

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 379—ASSEMBLYMAN C.H. MILLER

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Referred to Committee on Growth and Infrastructure

SUMMARY—Revises provisions governing license plate decals. (BDR 43-985)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No. Effect on the State: No.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; removing provisions governing the issuance and display of license plate decals evidencing the current registration of a motor vehicle; removing the requirement for a license plate to display the month and year the vehicle registration expires; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

Existing law requires every motor vehicle license plate to have displayed on it: (1) the year the registration of the motor vehicle expires, if issued for the calendar year; or (2) the month and year the registration of the motor vehicle expires, if issued for a registration period other than a calendar year. (NRS 482.270) Existing law authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles, upon renewal of registration, to issue one or more license plate stickers, tabs or other suitable devices in lieu of new license plates. (NRS 482.265) **Section 5** of this bill provides that the license plates issued by the Department are not required to display the year or the month and year, as applicable, that the registration expires. **Section 4** of this bill removes the authorization for the Department to issue license plate stickers, tabs or other suitable devices in lieu of new license plates.

Existing law requires the Department to issue a permanent license plate decal to a short-term lessor of vehicles who registers through the fleet registration program established by the Department for such lessors. (NRS 482.2085) **Section 2** of this bill removes the requirement for the Department to issue a permanent license plate decal.

Existing law requires a person to whom any license plate decal is issued to immediately make application for and obtain a substitute decal if the decal is lost, mutilated, illegible or stolen. (NRS 482.285) **Section 9** of this bill removes this requirement.

Sections 3, 6-8 and 10-25 of this bill remove references to the issuance and display of license plate registration decals, stickers and tabs.



THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** NRS 482.206 is hereby amended to read as follows:

2 482.206 1. Except as otherwise provided in this section and
3 NRS 482.2065 and 482.2085, every motor vehicle, except for a
4 motor vehicle that is required to be registered through the Motor
5 Carrier Division of the Department, and except for a full trailer or
6 semitrailer that is registered pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS
7 482.483 or a moped registered pursuant to NRS 482.2155, must be
8 registered for a period of 12 consecutive months beginning the day
9 after the first registration by the owner in this State.

10 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsections 7 and 8 and
11 NRS 482.2065, every vehicle registered by an agent of the
12 Department or a registered dealer must be registered for 12
13 consecutive months beginning the first day of the month after the
14 first registration by the owner in this State.

15 3. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 7 and NRS
16 482.2065 and 482.2085, a motor vehicle which must be registered
17 through the Motor Carrier Division of the Department, including,
18 without limitation:

19 (a) Pursuant to the provisions of NRS 706.801 to 706.861,
20 inclusive; or

21 (b) As a commercial motor vehicle which has a declared gross
22 weight in excess of 10,000 pounds,

23 ➔ must be registered for a period of 12 consecutive months
24 beginning on the date established by the Department by regulation.

25 4. Upon the application of the owner of a fleet of vehicles
26 which are not required to be registered through the Motor Carrier
27 Division of the Department, the Director may permit the owner to
28 register the fleet on the basis of a calendar year.

29 5. Except as otherwise provided in subsections 3, 6, 7 and 8,
30 when the registration of any vehicle is transferred pursuant to NRS
31 482.399, the expiration date of each regular license plate ~~[.]~~ *or*
32 special license plate ~~[or substitute decal]~~ must, at the time of the
33 transfer of registration, be advanced for a period of 12 consecutive
34 months beginning:

35 (a) The first day of the month after the transfer, if the vehicle is
36 transferred by an agent of the Department; or

37 (b) The day after the transfer in all other cases,

38 ➔ and a credit on the portion of the fee for registration and the
39 governmental services tax attributable to the remainder of
40 the current period of registration must be allowed pursuant to the
41 applicable provisions of NRS 482.399.



