lagoon license plate, \$15. 264 (g) (k) Invest in Children license plate, \$20. 265 (h) (1) Florida arts license plate, \$20. 266 (m) Bethune-Cookman University license plate, \$25. 2.67 (i) (n) Florida Agricultural license plate, \$20. 268 (j) (o) Police Athletic League license plate, \$20. 269 (k) (p) Boy Scouts of America license plate, \$20. 270 (q) Largemouth Bass license plate, \$25. 271 (1) (r) Sea Turtle license plate, \$23. 272 (m) (s) Protect Wild Dolphins license plate, \$20.



| 273 | (t) Barry University license plate, \$25. | |
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| 276 | (w) Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches license plate, \$25. | |
| 277 | (x) Conserve Wildlife license plate, \$25. | |
| 278 | (y) Florida Memorial University license plate, \$25. | |
| 279 | (o) (z) Tampa Bay Estuary license plate, \$15. | |
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| 291 | (v)(11) Military Services license plate, \$15. | |
| 292 | (mm) Protect Our Reefs license plate, \$25. | |
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| 309 | (ww) Florida Food Banks license plate, \$25. |
| 310 | (xx) Discover Florida's Oceans license plate, \$25. |
| 311 | (yy) Family Values license plate, \$25. |
| 312 | (zz) Parents Make A Difference license plate, \$25. |
| 313 | (aaa) Support Soccer license plate, \$25. |
| 314 | (bbb) Kids Deserve Justice license plate, \$25. |
| 315 | (ccc) Animal Friend license plate, \$25. |
| 316 | (ddd) Future Farmers of America license plate, \$25. |
| 317 | (eee) Donate Organs-Pass It On license plate, \$25. |
| 318 | (fff) A State of Vision license plate, \$25. |
| 319 | (ggg) Homeownership For All license plate, \$25. |
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| 322 | (jjj) Trees Are Cool license plate, \$25. |
| 323 | (kkk) Support Our Troops license plate, \$25. |
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| 335 | (www) Florida Biodiversity Foundation license plate, \$25. |
| 336 | (xxx) Freemasonry license plate, \$25. |
| 337 | (yyy) American Legion license plate, \$25. |
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| 339 | (aaaa) Big Brothers Big Sisters license plate, \$25. |
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| 342 | (dddd) Keiser University license plate, \$25. |
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| 345 | (c) A vehicle owner or lessee issued a specialty license |
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| 348 | 10-year license plate replacement period and must pay all other |
| 349 | applicable registration fees. However, such owner or lessee is |
| 350 | exempt from paying the applicable specialty license plate annual |
| 351 | use fee under paragraph (3)(d) or subsection (4) for the |
| 352 | remainder of the 10-year license plate replacement period. |
| 353 | (d) If the department discontinues issuance of a specialty |
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| 356 | the specialty license plate is discontinued. Of those fees, the |
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proceeds shall be distributed to the appropriate organization or organizations pursuant to s. 320.08058.

- (e) If an organization that is the intended recipient of the funds pursuant to s. 320.08058 no longer exists, the department shall deposit any undisbursed proceeds into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund.
- (f) Notwithstanding paragraph (a), on January 1 of each year, the department shall discontinue the specialty license plate with the fewest number of plates in circulation, including license plates exempt from a statutory sales requirement. The department shall mail a warning letter to the sponsoring organizations of the 10 percent of specialty license plates with the lowest number of valid, active registrations as of December 1 of each year.
- (10) (a) A specialty license plate annual use fee collected and distributed under this chapter, or any interest earned from those fees, may not be used for commercial or for-profit activities nor for general or administrative expenses, except as authorized by s. 320.08058 or to pay the cost of the audit or report required by s. 320.08062(1). The fees and any interest earned from the fees may be expended only for use in this state unless the annual use fee is derived from the sale of United States Armed Forces and veterans-related specialty license plates pursuant to paragraph (3)(d) for the Support Our Troops and American Legion license plates; paragraphs (4)(b), (q), and (v) for the Florida Salutes Veterans, United States Marine Corps, and Military Services license plates, respectively; paragraph (3)(d) for out-of-state college or university license plates; paragraphs (4)(d), (bb), (ll), (kkk), and (yyy) and s.

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320.0891 for the U.S. Paratrooper license plate.

(11) The annual use fee from the sale of specialty license plates, the interest earned from those fees, or any fees received by any entity an agency as a result of the sale of specialty license plates may not be used for the purpose of marketing to, or lobbying, entertaining, or rewarding, an employee of a governmental agency that is responsible for the sale and distribution of specialty license plates, or an elected member or employee of the Legislature.

(12) Notwithstanding s. 320.08058(3)(a), the department, in cooperation with the independent colleges or universities as defined in s. 1009.89 or s. 1009.891, shall create a standard template specialty license plate with a unique logo or graphic identifying each independent college or university. Each independent college or university may elect to use this standard template specialty license plate in lieu of its own specialty license plate. Annual use fees from the sale of these license plates shall be distributed to the independent college or university for which the logo or graphic is displayed on the license plate and shall be used as provided in s. 320.08058(3). Independent colleges or universities opting to use the standard template specialty license plate shall have their plate sales combined for purposes of meeting the minimum license plate sales threshold in paragraph (8)(a) and for determining the license plate limit in s. 320.08053(3)(b). Specialty license plates created pursuant to this subsection must be ordered directly from the department.

(13) For out-of-state college or university license plates created pursuant to this section, the recipient organization



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- (a) Have established an endowment, based in this state, for the purpose of providing scholarships to Florida residents meeting the statutory requirements for that license plate.
- (b) Provide documentation acceptable to the department that the organization and the department have the college's or university's consent to use an appropriate image on a license plate.
- (14) Before the issuance of vouchers for the presale of an out-of-state college or university license plate, the department shall determine whether the state in which the out-of-state college or university is located has authorized any license plates for colleges or universities located in this state. The department may not issue any out-of-state college or university license plate unless the state in which the college or university is located has authorized license plates for colleges or universities located in this state.

