

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

Act 32 (SB 213)

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Creates a special prestige license plate for the Eagle Scouts within the Boy Scouts of America, which may be issued to passenger cars, pickup trucks, vans, and recreational vehicles. Further provides that the plate be issued, upon application, to any citizen of Louisiana in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate. Provides that the license plate shall be a color and design selected by the Boy Scouts of America. Further provides for the annual royalty fee of \$25 and a handling fee of \$3.50. Requires that the \$25 fee be paid to the Boy Scouts of America, as determined by the zip code of the purchaser's parish of origin. Requires that the Boy Scouts of America use the money solely for its Eagle Scout program.

Creates a special prestige license plate for the Louisiana Board of Professional Geoscientists, which may be issued to passenger cars, pickup trucks, vans, and recreational vehicles, provided there is a minimum of 1,000 applicants for such a plate. Further provides that the plate be issued, upon application, to any Louisiana licensed professional geoscientist in good standing. Charges the standard motor vehicle license tax, an annual royalty fee of \$25, and a handling fee of \$3.50 for the plate. Requires the Dept. of Public Safety & Corrections (DPS&C) to collect the royalty fee of \$25 and forward it to the Louisiana Board of Professional Geoscientists. Requires monies received from the royalty fees to be used solely for the programs of the board. Requires the signing of a contract authorizing use of the logo and agreeing to use the royalty fees as provided in the new law.

Creates a special prestige license plate for the Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Louisiana, which may be issued to passenger cars, pickup trucks, vans, and recreational vehicles. Further provides that the plate be issued, upon application, to any citizen of Louisiana in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate. Requires that the secretary of the DPS&C work with St. Vincent de Paul to select the plate color and design with the Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Louisiana. Further provides for the annual royalty fee of \$25 and a handling fee of \$3.50. Provides that the \$25 fee shall be paid to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Louisiana, as determined by the zip code of the purchaser's parish of origin. Requires that St. Vincent de Paul shall use the money solely to support its charitable programs.

Creates a special prestige license plate for the Southern University and A&M College Marching Band which may be issued to passenger cars, pickup trucks, vans, and recreational vehicles. Further provides that the plate be issued, upon application, to any citizen of Louisiana in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate. Provides that the license plate shall be designed in conjunction with the director of the Southern University and A&M College marching band. Further provides for the annual royalty fee of \$25 and a handling fee of \$3.50. Provides that the \$25 fee shall be paid to the Southern University System Foundation for deposit into the Human Jukebox Fund. Requires that the Southern University System Foundation utilize these funds solely for academic and financial-need-based scholarships for band members and financial assistance for band trips and activities.

Requires the DPS&C secretary promulgate rules and regulations in accordance with the APA to implement these provisions.

Effective August 1, 2015.

(Adds R.S. 47:463.71.1, 463.183, 463.184, and 463.185)