1 6. When the registration of any trailer that is registered for a 3-
2 year period pursuant to NRS 482.2065 is transferred pursuant to
3 NRS 482.399, the expiration date of each license plate ~~for substitute~~
4 ~~decal~~ must, at the time of the transfer of the registration, be
5 advanced, if applicable pursuant to NRS 482.2065, for a period of 3
6 consecutive years beginning:

7 (a) The first day of the month after the transfer, if the trailer is
8 transferred by an agent of the Department; or

9 (b) The day after the transfer in all other cases,

10 ↪ and a credit on the portion of the fee for registration and the
11 governmental services tax attributable to the remainder of
12 the current period of registration must be allowed pursuant to the
13 applicable provisions of NRS 482.399.

14 7. A full trailer or semitrailer that is registered pursuant to
15 subsection 3 of NRS 482.483 is registered until the date on which
16 the owner of the full trailer or semitrailer:

17 (a) Transfers the ownership of the full trailer or semitrailer; or

18 (b) Cancels the registration of the full trailer or semitrailer and
19 surrenders the license plates to the Department.

20 8. A moped that is registered pursuant to NRS 482.2155 is
21 registered until the date on which the owner of the moped:

22 (a) Transfers the ownership of the moped; or

23 (b) Cancels the registration of the moped and surrenders the
24 license plate to the Department.

25 **Sec. 2.** NRS 482.2085 is hereby amended to read as follows:

26 482.2085 1. The Department shall establish a vehicle
27 registration program for short-term lessors that have a fleet of
28 vehicles registered in this State to allow the short-term lessors which
29 satisfy the requirements for eligibility established by the Department
30 to submit to the Department:

31 (a) Applications for initial registration of vehicles added to the
32 fleet, which must include, without limitation, the information
33 required by NRS 482.295.

34 (b) Applications for the renewal of the registration of vehicles in
35 the fleet, including, without limitation, the information required by
36 NRS 482.295.

37 (c) Payment of the registration fees and governmental services
38 taxes due for the initial registration and renewal of vehicles in the
39 fleet, including, without limitation, any sales or use tax due pursuant
40 to NRS 482.225.

41 2. The Department shall issue for each vehicle in the fleet of a
42 short-term lessor that is registered pursuant to this section a ~~[-~~

43 ~~—(a) Certificate]~~ *certificate* of registration . ~~[-~~ and



1 ~~—(b) Decal indicating the registration status of the vehicle~~
2 ~~pursuant to the program, which must be affixed to the license plate~~
3 ~~of each vehicle.]~~

4 3. A certificate of registration ~~[and decal]~~ issued pursuant to
5 this section ~~[are]~~ *is* valid for the vehicle until the vehicle is no longer
6 a part of the fleet of the short-term lessor, unless the short-term
7 lessor fails to renew the registration. ~~[The short term lessor must not~~
8 ~~be required to display on the license plate of a vehicle registered~~
9 ~~pursuant to this section the month and year on which the registration~~
10 ~~expires.]~~

11 4. The Department shall provide to a short-term lessor that
12 participates in the program established pursuant to subsection 1
13 electronic notice of the required renewal of registration for a vehicle
14 in the fleet, which must be sent at least 30 days before payment is
15 due. Notification sent pursuant to this subsection must include the
16 information required pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 482.280 for
17 other renewals.

18 5. A short-term lessor that participates in the program
19 established pursuant to subsection 1 must:

20 (a) Pay annually the renewal fees and governmental services
21 taxes required for each fleet vehicle registered in this State.

22 (b) Upon removing a vehicle from the fleet, notify the
23 Department.

24 6. Any vehicle having a declared gross weight in excess of
25 26,000 pounds is not eligible to be registered as part of a fleet
26 pursuant to this section.

27 7. The Department shall adopt regulations necessary to carry
28 out the provisions of this section. The regulations must include,
29 without limitation, the number of vehicles that a short-term lessor
30 must possess as part of the fleet to participate in the program.

31 **Sec. 3.** NRS 482.216 is hereby amended to read as follows:

32 482.216 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2155,
33 upon the request of a new vehicle dealer, the Department may
34 authorize the new vehicle dealer to:

35 (a) Accept applications for the registration of the new motor
36 vehicles he or she sells and the related fees and taxes;

37 (b) Issue certificates of registration to applicants who satisfy the
38 requirements of this chapter; and

39 (c) Accept applications for the transfer of registration pursuant
40 to NRS 482.399 if the applicant purchased from the new vehicle
41 dealer a new vehicle to which the registration is to be transferred.