Section 7. Effective July 1, 2023, paragraph (a) of subsection (8) of section 320.08056, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.08056 Specialty license plates.-

(8)(a) The department must discontinue the issuance of an approved specialty license plate if the number of valid specialty plate registrations falls below 3,000, or in the case of an out-of-state college or university license plate, 4,000, 1,000 plates for at least 12 consecutive months. The department shall mail a warning letter shall be mailed to the sponsoring organization following the first month in which the total number of valid specialty plate registrations is below 3,000, or in the

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case of an out-of-state college or university license plate, 4,000 1,000 plates. This paragraph does not apply to in-state collegiate license plates established under s. 320.08058(3), license plates of institutions in and entities of the State University System, specialty license plates that have statutory eligibility limitations for purchase, specialty license plates for which annual use fees are distributed by a foundation for student and teacher leadership programs and teacher recruitment and retention, or Florida Professional Sports Team license plates established under s. 320.08058(9).

Section 8. Present subsections (32) through (52), (54) through (56), (58) through (68), and (71) through (84) of section 320.08058, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (31) through (51), (52) through (54), (55) through (65), and (66) through (79), respectively, subsection (7), present subsection (31), paragraph (b) of present subsection (35), present subsections (48), (53), (57), (66), (69), and (70), paragraph (b) of present subsection (80), and paragraph (a) of present subsection (84) are amended, and new subsections (80) through (111) are added to that section, to read:

320.08058 Specialty license plates.-

- (7) SPECIAL OLYMPICS FLORIDA LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) Special Olympics Florida license plates must contain the official Special Olympics Florida logo and must bear the colors and a design and colors that are approved by the department. The word "Florida" must be centered at the top bottom of the plate, and the words "Be a Fan" "Everyone Wins" must be centered at the bottom top of the plate.
 - (b) The license plate annual use fees must are to be



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- 1. The first \$5 million collected annually must be forwarded to Special Olympics Florida the private nonprofit corporation as described in s. 393.002 and must be used solely for Special Olympics purposes as approved by the private nonprofit corporation.
- 2. Any additional fees must be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.
 - (31) AMERICAN RED CROSS LICENSE PLATES.
- (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 320.08053, the department shall develop an American Red Cross license plate as provided in this section. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "American Red Cross" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The department shall retain all revenues from the sale of such plates until all startup costs for developing and issuing the plates have been recovered. Thereafter, 50 percent of the annual use fees shall be distributed to the American Red Cross Chapter of Central Florida, with statistics on sales of license plates, which are tabulated by county. The American Red Cross Chapter of Central Florida must distribute to each of the chapters in this state the moneys received from sales in the counties covered by the respective chapters, which moneys must be used for education and disaster relief in Florida. Fifty percent of the annual use fees shall be distributed proportionately to the three statewide approved poison control centers for purposes of combating bioterrorism and other poisonrelated purposes.
 - (34) (35) FLORIDA GOLF LICENSE PLATES.—

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- (b) The department shall distribute the Florida Golf license plate annual use fee to the Dade Amateur Golf Association, a nonprofit organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The license plate annual use fees are to be annually allocated as follows:
- 1. Up to 15 percent of the proceeds from the annual use fees may be used by the Dade Amateur Golf Association for the administration of the Florida Junior Golf Program.
- 2. The Dade Amateur Golf Association shall receive the first \$80,000 in proceeds from the annual use fees for the operation of youth golf programs in Miami-Dade County. Thereafter, 30 $\frac{15}{15}$ percent of the proceeds from the annual use fees shall be provided to the Dade Amateur Golf Association for the operation of youth golf programs in Miami-Dade County, including expenditures necessary to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- 3. The remaining proceeds from the annual use fees shall be available for grants to nonprofit organizations to operate youth golf programs and for marketing the Florida Golf license plates. All grant recipients shall be required to provide to the Dade Amateur Golf Association an annual program and financial report regarding the use of grant funds. Such reports shall be made available to the public.
 - (47) (48) LIVE THE DREAM LICENSE PLATES.
- (a) The department shall develop a Live the Dream license plate as provided in this section. Live the Dream license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Live the Dream" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

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- (b) The proceeds of the annual use fee shall be distributed to the Dream Foundation, Inc., to The Dream Foundation, Inc., shall retain the first \$60,000 in proceeds from the annual use fees as reimbursement for administrative costs, startup costs, and costs incurred in the approval process. Thereafter, up to 25 percent shall be used for continuing promotion and marketing of the license plate and concept. The remaining funds shall be used in the following manner:
- 1. Up to 5 percent may be used to administer, promote, and market the license plate.
- 2.1. At least 60 Twenty-five percent shall be distributed equally among the sickle cell organizations that are Florida members of the Sickle Cell Disease Association of America, Inc., for programs that provide research, care, and treatment for sickle cell disease.
- 2. Twenty-five percent shall be distributed to the Florida chapter of the March of Dimes for programs and services that improve the health of babies through the prevention of birth defects and infant mortality.
- 3. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Florida Association of Healthy Start Coalitions to decrease racial disparity in infant mortality and to increase healthy birth outcomes. Funding will be used by local Healthy Start Coalitions to provide services and increase screening rates for high-risk pregnant women, children under 4 years of age, and women of childbearing age.
- 3.4. At least 30 Ten percent shall be distributed to Chapman the Community Partnership for Homeless, Inc., for programs that provide relief from poverty, hunger, and



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- 4. Up to 5 percent may be distributed by the department on behalf of The Dream Foundation, Inc., to The Martin Luther King, Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change, Inc., as a royalty for the use of the image of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
- 5. Five percent of the proceeds shall be used by the foundation for administrative costs directly associated with operations as they relate to the management and distribution of the proceeds.
 - (53) SUPPORT SOCCER LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Support Soccer license plate as provided in this section. Support Soccer license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Support Soccer" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Lighthouse Soccer Foundation, Inc., which shall retain the initial revenues from the sale of such plates until all startup costs for developing and establishing the plate have been recovered, not to exceed \$85,000. Thereafter, the proceeds of the annual use fee shall be used in the following manner:
- 1. Up to 25 percent of the proceeds may be used by the Lighthouse Soccer Foundation, Inc., for continuing promotion and marketing of the license plate and concept.
- 2. Twenty percent shall be distributed to the Florida Youth Soccer Association for programs and services that foster the physical, mental, and emotional growth and development of Florida's youth through the sport of soccer at all levels of age and competition, including a portion to be determined by the

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Florida Youth Soccer Association for the TOPSoccer program to promote participation by the physically and mentally disadvantaged.

