

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1838 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY WHITE, TAYLOR, MASSER, WARD, READSHAW, THOMAS, MILLARD, QUIGLEY, PICKETT, DIGIROLAMO, BOYLE, TOPPER, KINSEY, DAVIS, LONGIETTI, DONATUCCI, KILLION, BOBACK, CORBIN, MARSICO, A. HARRIS, MARSHALL, COHEN, SCHWEYER, KAUFFMAN, HARHAI, HARHART, SAINATO, McNEILL, DRISCOLL, KNOWLES, BULLOCK, MAJOR, SAYLOR, ZIMMERMAN, JOZWIAK, LAWRENCE, CONKLIN, GABLER, SANTORA, GREINER, BAKER, SACCONI, O'BRIEN, MALONEY, EVERETT, TOOHIL, RAPP, GINGRICH, BARRAR, PHILLIPS-HILL, FARRY, PASHINSKI, D. COSTA, KORTZ, BRADFORD, ENGLISH AND HEFFLEY, FEBRUARY 9, 2016

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, JUNE 28, 2016

AN ACT

1 ~~Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated~~ <--
2 ~~Statutes, providing for special motorcycle plates for~~
3 ~~firefighters.~~

4 AMENDING TITLE 75 (VEHICLES) OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONSOLIDATED <--
5 STATUTES, IN REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR
6 SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 ~~Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated~~ <--
10 ~~Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:~~

11 ~~§ 1361.1. Special motorcycle plates related to firefighters.~~

12 ~~Upon application of any person who is an active or alumni~~
13 ~~member of the International Association of Fire Fighters,~~
14 ~~accompanied by a fee of \$35 which shall be in addition to the~~
15 ~~annual registration fee and by such documentation as the~~

~~1 department shall require, the department shall issue to the
2 person a special registration plate designating the motorcycle
3 as belonging to a person who is a professional firefighter. The
4 special registration plate may be used only on a motorcycle. The
5 Pennsylvania Professional Fire Fighters Association Charitable
6 Foundation shall receive \$15 of the fee paid by the applicant
7 for the plate.~~

8 SECTION 1. SECTION 1341(C) OF TITLE 75 OF THE PENNSYLVANIA <--
9 CONSOLIDATED STATUTES IS AMENDED TO READ:

10 § 1341. SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES.

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12 (C) ORGANIZATION REGISTRATION PLATES.--UPON REQUEST BY THE
13 APPLICANT, THE DEPARTMENT IS AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE ORGANIZATION
14 REGISTRATION PLATES. ORGANIZATION REGISTRATION PLATES MAY BE
15 ISSUED FOR SPECIAL GROUPS OR FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES AND BEAR AN
16 APPROPRIATE DESIGNATION. SPECIAL GROUPS MAY CHARGE A FEE FOR
17 AUTHORIZATION TO REQUEST A REGISTRATION PLATE BEARING THE NAME
18 OF THE GROUP. IF THE VEHICLE IS LICENSED TO A BUSINESS THAT IS
19 NOT A MEMBER OF THE SPECIAL GROUP, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE
20 THE PLATE AS LONG AS THE BUSINESS OWNER OR OFFICER MAKING
21 APPLICATION IS A MEMBER OF THAT GROUP. AN ORGANIZATION
22 REGISTRATION PLATE MAY BE USED ONLY ON A PASSENGER CAR OR TRUCK,
23 WITH A REGISTERED GROSS WEIGHT OF NOT MORE THAN 14,000 POUNDS,
24 TRAILER, MOTORCYCLE OR MOTOR HOME.

25 Section 2. This act shall take effect in ~~60~~ 120 days. <--