42 2. A new vehicle dealer who is authorized to issue certificates
43 of registration pursuant to subsection 1 shall:

44 (a) Transmit the applications received to the Department within
45 the period prescribed by the Department;



1 (b) Transmit the fees collected from the applicants and properly
2 account for them within the period prescribed by the Department;

3 (c) Comply with the regulations adopted pursuant to subsection
4 5; and

5 (d) Bear any cost of equipment which is necessary to issue
6 certificates of registration, including any computer hardware or
7 software.

8 3. A new vehicle dealer who is authorized to issue certificates
9 of registration pursuant to subsection 1 shall not:

10 (a) Charge any additional fee for the performance of those
11 services;

12 (b) Receive compensation from the Department for the
13 performance of those services;

14 (c) Accept applications for the renewal of registration of a motor
15 vehicle; or

16 (d) Accept an application for the registration of a motor vehicle
17 if the applicant wishes to:

18 (1) Obtain special license plates pursuant to NRS 482.3667
19 to 482.3823, inclusive; or

20 (2) Claim the exemption from the governmental services tax
21 provided pursuant to NRS 361.1565 to veterans and their relations.

22 4. The provisions of this section do not apply to the registration
23 of a moped pursuant to NRS 482.2155.

24 5. The Director shall adopt such regulations as are necessary to
25 carry out the provisions of this section. The regulations adopted
26 pursuant to this subsection must provide for:

27 (a) The expedient and secure issuance of license plates ~~and~~
28 ~~decal~~ by the Department; and

29 (b) The withdrawal of the authority granted to a new vehicle
30 dealer pursuant to subsection 1 if that dealer fails to comply with the
31 regulations adopted by the Department.

32 **Sec. 4.** NRS 482.265 is hereby amended to read as follows:

33 482.265 1. The Department shall furnish to every owner
34 whose vehicle is registered two license plates for a motor vehicle
35 other than a motorcycle or moped and one license plate for all other
36 vehicles required to be registered hereunder. ~~[Except as otherwise~~
37 ~~provided in NRS 482.2085 and 482.2155, upon renewal of~~
38 ~~registration, the Department may issue one or more license plate~~
39 ~~stickers, tabs or other suitable devices in lieu of new license plates.]~~

40 2. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2065, 482.266,
41 482.2705, 482.274, 482.379 and 482.37901, every 8 years the
42 Department shall reissue a license plate or plates at the time of
43 renewal of each license plate or plates issued pursuant to this
44 chapter. The Director may adopt regulations to provide procedures
45 for such reissuance.



1 3. The Director shall have the authority to require the return to
2 the Department of all number plates upon termination of the lawful
3 use thereof by the owner under this chapter.

4 4. Except as otherwise specifically provided by statute, for the
5 issuance of each special license plate authorized pursuant to this
6 chapter:

7 (a) The fee to be received by the Department for the initial
8 issuance of the special license plate is \$35, exclusive of any
9 additional fee which may be added to generate funds for a particular
10 cause or charitable organization;

11 (b) The fee to be received by the Department for the renewal of
12 the special license plate is \$10, exclusive of any additional fee
13 which may be added to generate financial support for a particular
14 cause or charitable organization; and

15 (c) The Department shall not design, prepare or issue a special
16 license plate unless, within 4 years after the date on which the
17 measure authorizing the issuance becomes effective, it receives at
18 least 250 applications for the issuance of that plate.

19 5. The provisions of subsection 4 do not apply to
20 NRS 482.37901.

21 **Sec. 5.** NRS 482.270 is hereby amended to read as follows:

22 482.270 1. Except as otherwise provided in this section or by
23 specific statute, the Director shall order the redesign and preparation
24 of motor vehicle license plates.

25 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, the
26 Department may, upon the payment of all applicable fees, issue
27 redesigned motor vehicle license plates.