- 3. Twenty percent shall be distributed as grants for programs that promote participation by the economically disadvantaged and to support soccer programs where none previously existed.
- 4. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Florida State Soccer Association to promote the sport of soccer and the longterm development of the sport.
- 5. Ten percent shall be distributed as grants for programs that promote and support the construction of fields and soccerspecific infrastructure.
- 6. Ten percent shall be distributed as grants for programs that foster and promote health, physical fitness, and educational opportunities through soccer.
- 7. Five percent shall be expended by the Lighthouse Soccer Foundation, Inc., for administrative costs directly associated with the foundation's operations as they relate to the management and distribution of the proceeds.
 - (57) DONATE ORGANS-PASS IT ON LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Donate Organs-Pass It On license plate as provided in this section. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Donate Organs-Pass It On" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to Transplant Foundation, Inc., and shall use up to 10 percent of the proceeds from the annual use fee for marketing and administrative costs that are directly associated with the management and

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distribution of the proceeds. The remaining proceeds shall be used to provide statewide grants for patient services, including preoperative, rehabilitative, and housing assistance; organ donor education and awareness programs; and statewide medical research.

- (63) (66) IN GOD WE TRUST LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop an In God We Trust license plate as provided in this section. However, the requirements of s. 320.08053 must be met before the plates are issued. In God We Trust license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "In God We Trust" must appear in the body of the plate.
- (b) The license plate annual use fees shall be distributed to the In God We Trust Foundation, Inc., which may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds to offset marketing, administration, and promotion, and the remainder of the proceeds to address the needs of the military community and the public safety community; provide educational grants and scholarships to foster selfreliance and stability in Florida's children; and provide education in to fund educational scholarships for the children of Florida residents who are members of the United States Armed Forces, the National Guard, and the United States Armed Forces Reserve and for the children of public safety employees who have died in the line of duty who are not covered by existing state law. Funds shall also be distributed to other s. 501(c)(3) organizations that may apply for grants and scholarships and to provide educational grants to public and private schools regarding to promote the historical and religious significance

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of religion in American and Florida history. The In God We Trust Foundation, Inc., shall distribute the license plate annual use fees in the following manner:

- 1. The In God We Trust Foundation, Inc., shall retain all revenues from the sale of such plates until all startup costs for developing and establishing the plate have been recovered.
- 2. Ten percent of the funds received by the In God We Trust Foundation, Inc., shall be expended for administrative costs, promotion, and marketing of the license plate directly associated with the operations of the In God We Trust Foundation, Inc.
- 3. All remaining funds shall be expended by the In God We Trust Foundation, Inc., for programs.
 - (69) ST. JOHNS RIVER LICENSE PLATES.
- (a) The department shall develop a St. Johns River license plate as provided in this section. The St. Johns River license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "St. Johns River" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The requirements of s. 320.08053 must be met prior to the issuance of the plate. Thereafter, the license plate annual use fees shall be distributed to the St. Johns River Alliance, Inc., a s. 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, which shall administer the fees as follows:
- 1. The St. Johns River Alliance, Inc., shall retain the first \$60,000 of the annual use fees as direct reimbursement for administrative costs, startup costs, and costs incurred in the development and approval process. Thereafter, up to 10 percent

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of the annual use fee revenue may be used for administrative costs directly associated with education programs, conservation, research, and grant administration of the organization, and up to 10 percent may be used for promotion and marketing of the specialty license plate.

2. At least 30 percent of the fees shall be available for competitive grants for targeted community-based or county-based research or projects for which state funding is limited or not currently available. The remaining 50 percent shall be directed toward community outreach and access programs. The competitive grants shall be administered and approved by the board of directors of the St. Johns River Alliance, Inc. A grant advisory committee shall be composed of six members chosen by the St. Johns River Alliance board members.

3. Any remaining funds shall be distributed with the approval of and accountability to the board of directors of the St. Johns River Alliance, Inc., and shall be used to support activities contributing to education, outreach, and springs conservation.

(70) HISPANIC ACHIEVERS LICENSE PLATES.-

(a) Notwithstanding the requirements of s. 320.08053, the department shall develop a Hispanic Achievers license plate as provided in this section. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Hispanic Achievers" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

(b) The proceeds from the license plate annual use fee shall be distributed to National Hispanic Corporate Achievers, Inc., a nonprofit corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal

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Revenue Code, to fund grants to nonprofit organizations to operate programs and provide scholarships and for marketing the Hispanic Achievers license plate. National Hispanic Corporate Achievers, Inc., shall establish a Hispanic Achievers Grant Council that shall provide recommendations for statewide grants from available Hispanic Achievers license plate proceeds to nonprofit organizations for programs and scholarships for Hispanic and minority Floridians. National Hispanic Corporate Achievers, Inc., shall also establish a Hispanic Achievers License Plate Fund. Moneys in the fund shall be used by the grant council as provided in this paragraph. All funds received under this subsection must be used in this state.

- (c) National Hispanic Corporate Achievers, Inc., may retain all proceeds from the annual use fee until documented startup costs for developing and establishing the plate have been recovered. Thereafter, the proceeds from the annual use fee shall be used as follows:
- 1. Up to 5 percent of the proceeds may be used for the cost of administration of the Hispanic Achievers License Plate Fund, the Hispanic Achievers Grant Council, and related matters.
- 2. Funds may be used as necessary for annual audit or compliance affidavit costs.
- 3. Up to 20 percent of the proceeds may be used to market and promote the Hispanic Achievers license plate.
- 4. Twenty-five percent of the proceeds shall be used by the Hispanic Corporate Achievers, Inc., located in Seminole County, for grants.
- 5. The remaining proceeds shall be available to the Hispanic Achievers Grant Council to award grants for services,

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programs, or scholarships for Hispanic and minority individuals and organizations throughout Florida. All grant recipients must provide to the Hispanic Achievers Grant Council an annual program and financial report regarding the use of grant funds. Such reports must be available to the public.

