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An act relating to motorcycle specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; requiring the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop an Endless Summer motorcycle specialty license plate; specifying a design requirement for the plate; requiring that the number of valid Endless Summer motor vehicle and motorcycle specialty license plates be added together for purposes of a certain determination; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Subsection (66) of section 320.08058, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

- 320.08058 Specialty license plates.-
- (66) ENDLESS SUMMER LICENSE PLATES.-
- (a) The department shall develop an Endless Summer license plate for display on a motor vehicle and for display on a motorcycle as provided in this section. Endless Summer 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 "Endless Summer" must appear at the bottom of the plate. Any department-approved image must be placed on the far left side of a plate for display on a motorcycle.

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(b) The license plate annual use fees shall be distributed to Surfing's Evolution & Preservation Corporation to fund its activities, programs, and projects aimed at preserving the sport of surfing. Surfing's Evolution & Preservation Corporation may retain all revenue from the annual use fees until all startup costs for developing and establishing the plate have been recovered. Thereafter, up to 10 percent of the annual use fee revenue may be used for promotion and marketing of the specialty license plate and administrative costs directly associated with the corporation's programs and the specialty license plate. Surfing's Evolution & Preservation Corporation shall use the remaining funds as follows:

- 1. To fund the proposed Surfing's Evolution & Preservation Experience project.
- 2. To provide funds for the provision of lifeguards or the building of artificial reefs.
- 3. To provide funds to organizations that house the history and artifacts of surfing or promote the sport through exhibits, lectures, and events.
- 4. To support programs and events of other organizations that support beaches and oceans and promote education on beach safety, coastal pollution, and beach ecology.
- (c) The number of valid specialty license plates issued for display on a motor vehicle and for display on a motorcycle must be added together to determine whether the specialty

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51 license plate must be discontinued pursuant to s.
52 320.08056(8)(a).
53 Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2026.

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