28 3. The Department shall not issue redesigned motor vehicle
29 license plates pursuant to this section to a person who was issued
30 motor vehicle license plates before January 1, 1982, or pursuant to
31 NRS 482.2155, 482.3747, 482.3763, 482.3783, 482.379 or
32 482.37901, without the approval of the person.

33 4. The Director may determine and vary the size, shape and
34 form and the material of which license plates are made, but each
35 license plate must be of sufficient size to be plainly readable from a
36 distance of 100 feet during daylight. All license plates must be
37 treated to reflect light and to be at least 100 times brighter than
38 conventional painted number plates. When properly mounted on an
39 unlighted vehicle, the license plates, when viewed from a vehicle
40 equipped with standard headlights, must be visible for a distance of
41 not less than 1,500 feet and readable for a distance of not less than
42 110 feet.

43 5. Every license plate must have displayed upon it:

44 (a) The registration number, or combination of letters and
45 numbers, assigned to the vehicle and to the owner thereof; **and**



1 (b) The name of this State, which may be abbreviated . ~~;~~

2 ~~—(c) If issued for a calendar year, the year; and~~

3 ~~—(d) Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2085, if issued for~~
4 ~~a registration period other than a calendar year, the month and year~~
5 ~~the registration expires.]~~

6 6. Each special license plate that is designed, prepared and
7 issued pursuant to NRS 482.367002 must be designed and prepared
8 in such a manner that:

9 (a) The left-hand one-third of the plate is the only part of the
10 plate on which is displayed any design or other insignia that is
11 suggested pursuant to paragraph (g) of subsection 2 of that section;
12 and

13 (b) The remainder of the plate conforms to the requirements for
14 lettering and design that are set forth in this section.

15 *7. A license plate produced pursuant to this section is not*
16 *required to have displayed upon it the year or the month and year*
17 *the registration expires.*

18 **Sec. 6.** NRS 482.2705 is hereby amended to read as follows:

19 482.2705 1. The Director shall order the preparation of
20 vehicle license plates for passenger cars and trucks in the same
21 manner as is provided for motor vehicles generally in NRS 482.270.

22 2. Except as otherwise provided by specific statute, the
23 Director shall determine the combinations of letters and numbers
24 which constitute the designations for license plates assigned to
25 passenger cars and trucks.

26 3. Any license plate issued for a passenger car or truck before
27 January 1, 1982, bearing a designation which is not in conformance
28 with the system described in subsection 2 is:

29 (a) Valid during the period for which the plate was originally
30 issued as well as during any extensions ; ~~[by stickers;]~~ and

31 (b) Not subject to reissue pursuant to subsection 2 of
32 NRS 482.265.

33 **Sec. 7.** NRS 482.274 is hereby amended to read as follows:

34 482.274 1. The Director shall order the preparation of vehicle
35 license plates for trailers in the same manner provided for motor
36 vehicles in NRS 482.270 . ~~[-, except that a vehicle license plate~~

37 ~~prepared for a full trailer or semitrailer that is registered pursuant to~~
38 ~~subsection 3 of NRS 482.483 is not required to have displayed upon~~
39 ~~it the month and year the registration expires.]~~

40 2. The Director shall order preparation of two sizes of vehicle
41 license plates for trailers. The smaller plates may be used for trailers
42 with a gross vehicle weight of less than 1,000 pounds.

43 3. The Director shall determine the registration numbers
44 assigned to trailers.



1 4. Any license plates issued for a trailer before July 1, 1975,
2 bearing a different designation from that provided for in this section,
3 are valid during the period for which such plates were issued.

4 5. Any license plates issued for a trailer before January 1,
5 1982, are not subject to reissue pursuant to subsection 2 of
6 NRS 482.265.

7 6. The Department shall not issue for a full trailer or semitrailer
8 that is registered pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 482.483 a special
9 license plate available pursuant to NRS 482.3667 to 482.3823,
10 inclusive.