- (d) Effective July 1, 2014, the Hispanic Achievers license plate will shift into the presale voucher phase, as provided in s. 320.08053(2)(b). National Hispanic Corporate Achievers, Inc., shall have 24 months to record a minimum of 1,000 sales. Sales include existing active plates and vouchers sold subsequent to July 1, 2014. During the voucher period, new plates may not be issued, but existing plates may be renewed. If, at the conclusion of the 24-month presale period, the requirement of a minimum of 1,000 sales has been met, the department shall resume normal distribution of the Hispanic Achievers license plate. If, after 24 months, the minimum of 1,000 sales has not been met, the department shall discontinue the Hispanic Achievers license plate. This subsection is repealed June 30, 2016.
 - (75) (80) FALLEN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS LICENSE PLATES.-
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Police and Kids Foundation, Inc., which may use up to a maximum of 10 percent of the proceeds for marketing to promote and market the plate. All remaining The remainder of the proceeds shall be distributed to and used by the Police and Kids Foundation, Inc., for its operations, activities, programs, and projects to invest and reinvest, and the interest earnings shall be used for the operation of the Police and Kids Foundation, Inc.
 - (79) (84) BLUE ANGELS LICENSE PLATES.-
 - (a) The department shall develop a Blue Angels license

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plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Home of the Blue Angels" must appear at the bottom of the plate; however, the development of the plate is contingent upon the enactment of legislation creating an annual use fee under s. 320.08056 for the Blue Angels license plate.

- (80) DUCKS UNLIMITED LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Ducks Unlimited license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Conserving Florida Wetlands" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to Ducks Unlimited, Inc., a nonprofit corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to be used as follows:
- 1. Up to 5 percent of the proceeds may be used for administrative costs and marketing of the plate.
- 2. At least 95 percent of the proceeds shall be used in this state to support the mission and efforts of Ducks Unlimited, Inc., to conserve, restore, and manage Florida wetlands and associated habitats for the benefit of waterfowl, other wildlife, and people.
 - (81) AUBURN UNIVERSITY LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop an Auburn University license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the

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department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "War Eagle" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Tampa Bay Auburn Club, which must use the proceeds for the purpose of awarding scholarships to Florida residents attending Auburn University. Students receiving these scholarships must be eliqible for the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program pursuant to s. 1009.531 and shall use the scholarship funds for tuition and other expenses related to attending Auburn University.
 - (82) BEAT CHILDHOOD CANCER LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Beat Childhood Cancer license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Beat Childhood Cancer" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed as follows:
- 1. Seventy-five percent of the proceeds shall be distributed to Beat Nb, Inc., which may use up to 10 percent of its proceeds for administrative costs directly associated with the operation of the corporation and for marketing and promoting the plate. All remaining proceeds shall be used by the corporation to fund pediatric cancer treatment and research.
- 2. Twenty-five percent of the proceeds shall be distributed to the Ryan Callahan Foundation, Inc., a nonprofit corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Its proceeds



824 shall be used by the corporation to fund pediatric cancer 825 treatment and research. (83) WALT DISNEY WORLD LICENSE PLATES.-826 827 (a) The department shall develop a Walt Disney World 828 license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The 829 plate must bear the colors and design approved by the 830 department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the 831 plate, and the words "Walt Disney World" must appear at the 832 bottom of the plate. 833 (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be 834 distributed to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Central and 835 Northern Florida, Inc., a nonprofit organization under s. 836 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up to 10 percent of the 837 proceeds from the sale of such plates may be used for 838 administrative and marketing costs. All remaining proceeds from 839 the annual use fees shall be used by the Make-a-Wish Foundation of Central and Northern Florida, Inc., for activities and 840 841 programs for families with critically ill children. 842 (84) FLORIDA 4-H LICENSE PLATES.-843 (a) The department shall develop a Florida 4-H license 844 plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate 845 must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The

(b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to Florida 4-H and used for the following purposes:

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development in this state, including leadership development programs operated by 4-H University, state agencies, and the Legislature.

- 3. Twenty percent must be used to support competitive teams in this state.
- 4. The remainder must be used to support Florida 4-H camps under the Florida 4-H program as designated by the University of Florida.
 - (85) DONATE LIFE FLORIDA LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Donate Life Florida license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Donors Save Lives" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to Donate Life Florida, which may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds for marketing and administrative costs. All remaining proceeds from the annual use fees shall be used by Donate Life Florida to educate Florida residents on the importance of organ, tissue, and eye donation and for the continued maintenance of the Joshua Abbott Organ and Tissue Donor Registry.
 - (86) FLORIDA STATE BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION LICENSE PLATES.—
- (a) The department shall develop a Florida State Beekeepers Association license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Save the Bees" must appear at the bottom



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- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Florida State Beekeepers Association, a Florida nonprofit corporation. The Florida State Beekeepers Association may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds for administrative, promotional, and marketing costs of the license plate.
- (c) All remaining proceeds shall be distributed to the Florida State Beekeepers Association and shall be used to raise awareness of the importance of beekeeping to Florida agriculture by funding honeybee research, education, outreach, and husbandry. The Florida State Beekeepers Association board of managers must approve and is accountable for all such expenditures.
 - (87) ROTARY LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Rotary license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Rotary" must appear on the bottom of the plate. The license plate must bear the Rotary International wheel emblem.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Community Foundation of Tampa Bay, Inc., to be used as follows:
- 1. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for administrative costs and for marketing of the plate.
- 2. Ten percent of the proceeds shall be distributed to Rotary's Camp Florida for direct support to all programs and services provided to children with special needs who attend the camp.
 - 3. All remaining proceeds shall be distributed,

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proportionally based on sales, to each Rotary district in the state in support of Rotary youth programs in Florida.

