

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 349

Short Title: Sports Teams Special Plates

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Sponsors: Representatives McMahan; Allred, Barbee, J. Brown, Cansler, Capps, Carpenter, Clary, Cocklereece, Cummings, Davis, Decker, Dickson, Eddins, Grady, Hayes, Justus, Kiser, Lemmond, Linney, McComas, K. Miller, Nichols, Owens, Pate, Preston, Pulley, Reynolds, Russell, Sexton, Sharpe, Sherrill, Shubert, and G. Wilson.

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Referred to: Transportation.

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March 6, 1995

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES FOR  
2 SUPPORTERS OF PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS.  
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4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 Section 1. G.S. 20-79.4(b) is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

6 "(21a) Professional Sports Supporter. – Issuable to the registered owner of a  
7 motor vehicle. The plate shall bear the logo for a particular  
8 professional sports team located in North Carolina."

9 Sec. 2. G.S. 20-81.12 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

10 "(b4) Professional Sports Supporters Plates. – The Division may, upon receipt of  
11 the 300 or more applications from supporters of a particular professional sports team  
12 located in North Carolina, develop a registration plate with a unique number and  
13 bearing the logo for that professional sports team. Provided, however, no sports  
14 supporter plate shall be developed unless the professional sports team licenses the State  
15 of North Carolina to develop the sports supporter plate bearing the official team logo."

16 Sec. 3. This act is effective upon ratification.