

SENATE BILL 1556

By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, to authorize issuance of I RECYCLE new specialty earmarked license plates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-202(c)(7), is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

(_) I RECYCLE;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section __.

(a) Owners or lessees of motor vehicles who are residents of the state, upon complying with state motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles and paying the regular fee applicable to the motor vehicle and the fee provided for in § 55-4-203, shall be issued an I RECYCLE new specialty earmarked license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by § 55-4-210(c).

(b) The new specialty earmarked license plates provided for in this section shall be designed in consultation with Project 2000, Inc., and contain the language "I RECYCLE".

(c) The funds produced from the sale of such I RECYCLE new specialty earmarked license plates shall be allocated to Project 2000, Inc., a nonprofit organization that provides assistance to communities to encourage recycling.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.