(88) HIGHWAYMEN LICENSE PLATES.-

- (a) The department shall develop a Highwaymen license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Highwaymen" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the City of Fort Pierce, subject to a city resolution designating the city as the fiscal agent of the license plate. The city may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds for administrative costs and marketing of the plate and shall use the remainder of the proceeds as follows:
- 1. Before completion of construction of the Highwaymen Museum and African-American Cultural Center, the city shall distribute at least 15 percent of the proceeds to the St. Lucie Education Foundation, Inc., to fund art education and art projects in public schools within St. Lucie County. All remaining proceeds shall be used by the city to fund the construction of the Highwaymen Museum and African-American Cultural Center.
- 2. Upon completion of construction of the Highwaymen Museum and African-American Cultural Center, the city shall distribute at least 10 percent of the proceeds to the St. Lucie Education Foundation, Inc., to fund art education and art projects in public schools within St. Lucie County. All remaining proceeds shall be used by the city to fund the day-to-day operations of the Highwaymen Museum and African-American Cultural Center.

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(89) DAN MARINO CAMPUS LICENSE PLATES.-

- (a) The department shall develop a Dan Marino Campus license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Marino Campus" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Dan Marino Foundation, a Florida nonprofit corporation, which may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds for administrative costs and marketing of the plate. All remaining proceeds shall be used by the Dan Marino Foundation to assist Floridians with developmental disabilities in becoming employed, independent, and productive and to promote and fund education scholarships and awareness of these services.
 - (90) ORLANDO CITY SOCCER CLUB LICENSE PLATES. -
- (a) The department shall develop an Orlando City Soccer Club license plate as provided in paragraph (9)(a).
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed and used as provided in paragraph (9)(b).
 - (91) DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Daughters of the American Revolution license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Daughters of the American Revolution" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Daughters of the American Revolution, a

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nonprofit organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for the promotion and marketing of the plate. The remainder of the proceeds shall be used within this state by the Daughters of the American Revolution, a nonpolitical volunteer women's service organization, to promote patriotism, preserve American history, and secure America's future through educational programs for local public and private K-12 students and scholarships and other educational funding for underprivileged children.

- (92) GADSDEN FLAG LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Gadsden Flag license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The design of the license plate must replicate the color, layout, and design of the Gadsden Flag. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Don't Tread on Me" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to the Florida Veterans Foundation, a direct-support organization of the Department of Veterans' Affairs, and must be used to benefit veterans. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for continuing promotion and marketing of the license plate.
 - (93) AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop an America the Beautiful license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "America the Beautiful" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
 - (b) The annual use fees from the plate must be distributed

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to the America the Beautiful Fund as follows: 10 percent to offset administrative costs, marketing, and promotion of the plate and 90 percent for projects and programs teaching character, leadership, and service to Florida youth; the provision of supportive services and assistance to members of the military community; outdoor education advancing the ideal of self-sufficiency; wildlife conservation, including imperiled and managed species; the maintenance of historic or culturally important sites, buildings, structures, or objects; and the development and modification of playgrounds, recreational areas, or other outdoor amenities, including disability access.

- (94) EXPLORE OFF ROAD FLORIDA LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop an Explore Off Road Florida license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Explore Off Road" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Florida Off Road Foundation, Inc., a nonprofit corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up to 10 percent of the funds may be used for marketing of the plate, costs directly associated with creation of the plate, and administrative costs related to distribution of proceeds, including annual audit services and compliance affidavit costs. The remainder of the funds shall be used by the Florida Off Road Foundation, Inc., to fund qualified nonprofit organizations that protect and preserve Florida's natural off-road habitat; educate Floridians about responsible use of the off-road environment;

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support civilian volunteer programs to promote the use of offroad vehicles to assist law enforcement in situations such as search and rescue; support organized cleanups, trail maintenance, and restoration; or preserve Florida's off-road culture.

- (95) AMERICAN EAGLE LICENSE PLATES.—
- (a) The department shall develop an American Eagle license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "In God We Trust" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the American Eagle Foundation for deposit in the foundation's national endowment fund. Up to 10 percent of the funds received may be used for administrative costs and marketing of the plate. The American Eagle Foundation shall use the remainder of the proceeds to fund public education programs, rescue and care programs, and other conservation efforts in Florida that benefit bald eagles.
 - (96) GUARDIAN AD LITEM LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Guardian Ad Litem license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Heartfelt Child Advocacy" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Florida Guardian Ad Litem Foundation, Inc., a direct-support organization and a nonprofit corporation under s.

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501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for administrative costs and the marketing of the plate. The remainder of the proceeds must be used in this state to support the mission and efforts of the statewide Guardian Ad Litem Program to represent abused, abandoned, and neglected children and advocate for their best interests; recruit and retain volunteer child advocates; and meet the unique needs of the dependent children the program serves.

(97) JUMBO SHRIMP LICENSE PLATES.-

- (a) The department shall develop a Jumbo Shrimp license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Jumbo Shrimp" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to St. Johns Riverkeeper, Inc., a nonprofit organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for the promotion and marketing of the plate. The remainder of the proceeds shall be used by St. Johns Riverkeeper, Inc., for programs and activities related to fulfilling its mission to protect and restore the health of the St. Johns River.

(98) THANK A LINEMAN LICENSE PLATES.-

- (a) The department shall develop a Thank a Lineman license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Thank a Lineman" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
 - (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be

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distributed to the Lake-Sumter State College Foundation, Inc., a nonprofit Florida corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to fund scholarships for students enrolled in the Electrical Distribution Technology Program at Lake-Sumter State College. Up to 10 percent of the funds received by the Lake-Sumter State College Foundation, Inc., may be used for marketing of the plate and costs directly associated with the administration of the foundation.

