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96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR GOODMAN.

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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## AN ACT

To amend chapter 301, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to Navy Cross special license plates.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Chapter 301, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 301.3052, to read as follows:

**301.3052. 1. Any person who has been awarded the military service award or medal known as the "Navy Cross" pursuant to 10 U.S.C. Section 6242 may apply for Navy Cross motor vehicle license plates for any motor vehicle such person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight.**

**2. Any such person shall make application for the Navy Cross license plates on a form provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof as a recipient of the Navy Cross as the director may require. The director shall then issue license plates bearing letters or numbers or a combination thereof as determined by the director with the words "NAVY CROSS" in place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE". Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Such plates shall also bear an image of the Navy Cross medal.**

**3. There shall be a fifteen-dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees charged for each set of Navy Cross license plates issued pursuant to this section. A fee for the issuance of personalized license plates pursuant to section 301.144 shall not be required for**

22 plates issued pursuant to this section. There shall be no limit on the  
23 number of license plates any person qualified pursuant to this section  
24 may obtain so long as each set of license plates issued pursuant to this  
25 section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such  
26 person. License plates issued pursuant to the provisions of this section  
27 shall not be transferable to any other person except that any registered  
28 co-owner of the motor vehicle shall be entitled to operate the motor  
29 vehicle with such plates for the duration of the year licensed in the  
30 event of the death of the qualified person.

31 4. The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and  
32 regulations for the enforcement of this section, and shall design all  
33 necessary forms required by this section. Any rule or portion of a rule,  
34 as that term is defined in section 536.010 that is created under the  
35 authority delegated in this section shall become effective only if it  
36 complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of chapter 536, and,  
37 if applicable, section 536.028. This section and chapter 536 are  
38 nonseverable and if any of the powers vested with the general assembly  
39 pursuant to chapter 536, to review, to delay the effective date, or to  
40 disapprove and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional,  
41 then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed or  
42 adopted after August 28, 2012, shall be invalid and void.

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