HOUSE BILL 3365 By Maggart

SENATE BILL 3363

By Black

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, to authorize issuance of new specialty earmarked plates for Western Kentucky University.

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:

() Western Kentucky University;

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-209, is amended by deleting subdivision (1) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following language:

(1) "Collegiate plate" or "collegiate license plate" means the class of cultural

motor vehicle registration plates enumerated in § 55-4-202(c)(5)(B), which features on

each individual plate a special reference to or identification or information on:

(A) A two-year or four-year college or university located within this state;

or

(B) A four-year college or university located outside this state; provided, that Western Kentucky University new specialty earmarked plates, authorized in SECTION 3, shall not be deemed collegiate plates;

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated section:

(a) An owner or lessee of a motor vehicle who is a resident of this 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 a Western Kentucky University new specialty earmarked license plate for a motor vehicle authorized by § 55-4-210(c).

(b) The new specialty earmarked plates provided for in this section shall contain the logo or other distinctive emblem of Western Kentucky University in an appropriate design. Such plates shall be designed in consultation with a representative from the Music City alumni chapter of Western Kentucky University.

(c) The funds produced from the sale of such new specialty earmarked license plates shall be allocated to the Music City alumni chapter of Western Kentucky University in accordance with § 55-4-215 to be used for scholarship funding for Tennessee students attending Western Kentucky University.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.