- (99) BEST BUDDIES LICENSE PLATES. -
- (a) The department shall develop a Best Buddies license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the term "BestBuddies.org" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to Best Buddies International, Inc., a nonprofit corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, which may use up to 10 percent of the fees for administrative costs and marketing of the plate. The balance of the fees shall be used by Best Buddies International, Inc., to create opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, leadership development, and inclusive living for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.
 - (100) UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a University of Georgia license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "The University of Georgia" must appear at



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- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Georgia Bulldog Club of Jacksonville, which must use the proceeds for the purpose of awarding scholarships to Florida residents attending the University of Georgia. Students receiving these scholarships must be eligible for the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program pursuant to s. 1009.531 and shall use the scholarship funds for tuition and other expenses related to attending the University of Georgia.
 - (101) ETHICAL ECOTOURISM LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop an Ethical Ecotourism license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and words that are approved by the department must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate must be distributed equally between the Florida Society for Ethical Ecotourism and Paddle Florida, Inc., each of which may use up to 10 percent of such proceeds for administrative costs and the marketing of the plate. The remaining proceeds must be used by the Florida Society for Ethical Ecotourism to provide environmental education and awareness that encourage behaviors that contribute to the sustainability of Florida's natural ecosystems and resources, and by Paddle Florida, Inc., to raise awareness about water conservation, wildlife preservation, restoration of springs, and protection of waterways in this state.
 - (102) FLORIDA BAY FOREVER LICENSE PLATES.-
 - (a) The department shall develop a Florida Bay Forever

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1143 license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the 1144 1145 department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the 1146 plate, and the words "Florida Bay Forever" must appear at the 1147 bottom of the plate.

(b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Florida National Park Association, Inc., which may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds for administrative costs and marketing of the plate. All remaining proceeds shall be used to supplement the Everglades National Park's budgets and to support educational, interpretive, historical, and scientific research relating to the Everglades National Park.

(103) BONEFISH AND TARPON TRUST LICENSE PLATES.-

- (a) The department shall develop a Bonefish and Tarpon Trust license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Bonefish and Tarpon Trust" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Bonefish and Tarpon Trust, which may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds to promote and market the license plate. All remaining proceeds shall be used to conserve and enhance Florida bonefish and tarpon fisheries and their respective environments through stewardship, research, education, and advocacy.
 - (104) COASTAL CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION LICENSE PLATES.-
 - (a) The department shall develop a Coastal Conservation

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1172 Association license plate as provided in this section and s. 1173 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by 1174 the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the 1175 plate, and the words "Conserve Florida's Fisheries" must appear 1176 at the bottom of the plate.

- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to Coastal Conservation Association Florida, a nonprofit corporation under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to be used as follows:
- 1. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for administrative costs and to promote and market the plate.
- 2. The remainder of the proceeds shall be used to support the mission and efforts of Coastal Conservation Association Florida for habitat enhancement and restoration, saltwater fisheries conservation, and education; to advise the public on the conservation of marine resources; and to promote and enhance the present and future availability of those coastal resources for the benefit and enjoyment of the general public.
 - (105) JOHNSON AND WALES UNIVERSITY LICENSE PLATES. -
- (a) The department shall develop a Johnson and Wales University license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, the words "Johnson and Wales University" must appear at the bottom of the plate, and the official Johnson and Wales University logo must appear on the left side of plate.
- (b) The license plate annual use fees shall be distributed to Johnson and Wales University-North Miami, which may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds to promote and market the plate. The

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1201 remainder of the proceeds shall be used by Johnson and Wales University-North Miami, a Johnson and Wales University 1202 organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to 1203 1204 fund its charitable activities, including, but not limited to, 1205 student need-based scholarships.

- (106) FLORIDA STANDS WITH ISRAEL LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Florida Stands with Israel license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Florida Stands with Israel" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate must be distributed to the Hatzalah of Miami-Dade, Inc., to be used as follows:
- 1. Ten percent must be used solely for the promotion and marketing of the plate.
- 2. Ninety percent must be used by Hatzalah of Miami-Dade, Inc., to assist in training and deploying first responders to expedite emergency response.
 - (107) GIVE KIDS THE WORLD LICENSE PLATES. -
- (a) The department shall develop a Give Kids The World license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Give Kids The World" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to Give Kids The World, Inc., a nonprofit

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1230 organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up 1231 to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for the promotion and 1232 marketing of the plate. The remainder of the proceeds shall be 1233 used by Give Kids The World, Inc., to support their mission of providing week-long, cost-free vacations to children with 1234 1235 critical illnesses and their families.

- (108) MARINE CORPS LEAGUE LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Marine Corps League license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top center of the plate, and the words "Marine Corps League" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Marine Corps League, Inc., Department of Florida as follows:
- 1. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for administrative costs and to promote and market the plate.
- 2. At least 15 percent shall be distributed to the Operations and Maintenance Trust Fund within the Department of Veterans' Affairs to be used to support program operations that benefit veterans or the operation, maintenance, or construction of domiciliary and nursing homes for veterans, subject to the requirements of chapter 216.
- 3. At least 40 percent shall be distributed to the Marine Corps League John Piazza Memorial Scholarship Fund to fund scholarships and assist Marine Corps Junior ROTC and Young Marine programs in this state.
 - 4. At least 20 percent shall support the Marine Corps

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League efforts in disaster relief, aiding and rendering assistance to all Marines and former Marines and to their widows and orphans in this state.

- 5. At least 15 percent shall be distributed to the Injured Warriors Fund of Florida to assist those warriors injured in combat residing in this state.
 - (109) K9S UNITED LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a K9s United license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "K9s United" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to K9s United, Inc., a nonprofit organization under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for the promotion and marketing of the plate. The remainder of the proceeds shall be used by K9s United, Inc., to support K9 units throughout the state.
 - (110) FLORIDA NATIVE LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop a Florida Native license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Native" must appear at the bottom of the plate. The plate must contain a camouflage background including leaves, flowers, or fronds of a minimum of five different Florida native plants.
- (b) 1. The department shall retain all annual use fees from the sale of the plate until all startup costs for developing and issuing the plate have been recovered.
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plate shall be distributed to the Florida Native Plant Society, a Florida nonprofit corporation, which may use a maximum of 10 percent of the fees for administrative costs and to market and promote the plate. The balance of the fees shall be used by the Florida Native Plant Society to fulfill the mission of the Florida Native Plant Society, which is to restore and preserve native Florida plants on private and public lands through grants, education, and community projects.

