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Senator Thurston moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 297 and 298

4 insert:

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5 (c) Pursuant to paragraph (b), the department shall 6 maintain a waiting list of new specialty license plates in 7 sequential order which have been approved by the Legislature pursuant to this section. The following specialty license 9 plates, in sequential order, are approved for design and 10 issuance as plates are discontinued pursuant to paragraph (b), 11 not to exceed 150 plates:

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12	1. Divine Nine License Plates
13	a. The Divine Nine license plate must bear the colors and
14	design approved by the department and must include the official
15	logo as appropriate for each organization. The word "Florida"
16	must appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Divine" must
17	appear at the bottom of the plate.
18	b. The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be
19	distributed as follows:
20	(I) Five percent of the proceeds shall be distributed to
21	the United Negro College Fund, Inc., for college scholarships
22	for Florida residents attending Florida's historically black
23	colleges and universities.
24	(II) The remaining 95 percent of the proceeds shall be
25	distributed to one of the following organizations as selected by
26	the purchaser of the plate who shall receive a license plate
27	with the design associated with the appropriate recipient
28	organization:
29	(A) Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.
30	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Florida
31	Federation of Alpha Chapters, Inc., to promote community
32	awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural
33	service activities within this state.
34	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Florida
35	Federation of Alpha Chapters, Inc., solely for the marketing of
36	the plate.
37	(B) Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.
38	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Alpha
39	Kappa Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc., to promote
40	community awareness and action through educational, economic,

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41	and cultural service activities within this state.
42	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Alpha Kappa
43	Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc., solely for the
44	marketing of the plate.
45	(C) Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.
46	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Southern
47	Province of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., to promote
48	community awareness and action through educational, economic,
49	and cultural service activities within this state.
50	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Southern
51	Province of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., solely for the
52	marketing of the plate.
53	(D) Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
54	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the State of
55	Florida Omega Friendship Foundation, Inc., to promote community
56	awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural
57	service activities within this state.
58	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the State of
59	Florida Omega Friendship Foundation, Inc., solely for the
60	marketing of the plate.
61	(E) Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.
62	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Delta
63	Research and Educational Foundation, Inc., to promote community
64	awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural
65	service activities within this state.
66	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Delta Research
67	and Educational Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of
68	the plate.
69	(F) Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

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70	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the TMB
71	Charitable Foundation, Inc., to promote community awareness and
72	action through educational, economic, and cultural service
73	activities within this state.
74	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the TMB Charitable
75	Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of the plate.
76	(G) Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.
77	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Florida
78	Pearls, Inc., to promote community awareness and action through
79	educational, economic, and cultural service activities within
80	this state.
81	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Florida Pearls,
82	Inc., solely for the marketing of the plate.
83	(H) Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.
84	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Sigma
85	Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc., to promote
86	community awareness and action through educational, economic,
87	and cultural service activities within this state.
88	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the Sigma Gamma Rho
89	Sorority National Education Fund, Inc., solely for the marketing
90	of the plate.
91	(I) Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.
92	i. Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the National
93	Iota Foundation, Inc., to promote community awareness and action
94	through educational, economic, and cultural service activities
95	within this state.
96	ii. Ten percent shall be distributed to the National Iota
97	Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of the plate.
98	2. Palm beach zoo and conservation society license plates

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99 a. The Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society license 100 plates must bear the colors and design approved by the 101 department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the 102 plate, and the words "Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society" 103 must appear at the bottom of the plate. b. The license plate annual use fees shall be distributed 104 105 to the Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society to fund 106 educational programs for students in pre-K through grade 12, 107 conservation projects to protect endangered or threatened 108 species, and services for the health and welfare of animals in 109 the zoo's care. The Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society may 110 retain all revenue from the annual use fees until all startup 111 costs for developing and establishing the plate have been 112 recovered. Thereafter, up to 10 percent of the annual use fee 113 revenue may be used for promotion and marketing of the specialty 114 license plate and administrative costs directly associated with the programs of the society and the specialty license plate. 115 116 3. Solar power license plates.-117 a. The Solar Power license plate must bear the colors and 118 design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must 119 appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Powered by the 120 Sun" must appear at the bottom of the plate. 121 b. The annual fees from the sale of the plate must be 122 distributed to the Florida Solar Energy Research and Education 123 Foundation, Inc., a nonprofit Florida corporation under s. 124 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to fund programs which 125 support greater employment opportunities and job training 126 programs that promote the growth of the solar energy industry in 127 Florida. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for

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128	administrative costs and to promote and market the plate.
129	4. Morehouse college license plates
130	a. The Morehouse College license plate must bear the colors
131	and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must
132	appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Morehouse
133	College" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
134	b. The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be
135	distributed to the Morehouse College Alumni Association of
136	Broward County, which must use the proceeds for the purpose of
137	awarding scholarships to Florida residents attending Morehouse
138	College. The proceeds must be deposited in the endowment
139	required in s. 320.08056(12). Students receiving these
140	scholarships must be eligible for the Florida Bright Futures
141	Scholarship Program pursuant to s. 1009.531 and shall use the
142	scholarship funds for tuition and other expenses related to
143	attending Morehouse College.
144	5. Margaritaville license plates
145	a. The Margaritaville license plate must bear the colors
146	and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must
147	appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Margaritaville"
148	must appear at the bottom of the plate.
149	b. The annual use fees must be distributed to the SFC
150	Charitable Foundation, Inc., a Florida nonprofit corporation
151	doing business as the Singing for Change Foundation, to fund its
152	activities, programs, and projects. The Singing for Change
153	Foundation shall retain all revenue from the annual use fees
154	until all startup costs for developing and establishing the
155	plate have been recovered.
156	c. Thereafter, the annual use fees shall be distributed as

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157	follows:
158	(I) Up to 10 percent of the annual use fee revenue may be
159	used for administration, promotion, and marketing of the
160	specialty license plate.
161	(II) The remaining proceeds must be used by the Singing for
162	Change Foundation for its educational, economic, and cultural
163	programs that assist local communities impacted by natural and
164	manmade disasters with recovery, rebuilding, and future
165	sustainability efforts, and that promote and inspire local
166	grassroots leadership that works to improve the quality of life
167	in those communities and other communities in this state.
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169	========== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =================================
170	And the title is amended as follows:
171	Delete line 19
172	and insert:
173	specialty license plate; requiring the department to
174	maintain a waiting list of new specialty license
175	plates; providing that specified specialty license
176	plates are approved for design and issuance; amending
177	s. 320.08056, F.S.;