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Regular Session, 2012

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SENATE BILL NO. 557

BY SENATORS ERDEY, ADLEY, BROWN, BUFFINGTON, HEITMEIER, NEVERS AND GARY SMITH

MOTOR VEHICLES. Provides relative to special prestige license plate for Boy Scouts of America. (8/1/12)

AN ACT

2	To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.71(C), relative to the special prestige license plate for the
3	Boy Scouts of America; to provide for an annual royalty fee and for distribution of
4	collections; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R. S. 47:463.71(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:
7	§463.71. Special prestige license plate; Boy Scouts of America
8	* * *
9	C. The charge for this special license plate shall be the standard motor
10	vehicle license tax imposed by Article VII, Section 5 of the Constitution of
11	Louisiana plus a one-time an annual royalty fee of twenty-five dollars for each
12	plate, to be collected by the department every two years upon renewal of the
13	plate. The annual royalty fee shall be paid by the department to the appropriate
14	Louisiana council of the Boy Scouts of America as determined by the zip code
15	of the purchaser's parish of origin. which shall be in addition to the regular motor
16	vehicle registration license fee charged under the provisions of R.S. 47:463 and a
17	A handling fee of three dollars and fifty cents shall also be charged and which shall

be retained by the department to offset a portion of administrative costs.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Sharon F. Lyles.

DIGEST

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Present law establishes a special prestige license plate for the Boy Scouts of America.

<u>Present law</u> requires the payment of a one-time fee of \$25 for each plate in addition to the regular motor vehicle registration license fee.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the payment of an annual royalty fee of \$25 in addition to the regular motor vehicle registration license tax.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires distribution of royalty fees collected by the DPSC to the appropriate Louisiana council of the Boy Scouts of America as determined by the zip code of the purchaser's parish of origin.

Effective August 1, 2012.

(Amends R.S. 47:463.71(C))