(111) UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA LICENSE PLATES.-

- (a) The department shall develop a University of Alabama license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Roll Tide" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Pensacola Bama Club, which must use the proceeds for the purpose of awarding scholarships to Florida residents attending the University of Alabama. Students receiving these scholarships must be eligible for the Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program pursuant to s. 1009.531 and shall use the scholarship funds for tuition and other expenses related to attending the University of Alabama.

Section 9. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 320.08062, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.08062 Audits and attestations required; annual use fees of specialty license plates.-

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(b) Any organization not subject to audit pursuant to s.

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215.97 shall annually attest, under penalties of perjury, that such proceeds were used in compliance with ss. 320.08056 and 320.08058. The attestation shall be made annually in a form and format determined by the department. In addition, the department shall audit any such organization every 3 years to ensure proceeds have been used in compliance with ss. 320.08056 and 320.08058.

Section 10. Paragraph (b) of subsection (4) of section 320.08068, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.08068 Motorcycle specialty license plates.-

- (4) A license plate annual use fee of \$20 shall be collected for each motorcycle specialty license plate. Annual use fees shall be distributed as follows:
- (b) Twenty percent to Preserve Vision Prevent Blindness Florida.

Section 11. Subsection (8) of section 320.0807, Florida Statutes, is renumbered as subsection (6), and present subsections (5), (6), and (7) of that section are amended, to read:

320.0807 Special license plates for Governor and federal and state legislators.-

(5) Upon application by any current or former President of the Senate and payment of the fees prescribed by s. 320.0805, the department may issue a license plate stamped "Senate President" followed by the number assigned by the department or chosen by the applicant if it is not already in use. Upon application by any current or former Speaker of the House of Representatives and payment of the fees prescribed by s. 320.0805, the department may issue a license plate stamped



1346 "House Speaker" followed by the number assigned by the department or chosen by the applicant if it is not already in 1347 use. 1348 1349 (6) (a) Upon application by any former member of Congress or 1350 former member of the state Legislature, payment of the fees 1351 prescribed by s. 320.0805, and payment of a one-time fee of 1352 \$500, the department may issue a former member of Congress, 1353 state senator, or state representative a license plate stamped "Retired Congress," "Retired Senate," or "Retired House," as 1354 1355 appropriate, for a vehicle owned by the former member. 1356 (b) To qualify for a Retired Congress, Retired Senate, or 1357 Retired House prestige license plate, a former member must have 1358 served at least 4 years as a member of Congress, state senator, 1359 or state representative, respectively. 1360 (c) Four hundred fifty dollars of the one-time fee 1361 collected under paragraph (a) shall be distributed to the 1362 account of the direct-support organization established pursuant to s. 272.136 and used for the benefit of the Florida Historic 1363

Capitol Museum, and the remaining \$50 shall be deposited into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund.

(5) The department may create a unique plate design for plates to be used by members or former members of the Legislature or Congress as provided in subsection subsections (2), (5), and (6).

Section 12. Section 320.0875, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

320.0875 Purple Heart special motorcycle license plate.

(1) Upon application to the department and payment of the license tax for the motorcycle as provided in s. 320.08, a

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resident of the state who owns or leases a motorcycle that is not used for hire or commercial use shall be issued a Purple Heart special motorcycle license plate if he or she provides documentation acceptable to the department that he or she is a recipient of the Purple Heart medal.

(2) The Purple Heart special motorcycle license plate shall be stamped with the term "Combat-wounded Veteran" followed by the serial number of the license plate. The Purple Heart special motorcycle license plate may have the term "Purple Heart" stamped on the plate and the likeness of the Purple Heart medal appearing on the plate.

Section 13. Present paragraphs (b) and (c) of subsection (1) of section 320.089, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as paragraphs (c) and (d), respectively, paragraph (a) of that subsection is amended, and a new paragraph (b) is added to that subsection, to read:

320.089 Veterans of the United States Armed Forces; members of National Guard; survivors of Pearl Harbor; Purple Heart medal recipients; Bronze Star recipients; active or retired United States Armed Forces reservists; Combat Infantry Badge, Combat Medical Badge, or Combat Action Badge recipients; Combat Action Ribbon recipients; Air Force Combat Action Medal recipients; Distinguished Flying Cross recipients; former prisoners of war; Korean War Veterans; Vietnam War Veterans; Operation Desert Shield Veterans; Operation Desert Storm Veterans; Operation Enduring Freedom Veterans; Operation Iraqi Freedom Veterans; Women Veterans; World War II Veterans; and Navy Submariners; special license plates; fee.-

(1)(a) Each owner or lessee of an automobile or truck for



1404 private use or recreational vehicle as specified in s. 320.08(9)(c) or (d), which is not used for hire or commercial 1405 1406 use, who is a resident of the state and a veteran of the United 1407 States Armed Forces, a Woman Veteran, a World War II Veteran, a 1408 Navy Submariner, an active or retired member of the Florida 1409 National Guard, a survivor of the attack on Pearl Harbor, a 1410 recipient of the Purple Heart medal, a recipient of the Bronze 1411 Star, an active or retired member of any branch of the United 1412 States Armed Forces Reserve, or a recipient of the Combat 1413 Infantry Badge, Combat Medical Badge, Combat Action Badge, 1414 Combat Action Ribbon, Air Force Combat Action Medal, or 1415 Distinguished Flying Cross, upon application to the department, 1416 accompanied by proof of release or discharge from any branch of 1417 the United States Armed Forces, proof of active membership or 1418 retired status in the Florida National Guard, proof of 1419 membership in the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association or proof of 1420 active military duty in Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, proof 1421 of being a Purple Heart medal recipient, proof of being a Bronze 1422 Star recipient, proof of active or retired membership in any 1423 branch of the United States Armed Forces Reserve, or proof of 1424 membership in the Combat Infantrymen's Association, Inc., proof 1425 of being a recipient of the Combat Infantry Badge, Combat 1426 Medical Badge, Combat Action Badge, Combat Action Ribbon, Air 1427 Force Combat Action Medal, or Distinguished Flying Cross, and 1428 upon payment of the license tax for the vehicle as provided in 1429 s. 320.08, shall be issued a license plate as provided by s. 1430 320.06 which, in lieu of the serial numbers prescribed by s. 1431 320.06, is stamped with the words "Veteran," "Woman Veteran," "WWII Veteran," "Navy Submariner," "National Guard," "Pearl 1432

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Harbor Survivor, " "Combat-wounded veteran, " "Bronze Star, " "U.S. Reserve," "Combat Infantry Badge," "Combat Medical Badge," "Combat Action Badge," "Combat Action Ribbon," "Air Force Combat Action Medal," or "Distinguished Flying Cross," as appropriate, and a likeness of the related campaign medal or badge, followed by the serial number of the license plate. Additionally, the Purple Heart plate may have the words "Purple Heart" stamped on the plate and the likeness of the Purple Heart medal appearing on the plate.

