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**Proposed Amendment**  
**Submitted by Assemblyman Don Gustavson**

**Goal:** Add an additional special license plate to this bill. The addition is similar to the provisions of AB 115 and follows the same format as other special license plate bills. This special license plate would support rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution and the additional funds it would raise would be deposited in the Trust Fund for the Education of Dependent Children created pursuant to NRS 396.545 which is a University of Nevada scholarship fund for tuition fees and expenses of a dependent child of a law enforcement officer or other emergency personnel killed in the line of duty. (The provisions of NRS 396.545 are set forth at the end of this document for reference.)

**Suggested language:**

1. Amend the bill as a whole by adding a new section to read as follows:

**Section --.** Chapter 482 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

*1. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the Department, in cooperation with the organizations in this state which conduct courses at schools regarding the safe handling and use of firearms, shall design, prepare and issue license plates indicating support for the rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution, using any colors that the Department deems appropriate. The Department shall not design, prepare or issue the license plates unless it receives at least 1,000 applications for the issuance of those plates.*

*2. If the Department receives at least 1,000 applications for the issuance of license plates indicating support for the rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution, the Department:*

*(a) Shall issue those plates for a passenger car or light commercial vehicle upon application by a person who is entitled to license plates pursuant to NRS 482.265 and who otherwise complies with the requirements for registration and licensing pursuant to this chapter; and*

*(b) May, except as otherwise provided in this paragraph and after approving the final design of the plates, issue those plates for a trailer or other type of vehicle that is*

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*not a passenger car or light commercial vehicle, excluding motorcycles and vehicles required to be registered with the Department pursuant to NRS 706.801 to 706.861, inclusive, upon application by a person who is entitled to license plates pursuant to NRS 482.265 and who otherwise complies with the requirements for registration and licensing pursuant to this chapter if the Department determines that the manufacture of the plates for such other types of vehicles is feasible. If the Department incurs additional costs to manufacture the plates described in this paragraph, including, without limitation, costs associated with the purchase, manufacture or modification of dies or other equipment as necessary to manufacture the plates for such other types of vehicles, those additional costs must be paid from private sources without any expense to the State of Nevada.*

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*A person may request that personalized prestige license plates issued pursuant to NRS 482.3667 be combined with license plates indicating support for the rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution if that person pays the fees for the personalized prestige license plates in addition to the fees for the license plates indicating support for the rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution pursuant to subsections 3 and 4.*

*3. The fee for license plates indicating support for the rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution is \$35, in addition to all other applicable registration and license fees and governmental services taxes. The license plates are renewable upon the payment of \$10.*

*4. In addition to all fees for the license, registration and governmental services taxes, a person who requests a set of license plates indicating support for the rights guaranteed pursuant to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution must pay for the initial issuance of the plates an additional fee of \$25 and for each renewal of the plates an additional fee of \$20, to be deposited in accordance with subsection 5.*

*5. The Department shall deposit the fees collected pursuant to subsection 4 with the State Treasurer for credit to the Trust Fund for the Education of Dependent Children, created by NRS 396.545.*

*6. If, during a registration year, the holder of license plates issued pursuant to the provisions of this section disposes of the vehicle to which the plates are affixed, the holder shall:*

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*(a) Retain the plates and affix them to another vehicle that meets the requirements of this section if the holder pays the fee for the transfer of the registration and any registration fee or governmental services tax due pursuant to NRS 482.399; or*

*(b) Within 30 days after removing the plates from the vehicle, return them to the Department.*

2. Adjust the references in the bill appropriately in existing sections to reflect that there will be more than one separate special license plates in the bill.

3. Adjust the title and summary appropriately.

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**NRS 396.545 Payment of fees and expenses of dependent child of police or highway patrol officer, fireman or volunteer ambulance driver or attendant killed in line of duty or service; creation of Trust Fund for Education of Dependent Children.**

1. To the extent of legislative appropriation, the Board of Regents shall pay all registration fees, laboratory fees and expenses for required textbooks and course materials assessed against or incurred by a dependent child of:

(a) A police officer, fireman or officer of the Nevada Highway Patrol who was killed in the line of duty; or

(b) A volunteer ambulance driver or attendant who was killed while engaged as a volunteer ambulance driver or attendant, for classes taken towards satisfying the requirements of an undergraduate degree at a school within the University and Community College System of Nevada. No such payment may be made for any fee assessed after the child reaches the age of 23 years.

2. There is hereby created in the State Treasury a Trust Fund for the Education of Dependent Children. The Board of Regents shall administer the Trust Fund. The Board of Regents may accept gifts and grants for deposit in the Trust Fund. All money held by the State Treasurer or received by the Board of Regents for that purpose must be deposited in the Trust Fund. The money in the Trust Fund must be invested as the money in other state funds is invested. After deducting all applicable charges, all interest and income earned on the money in the Trust Fund must be credited to the Trust Fund.

3. As used in this section:

(a) "Fireman" means a person who is a salaried employee or volunteer member of a fire prevention or suppression unit organized by a local government and whose principal duty is to control and extinguish fires.

(b) "Local government" means a county, city, unincorporated town or metropolitan police department.

(c) "Police officer" means a person who is a salaried employee of a police department or other law enforcement agency organized or operated by a local government and whose principal duty is to enforce the law.

(d) "Volunteer ambulance driver or attendant" means a person who is a driver of or attendant on an ambulance owned or operated by:

(1) A nonprofit organization that provides volunteer ambulance service in any county, city or town in this state; or

(2) A political subdivision of this state.