

HOUSE BILL No. 1515

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 5-2-6-25; IC 9-18.5.

Synopsis: Stop human trafficking license plate. Establishes a stop human trafficking license plate. Provides that fees collected from the stop human trafficking license plates be deposited in the human trafficking prevention and victim assistance fund.

Effective: July 1, 2017.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 5-2-6-25, AS ADDED BY P.L.237-2015,
2 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 25. (a) The human trafficking prevention and
4 victim assistance fund is established for the purpose of providing funds
5 for:
6 (1) human trafficking victim services; and
7 (2) human trafficking prevention programs provided by
8 community based organizations.
9 Money in the fund may be used only to carry out the purposes of the
10 fund.
11 (b) The fund shall be administered by the institute.
12 (c) The fund consists of:
13 (1) money deposited in the fund under **IC 9-18.5-35-2 and**
14 **IC 32-30-7-24.5**;
15 (2) grants; and
16 (3) donations.
17 (d) The expenses of administering the fund shall be paid from



1 money in the fund.

2 (e) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in the fund not
3 currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same
4 manner as other public money may be invested. Interest that accrues
5 from these investments shall be deposited in the fund.

6 (f) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert
7 to the state general fund.

8 (g) The state is subrogated to the rights of a victim to whom services
9 are provided, to the extent of the services. The subrogation rights are
10 against the perpetrator of the crime or a person otherwise liable for the
11 loss. If the victim brings a civil action against the perpetrator of the
12 crime or against the person otherwise liable for the loss, the victim
13 shall promptly notify the institute of the filing of the civil action.

14 (h) In addition to the subrogation rights under subsection (g), the
15 state is entitled to a lien in the amount of the services provided on a
16 recovery made by or on behalf of the victim. The state may:

- 17 (1) recover the amount of services in a separate action; or
- 18 (2) intervene in an action brought by or on behalf of the victim.

19 SECTION 2. IC 9-18.5-2-1, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016,
20 SECTION 327, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
21 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 1. (a) A person may apply to the
22 bureau for a personalized license plate to display on the person's
23 vehicle.

24 (b) The following license plates may be designed as a personalized
25 license plate under this chapter:

- 26 (1) IC 9-18.5-4 (prisoner of war license plates).
- 27 (2) IC 9-18.5-5 (disabled Hoosier veteran license plates).
- 28 (3) IC 9-18.5-6 (Purple Heart license plates).
- 29 (4) IC 9-18.5-7 (National Guard license plates).
- 30 (5) IC 9-18.5-8 (license plates for persons with disabilities).
- 31 (6) IC 9-18.5-9 (amateur radio operator license plates).
- 32 (7) IC 9-18.5-10 (civic event license plates).
- 33 (8) IC 9-18.5-11 (In God We Trust license plates).
- 34 (9) IC 9-18.5-12 (special group recognition license plates).
- 35 (10) IC 9-18.5-13 (environmental license plates).
- 36 (11) IC 9-18.5-14 (kids first trust license plates).
- 37 (12) IC 9-18.5-15 (education license plates).
- 38 (13) IC 9-18.5-16 (Indiana FFA trust license plates).
- 39 (14) IC 9-18.5-17 (Indiana firefighter license plates).
- 40 (15) IC 9-18.5-18 (Indiana boy scouts trust license plates).
- 41 (16) IC 9-18.5-19 (D.A.R.E. Indiana trust license plates).
- 42 (17) IC 9-18.5-20 (Indiana arts trust license plates).



- 1 (18) IC 9-18.5-21 (Indiana health trust license plates).
 2 (19) IC 9-18.5-22 (Indiana Native American trust license plates).
 3 (20) IC 9-18.5-24 (Pearl Harbor survivor license plates).
 4 (21) IC 9-18.5-25 (Indiana state educational institution trust
 5 license plates).
 6 (22) IC 9-18.5-26 (Lewis and Clark expedition license plates).
 7 (23) IC 9-18.5-27 (Riley Children's Foundation license plates).
 8 (24) IC 9-18.5-28 (National Football League franchised
 9 professional football team license plates).
 10 (25) IC 9-18.5-29 (Hoosier veteran license plates).
 11 (26) IC 9-18.5-30 (support our troops license plates).
 12 (27) IC 9-18.5-31 (Abraham Lincoln bicentennial license plates).
 13 (28) IC 9-18.5-32 (Earlham College Trust license plates).
 14 (29) IC 9-18.5-33 (Indiana Gold Star family member license
 15 plates).
 16 **(30) IC 9-18.5-35 (Stop human trafficking license plates).**
 17 ~~(30)~~ **(31)** A license plate issued under IC 9-18 (before its
 18 expiration) or IC 9-18.1.

19 SECTION 3. IC 9-18.5-12-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.198-2016,
 20 SECTION 327, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 21 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2017]: Sec. 2. This chapter does not apply to
 22 the following:

- 23 (1) Historic vehicle license plates (IC 9-18.5-34).
 24 (2) Personalized license plates (IC 9-18.5-2).
 25 (3) Disabled Hoosier veteran license plates (IC 9-18.5-5).
 26 (4) Purple Heart license plates (IC 9-18.5-6).
 27 (5) National Guard license plates (IC 9-18.5-7).
 28 (6) Person with a disability license plates (IC 9-18.5-8).
 29 (7) Amateur radio operator license plates (IC 9-18.5-9).
 30 (8) In God We Trust license plates (IC 9-18.5-11).
 31 (9) Pearl Harbor survivor license plates (IC 9-18.5-24).
 32 (10) Hoosier veteran license plates (IC 9-18.5-29).
 33 (11) Support our troops license plates (IC 9-18.5-30).
 34 (12) Abraham Lincoln bicentennial license plates (IC 9-18.5-31).
 35 (13) Indiana Gold Star family member license plates
 36 (IC 9-18.5-33).
 37 **(14) Stop human trafficking license plates (IC 9-18.5-35).**

38 SECTION 4. IC 9-18.5-35 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
 39 AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
 40 JULY 1, 2017]:

41 **Chapter 35. Stop Human Trafficking License Plates**

42 **Sec. 1. The bureau shall design and issue a stop human**



1 trafficking license plate that includes the following:
2 (1) A basic design for the plate, with consecutive numbers or
3 letters, or both, to properly identify the vehicle.
4 (2) A background design, an emblem, or colors that designate
5 the license plate as a stop human trafficking license plate.
6 (3) Any other information the bureau considers necessary.
7 Sec. 2. A person may receive a stop human trafficking license
8 plate under this chapter upon doing the following:
9 (1) Completing the application for a stop human trafficking
10 license plate.
11 (2) Paying an annual fee of twenty dollars (\$20).
12 The bureau shall distribute the fee described in subdivision (2) to
13 the Indiana criminal justice institute for deposit in the human
14 trafficking prevention and victim assistance fund established under
15 IC 5-2-6-25.