(b) The military members listed in paragraph (a) are eligible to be issued special veteran's motorcycle license plates. The veteran's motorcycle license plate design shall be the same as the design for the motor vehicle "Veteran" and "Woman Veteran" special license plate. The word "Veteran" or "Woman Veteran" shall be displayed at the bottom of the motorcycle license plate.

Section 14. Subsection (3) of section 320.0891, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.0891 U.S. Paratroopers license plate.

(3) Each owner or lessee of an automobile or truck for private use, truck weighing not more than 7,999 pounds, or recreational vehicle as specified in s. 320.08(9)(c) or (d), which is not used for hire or commercial use, who is a resident of this state and who meets the qualifications contained in subsection (2) shall, upon application therefor to the department, with the payment of the taxes and fees described in subsection (5), be issued a U.S. Paratroopers license plate. Each application must be accompanied by proof that the applicant has been decorated as a parachutist, or has completed the U.S.



Army Jump School, or has completed U.S. Army Air Assault School.

Section 15. Paragraph (b) of subsection (3) and paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section 320.0894, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

320.0894 Motor vehicle license plates to Gold Star family members.—The department shall develop a special license plate honoring the family members of servicemembers who have been killed while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States. The license plate shall be officially designated as the Gold Star license plate and shall be developed and issued as provided in this section.

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- (b) The surviving spouse and a surviving parent meeting the requirements in subsection (4) shall each, upon application therefor, be issued the Gold Star license plate for up to three vehicles one vehicle per household free of charge. Renewal decals for the plate issued under this paragraph shall be issued at no cost.
- (4)(a)1.a. The Gold Star license plate shall be issued only to family members of a servicemember killed while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States who resided in Florida at the time of the death of the servicemember.
- b. Any family member, as defined in subparagraph 2., of a servicemember killed while serving may be issued a Gold Star license plate upon payment of the license tax and appropriate fees as provided in paragraph (3) (a) without regard to the state of residence of the servicemember.
- 2. To qualify for issuance of a Gold Star license plate, the applicant must be directly related to a fallen servicemember



as spouse, legal mother or father, stepparent, parent through adoption, foster parent, grandparent, child, stepchild, adopted child, brother, sister, half brother, or half sister of the fallen servicemember.

3. A servicemember is deemed to have been killed while in service as listed by the United States Department of Defense and may be verified from documentation directly from the Department of Defense or from its subordinate agencies, such as the Coast Guard, Reserve, or National Guard.

Section 16. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect October 1, 2020, but only if SB 414 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

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======== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ========== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete everything before the enacting clause and insert:

A bill to be entitled

An act relating to license plates; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; authorizing election of a permanent registration period for certain vehicles if certain conditions are met; providing an exception to the design of dealer license plates; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to conduct a pilot program regarding digital license plates; amending s. 320.0657, F.S.; providing an exception to the design of fleet license plates; authorizing fleet companies

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to purchase specialty license plates in lieu of standard fleet license plates; requiring fleet companies to be responsible for certain costs; amending s. 320.08, F.S.; authorizing dealers to purchase specialty license plates in lieu of standard dealer license plates; requiring dealers to be responsible for certain costs; amending s. 320.08053, F.S.; revising presale requirements for issuance of a specialty license plate; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.; allowing the department to authorize dealer and fleet specialty license plates; providing requirements for such plates; deleting provisions relating to annual use fees for certain specialty license plates; revising provisions for discontinuing issuance of a specialty license plate; revising provisions relating to expenditure of annual use fees and interest earned therefrom; prohibiting annual use fees received by any entity from being used for certain purposes; requiring the department, in cooperation with independent colleges and universities, to create a standard template specialty license plate for each independent college or university for use in lieu of certain specialty license plates; providing for distribution and use of annual use fees collected from the sale of the plates; providing requirements for meeting the license plate sales threshold and determining the license plate limit; requiring standard template specialty license plates to be ordered from the department; requiring certain organizations to

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establish endowments based in this state for providing scholarships to Florida residents and to provide documentation of consent to use certain images; providing requirements for issuance of presale vouchers for out-of-state college or university license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; revising the design of and distribution of proceeds from the Special Olympics Florida specialty license plate; deleting certain specialty license plates; revising the distribution of annual use fees for certain specialty license plates; directing the department to develop certain specialty license plates; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plates; amending s. 320.08062, F.S.; requiring the department to audit certain organizations that receive funds from the sale of specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08068, F.S.; requiring distribution of a specified percentage of motorcycle specialty license plate annual use fees to Preserve Vision Florida; amending s. 320.0807, F.S.; deleting provisions relating to special license plates for certain federal and state legislators; creating s. 320.0875, F.S.; providing for a special motorcycle license plate to be issued to a recipient of the Purple Heart; providing requirements for the plate; amending s. 320.089, F.S.; providing for a special license plate to be issued to a recipient of the Bronze Star; providing for the design and issuance of special veteran's motorcycle license plates; amending



| 1578 | s. 320.0891, F.S.; revising eligibility requirements |
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| 1579 | for the U.S. Paratroopers license plate; amending s. |
| 1580 | 320.0894, F.S.; revising requirements for eligibility |
| 1581 | for and issuance of the Gold Star license plate; |
| 1582 | providing contingent effective dates. |