

HOUSE BILL No. 1019

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 9-18; IC 9-29-3-19; IC 14-20-15.

Synopsis: Lewis and Clark expedition commission. Renames the Lewis and Clark bicentennial commission as the Lewis and Clark expedition commission. Renames the Lewis and Clark bicentennial license plate as the Lewis and Clark expedition license plate. Makes conforming changes.

Effective: July 1, 2014.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 9-18-15-1, AS AMENDED BY P.L.262-2013,
2 SECTION 73, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 1. (a) A person who is the registered owner or
4 lessee of a:
5 (1) passenger motor vehicle;
6 (2) motorcycle;
7 (3) recreational vehicle; or
8 (4) vehicle registered as a truck with a declared gross weight of
9 not more than eleven thousand (11,000) pounds;
10 registered with the bureau or who makes an application for an original
11 registration or renewal registration of a vehicle may apply to the bureau
12 for a personalized license plate to be affixed to the vehicle for which
13 registration is sought instead of the regular license plate.
14 (b) A person who:
15 (1) is the registered owner or lessee of a vehicle described in
16 subsection (a); and



- 1 (2) is eligible to receive a license plate for the vehicle under:
 2 (A) IC 9-18-17 (prisoner of war license plates);
 3 (B) IC 9-18-18 (disabled Hoosier veteran license plates);
 4 (C) IC 9-18-19 (Purple Heart license plates);
 5 (D) IC 9-18-20 (National Guard license plates);
 6 (E) IC 9-18-22 (license plates for persons with disabilities);
 7 (F) IC 9-18-23 (amateur radio operator license plates);
 8 (G) IC 9-18-24 (civic event license plates);
 9 (H) IC 9-18-24.5 (In God We Trust license plates);
 10 (I) IC 9-18-25 (special group recognition license plates);
 11 (J) IC 9-18-29 (environmental license plates);
 12 (K) IC 9-18-30 (kids first trust license plates);
 13 (L) IC 9-18-31 (education license plates);
 14 (M) IC 9-18-32.2 (drug free Indiana trust license plates);
 15 (N) IC 9-18-33 (Indiana FFA trust license plates);
 16 (O) IC 9-18-34 (Indiana firefighter license plates);
 17 (P) IC 9-18-35 (Indiana food bank trust license plates);
 18 (Q) IC 9-18-36 (Indiana girl scouts trust license plates);
 19 (R) IC 9-18-37 (Indiana boy scouts trust license plates);
 20 (S) IC 9-18-38 (Indiana retired armed forces member license
 21 plates);
 22 (T) IC 9-18-39 (Indiana antique car museum trust license
 23 plates);
 24 (U) IC 9-18-40 (D.A.R.E. Indiana trust license plates);
 25 (V) IC 9-18-41 (Indiana arts trust license plates);
 26 (W) IC 9-18-42 (Indiana health trust license plates);
 27 (X) IC 9-18-43 (Indiana mental health trust license plates);
 28 (Y) IC 9-18-44 (Indiana Native American trust license plates);
 29 (Z) IC 9-18-45.8 (Pearl Harbor survivor license plates);
 30 (AA) IC 9-18-46.2 (Indiana state educational institution trust
 31 license plates);
 32 (BB) IC 9-18-47 (Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition**
 33 license plates);
 34 (CC) IC 9-18-48 (Riley Children's Foundation license plates);
 35 (DD) IC 9-18-49 (National Football League franchised
 36 professional football team license plates);
 37 (EE) IC 9-18-50 (Hoosier veteran license plates);
 38 (FF) IC 9-18-51 (support our troops license plates);
 39 (GG) IC 9-18-52 (Abraham Lincoln bicentennial license
 40 plates);
 41 (HH) IC 9-18-53 (Earlham College Trust license plates); or
 42 (II) IC 9-18-54 (Indiana Gold Star family member license



