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SENATE BILL 13-120

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

Harvey, Baumgardner, Cadman, King, Lundberg, Marble

HOUSE SPONSORSHIP

(None),

Senate Committees
Transportation

House Committees

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE CREATION OF A NAVY SEAL LICENSE PLATE.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)

The bill creates the Navy SEAL license plate. A person must demonstrate being a Navy SEAL by submitting a DD214 and certification from the UDT-SEAL association, inc. In addition to the normal motor vehicle fees, the plate requires 2 one-time fees of \$25. One of the fees is credited to the highway users tax fund and the other to the licensing services cash fund.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 42-3-213, **add** (1) (a)
3 (XXV) and (26) as follows:

4 **42-3-213. Special plates - military veterans - rules - retirement.**

5 (1) (a) The department shall issue one or more sets of special license
6 plates to the following persons who own a truck that does not exceed
7 sixteen thousand pounds empty weight, a passenger car, a motorcycle, or
8 a noncommercial or recreational vehicle:

9 (XXV) AN HONORABLY DISCHARGED, RETIRED, RESERVE, OR
10 ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE NAVY SEALS.

11 (26) **Honorably discharged, retired veteran, or active member**
12 **of the Navy SEALS.** (a) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DESIGN THE NAVY
13 SEAL LICENSE PLATE TO INDICATE THAT AN OWNER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE
14 TO WHICH THE PLATE IS ATTACHED IS A VETERAN, A RESERVE MEMBER, OR
15 AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES NAVY SEALS.

16 (b) A NATURAL PERSON WHO HAS RECEIVED AN HONORABLE
17 DISCHARGE, IS RETIRED, OR IS AN ACTIVE OR RESERVE MEMBER OF THE
18 UNITED STATES NAVY SEALS MAY USE A UNITED STATES NAVY SEALS
19 LICENSE PLATE. TO QUALIFY FOR THE LICENSE PLATE, AN APPLICANT MUST
20 SUBMIT A DD214 FORM ISSUED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AND
21 A CERTIFICATION FROM THE UDT-SEAL ASSOCIATION, INC., THE ROCKY
22 MOUNTAIN CHAPTER OF THE UDT-SEAL ASSOCIATION, INC., OR A
23 SUCCESSOR ORGANIZATION, THAT THE APPLICANT HAS AN HONORABLE
24 DISCHARGE FROM, IS RETIRED FROM, OR IS CURRENTLY AN ACTIVE OR
25 RESERVE MEMBER OF THE NAVY SEALS.

26 **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date -**

1 **applicability.** (1) This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following
2 the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the
3 general assembly (August 7, 2013, if adjournment sine die is on May 8,
4 2013); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1
5 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section,
6 or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part
7 will not take effect unless approved by the people at the general election
8 to be held in November 2014 and, in such case, will take effect on the
9 date of the official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.

10 (2) This act applies to license plate applications issued on or after
11 the January 1, 2014.