

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE DRS85348-LKf-239A* (5/25)

Short Title: 4-H Special Registration Plate. (Public)

Sponsors: Senators Albertson and Sloan.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A
4-H SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE.

Whereas, 4-H is an outstanding youth development program that serves almost 200,000 youth in North Carolina and over 7,000,000 youth nationally each year; and

Whereas, 4-H promotes values, integrity, leadership, and community involvement, serving as a positive influence on the youth of our society; and

Whereas, 4-H has a long and rich history in North Carolina and will celebrate its State centennial in 2009; Now, therefore,

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 20-79.4(b) reads as rewritten:

"(b) Types. – The Division shall issue the following types of special registration plates:

...

(15b) 4-H. – Issuable to the registered owner of a motor vehicle in accordance with G.S. 20-81.12. The plate shall bear '4-H' and the 4-H four-leaf clover logo. The Division may not issue the plate authorized by this subdivision unless it receives at least 300 applications for the plate."

SECTION 2. G.S. 20-79.7(a) reads as rewritten:

"(a) Fees. – Upon request, the Division shall provide and issue free of charge one registration plate to a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor, a 100% disabled veteran, and an ex-prisoner of war. All other special registration plates, including additional Congressional Medal of Honor, 100% Disabled Veteran, and Ex-Prisoner of War plates, are subject to the regular motor vehicle registration fee in G.S. 20-87 or G.S. 20-88 plus an additional fee in the following amount:

	<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>Additional Fee Amount</u>
1		
2	<u>4-H</u>	<u>\$35.00</u>
3		
4	Crystal Coast	\$30.00
5	Historical Attraction	\$30.00
6	Personalized	\$30.00
7	State Attraction	\$30.00
8	Buffalo Soldiers	\$25.00
9	Collegiate Insignia	\$25.00
10	Goodness Grows	\$25.00
11	Kids First	\$25.00
12	Olympic Games	\$25.00
13	NC Agribusiness	\$25.00
14	NC Coastal Federation	\$25.00
15	Nurses	\$25.00
16	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation	\$25.00
17	Special Olympics	\$25.00
18	Surveyor Plate	\$25.00
19	The V Foundation for Cancer Research Division	\$25.00
20	University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina	\$25.00
21	Animal Lovers	\$20.00
22	Audubon North Carolina	\$20.00
23	Be Active NC	\$20.00
24	Ducks Unlimited	\$20.00
25	Harley Owners' Group	\$20.00
26	First in Forestry	\$20.00
27	Litter Prevention	\$20.00
28	March of Dimes	\$20.00
29	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$20.00
30	Save the Sea Turtles	\$20.00
31	Scenic Rivers	\$20.00
32	School Technology	\$20.00
33	Soil and Water Conservation	\$20.00
34	Special Forces Association	\$20.00
35	Support Public Schools	\$20.00
36	Wildlife Resources	\$20.00
37	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$20.00
38	Active Member of the National Guard	None
39	100% Disabled Veteran	None
40	Ex-Prisoner of War	None
41	Legion of Valor	None
42	Purple Heart Recipient	None
43	Silver Star Recipient	None
44		

1 All Other Special Plates \$10.00."

2 **SECTION 3.** G.S. 20-79.7(b) reads as rewritten:

3 "(b) Distribution of Fees. – The Special Registration Plate Account and the
4 Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account are established within the Highway
5 Fund. The Division must credit the additional fee imposed for the special registration
6 plates listed in subsection (a) among the Special Registration Plate Account (SRPA), the
7 Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account (CCAPA), the Natural Heritage Trust
8 Fund (NHTF), which is established under G.S. 113-77.7, and the Parks and Recreation
9 Trust Fund, which is established under G.S. 113-44.15, as follows:

10	<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>SRPA</u>	<u>CCAPA</u>	<u>NHTF</u>	<u>PRTF</u>
11					
12	Animal Lovers	\$10	\$10	0	0
13	Audubon North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
14	Be Active NC	\$10	\$10	0	0
15	Buffalo Soldiers	\$10	\$15	0	0
16	Crystal Coast	\$10	\$20	0	0
17	Ducks Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
18	First in Forestry	\$10	0	\$10	0
19	<u>4-H</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$25</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
20	Goodness Grows	\$10	\$15	0	0
21	Harley Owners' Group	\$10	\$10	0	0
22	Historical Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
23	In-State Collegiate Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
24	Kids First	\$10	\$15	0	0
25	Litter Prevention	\$10	\$10	0	0
26	March of Dimes	\$10	\$10	0	0
27	NC Agribusiness	\$10	\$15	0	0
28	NC Coastal Federation	\$10	\$15	0	0
29	Nurses	\$10	\$15	0	0
30	Olympic Games	\$10	\$15	0	0
31	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
32	Out-of-state Collegiate Insignia	10	0	\$15	0
33	Personalized	\$10	0	\$15	\$5
34	Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation	\$10	\$15	0	0
35	Save the Sea Turtles	\$10	\$10	0	0
36	Scenic Rivers	\$10	\$10	0	0
37	School Technology	\$10	\$10	0	0
38	Soil and Water Conservation	\$10	\$10	0	0
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1	Cancer Research	\$10	\$15	0	0
2	University Health Systems of				
3	Eastern Carolina	\$10	\$15	0	0
4	Wildlife Resources	\$10	\$10	0	0
5	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$10	\$10	0	0
6	All other Special Plates	\$10	0	0	0."

7 **SECTION 4.** G.S. 20-81.12 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

8 "(b31) 4-H. – The Division must receive 300 or more applications for the 4-H plate
9 before the plate may be developed. The Division shall transfer quarterly the money in
10 the Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account derived from the sale of the 4-H
11 plates to The 4-h Club foundation of North Carolina, Inc., to support three initiatives:
12 county 4-H programs in all 100 counties and on the Qualla boundary, the NC State 4-H
13 program, and for repair and renovations at the five 4-H camps and conference centers in
14 this State."

15 **SECTION 5.** This act is effective when it becomes law.