- 1 plates);
 2 may apply to the bureau for a personalized license plate to be affixed
 3 to the vehicle for which registration is sought instead of the regular
 4 special recognition license plate.
- 5 SECTION 2. IC 9-18-47-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 6 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 1. The bureau shall
 7 design and issue a Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** license
 8 plate. The Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** license plate shall
 9 be designed and issued as a special group recognition license plate
 10 under IC 9-18-25.
- 11 SECTION 3. IC 9-18-47-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 12 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 2. After January 1,
 13 2005, a person who is eligible to register a vehicle under this title is
 14 eligible to receive a Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** license
 15 plate under this chapter upon doing the following:
- 16 (1) Completing an application for a Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~
 17 **expedition** license plate.
- 18 (2) Paying the fees under section 3 of this chapter.
- 19 SECTION 4. IC 9-18-47-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 20 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 3. (a) The fees for a
 21 Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** license plate are as follows:
- 22 (1) The appropriate fee under IC 9-29-5-38(a).
 23 (2) An annual fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25).
- 24 (b) The annual fee described in subsection (a)(2) shall be collected
 25 by the bureau.
- 26 (c) The annual fee described in subsection (a)(2) shall be deposited
 27 in the Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** fund established by
 28 section 4 of this chapter.
- 29 SECTION 5. IC 9-18-47-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
 30 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 4. (a) The Lewis and
 31 Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** fund is established.
- 32 (b) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in the fund not
 33 currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same
 34 manner as other public funds are invested. Interest that accrues from
 35 these investments shall be deposited in the fund. Money in the fund is
 36 continuously appropriated for the purposes of this section.
- 37 (c) The commissioner shall administer the fund. Expenses of
 38 administering the fund shall be paid from money in the fund.
- 39 (d) The commissioner shall monthly distribute the money from the
 40 fund to the Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** commission
 41 established by IC 14-20-15.
- 42 (e) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert



1 to the state general fund.

2 SECTION 6. IC 9-29-3-19, AS AMENDED BY P.L.262-2013,
3 SECTION 117, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
4 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 19. (a) As used in this section, "pull
5 service charge" refers to the charge that the commission may require
6 for a requested special numbered motor vehicle registration plate.

7 (b) As used in this section, "special numbered motor vehicle
8 registration plate" means any plate requested for issuance out of its
9 established numerical sequence.

10 (c) Subject to subsection (d) and with the approval of the
11 commission, the bureau may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to do the
12 following:

13 (1) Increase or decrease any of the service charges listed in
14 sections 1 through 18 of this chapter.

15 (2) Impose a service charge on any other license branch service
16 that is not listed in sections 1 through 18 of this chapter.

17 (3) Increase or decrease a service charge imposed under
18 subdivision (2).

19 (d) The bureau's authority to adopt rules under subsection (c) is
20 subject to the condition that a service charge must be uniform
21 throughout all license branches and at all partial service locations in
22 Indiana.

23 (e) The bureau may not impose a pull service charge of more than
24 fifteen dollars (\$15) for a requested motor vehicle registration plate
25 issued under IC 9-18-25 for a special group recognition license plate
26 that commemorates the ~~bicentennial of the~~ Lewis and Clark expedition.

27 SECTION 7. IC 14-20-15-1 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
28 2014]. ~~Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "bicentennial" refers to the~~
29 ~~bicentennial of the Lewis and Clark expedition.~~

30 SECTION 8. IC 14-20-15-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
31 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 2. As used in this
32 chapter, "commission" refers to the Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~
33 **expedition** commission established by section 3 of this chapter.

34 SECTION 9. IC 14-20-15-3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
35 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 3. The Lewis and Clark
36 ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** commission is established.

37 SECTION 10. IC 14-20-15-6 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
38 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 6. The commission may
39 do the following:

40 (1) Educate Indiana residents and the nation about Indiana's
41 important role in the Lewis and Clark expedition.

42 (2) Assist local governments and organizations with planning,



- 1 preparation, and grant applications for ~~bicentennial~~ **Lewis and**
2 **Clark expedition** events and projects.
- 3 (3) Coordinate state, local, and nonprofit organizations'
4 ~~bicentennial~~ **Lewis and Clark expedition** activities occurring in
5 Indiana.
- 6 (4) Act as a point of contact for national ~~bicentennial~~ **Lewis and**
7 **Clark expedition** organizations wishing to distribute information
8 to state and local groups about grant opportunities, meetings, and
9 national events.
- 10 (5) Plan and implement appropriate events to commemorate the
11 ~~bicentennial~~ **Lewis and Clark expedition**.
- 12 (6) Seek federal grants and philanthropic support for ~~bicentennial~~
13 **Lewis and Clark expedition** activities.
- 14 (7) Perform other duties necessary to highlight Indiana's role in
15 the Lewis and Clark expedition.
- 16 (8) Recommend the establishment of a nonprofit corporation
17 under section 7 of this chapter.
- 18 (9) Transfer funds received under IC 9-18-47 and other property
19 to a nonprofit corporation established under section 7 of this
20 chapter.
- 21 SECTION 11. IC 14-20-15-9 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
22 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2014]: Sec. 9. The expenses of the
23 commission shall be paid from the money transferred to the
24 commission from the Lewis and Clark ~~bicentennial~~ **expedition** fund
25 established by IC 9-18-47.

