

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate Comm: RCS 04/18/2019 House

Appropriations Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development (Lee) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete everything after the enacting clause

and insert:

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 320.06, Florida Statutes, as amended by SB 7090, 2019 Regular Session, is amended to read:

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



10 (1) 11 (b)1. Registration license plates bearing a graphic symbol 12 and the alphanumeric system of identification shall be issued 13 for a 10-year period. At the end of the 10-year period, upon renewal, the plate shall be replaced. The department shall 14 15 extend the scheduled license plate replacement date from a 6year period to a 10-year period. The fee for such replacement is 16 17 \$28, \$2.80 of which shall be paid each year before the plate is 18 replaced, to be credited toward the next \$28 replacement fee. 19 The fees shall be deposited into the Highway Safety Operating 20 Trust Fund. A credit or refund may not be given for any prior 21 years' payments of the prorated replacement fee if the plate is 22 replaced or surrendered before the end of the 10-year period, 23 except that a credit may be given if a registrant is required by 24 the department to replace a license plate under s. 25 320.08056(8)(a). With each license plate, a validation sticker 26 shall be issued showing the owner's birth month, license plate 27 number, and the year of expiration or the appropriate renewal 28 period if the owner is not a natural person. The validation 29 sticker shall be placed on the upper right corner of the license 30 plate. The license plate and validation sticker shall be issued 31 based on the applicant's appropriate renewal period. The 32 registration period is 12 months, the extended registration period is 24 months, and all expirations occur based on the 33 34 applicant's appropriate registration period. 35

2. A vehicle that has an apportioned registration shall be
issued an annual license plate and a cab card denoting the
declared gross vehicle weight for each apportioned jurisdiction.
This subparagraph expires January 1, 2023.

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39 3. Upon implementation of a new operating system for 40 apportioned vehicle registration, a vehicle registered in 41 accordance with the International Registration Plan must be 42 issued a license plate for a 5-year period, an annual cab card denoting the declared gross vehicle weight for each apportioned 43 44 jurisdiction, and an annual validation sticker showing the month and year of expiration. The validation sticker must be placed in 45 the center of the license plate. The license plate and 46 47 validation sticker must be issued based on the applicant's 48 appropriate renewal period. The registration period is 12 49 months. The fee for the initial validation sticker and any 50 renewed validation sticker is \$28. This fee must be deposited 51 into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund. If the license 52 plate is damaged or worn, it may be replaced at no charge by applying to the department and surrendering the current license 53 54 plate.

4. 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.

Section 2. This act shall take effect on the same date that SB 7090 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law.

Delete everything before the enacting clauseand insert:

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A bill to be entitled An act relating to fees; amending s. 320.06, F.S.; requiring a specified fee for certain validation stickers; providing a contingent effective date.

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