11 **Sec. 8.** NRS 482.280 is hereby amended to read as follows:

12 482.280 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2155,
13 the registration of every vehicle expires at midnight on the day
14 specified on the receipt of registration, unless the day specified falls
15 on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. If the day specified on the
16 receipt of registration is a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the
17 registration of the vehicle expires at midnight on the next judicial
18 day. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2085, the
19 Department shall mail to each holder of a certificate of registration a
20 notification for renewal of registration for the following period of
21 registration. The notifications must be mailed by the Department in
22 sufficient time to allow all applicants to mail the notifications to the
23 Department or to renew the certificate of registration at a kiosk or
24 authorized inspection station or via the Internet or an interactive
25 response system and to receive new certificates of registration and
26 license plates ~~[stickers, tabs or other suitable devices]~~ by mail
27 before the expiration of their registrations. An applicant may present
28 or submit the notification to any agent or office of the Department.

29 2. A notification:

30 (a) Mailed or presented to the Department or to a county
31 assessor pursuant to the provisions of this section;

32 (b) Submitted to the Department pursuant to NRS 482.294; or

33 (c) Presented to an authorized inspection station or authorized
34 station pursuant to the provisions of NRS 482.281,

35 ↪ must include, if required, evidence of compliance with standards
36 for the control of emissions.

37 3. The Department shall include with each notification mailed
38 pursuant to subsection 1:

39 (a) The amount of the governmental services tax to be collected
40 pursuant to the provisions of NRS 482.260.

41 (b) The amount set forth in a notice of nonpayment filed with
42 the Department by a local authority pursuant to NRS 484B.527.

43 (c) A statement which informs the applicant:

44 (1) That, pursuant to NRS 485.185, the applicant is legally
45 required to maintain insurance during the period in which the motor



1 vehicle is registered which must be provided by an insurance
2 company licensed by the Division of Insurance of the Department of
3 Business and Industry and approved to do business in this State; and

4 (2) Of any other applicable requirements set forth in chapter
5 485 of NRS and any regulations adopted pursuant thereto.

6 (d) A statement which informs the applicant that, if the applicant
7 is required to report the mileage or any other information required
8 by the Department pursuant to NRS 482.2177, the applicant must
9 submit to the Department the mileage shown on the odometer of the
10 vehicle at the time of application for renewal and any other
11 information required by the Department.

12 (e) A statement which informs the applicant that, if the applicant
13 renews a certificate of registration at a kiosk or via the Internet, he
14 or she may make a nonrefundable monetary contribution of \$2 for
15 each vehicle registration renewed for the Complete Streets Program,
16 if any, created pursuant to NRS 244.2643, 277A.285 or 403.575, as
17 applicable, based on the declaration made pursuant to paragraph (c)
18 of subsection 3 of NRS 482.215. The notification must state in a
19 clear and conspicuous manner that a contribution for a Complete
20 Streets Program is nonrefundable and voluntary and is in addition to
21 any fees required for registration.

22 (f) Any amount due for reissuance of a license plate or a plate
23 reissued pursuant to subsection 2 of NRS 482.265, if applicable.

24 4. An application for renewal of a certificate of registration
25 submitted at a kiosk or via the Internet must include a statement
26 which informs the applicant that he or she may make a
27 nonrefundable monetary contribution of \$2, for each vehicle
28 registration which is renewed at a kiosk or via the Internet, for the
29 Complete Streets Program, if any, created pursuant to NRS
30 244.2643, 277A.285 or 403.575, as applicable, based on the
31 declaration made pursuant to paragraph (c) of subsection 3 of NRS
32 482.215. The application must state in a clear and conspicuous
33 manner that a contribution for a Complete Streets Program is
34 nonrefundable and voluntary and is in addition to any fees required
35 for registration, and must include a method by which the applicant
36 must indicate his or her intention to opt in or opt out of making such
37 a contribution.

38 5. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2918, an owner
39 who has made proper application for renewal of registration before
40 the expiration of the current registration but who has not received
41 the license plate or plates or card of registration for the ensuing
42 period of registration is entitled to operate or permit the operation of
43 that vehicle upon the highways upon displaying thereon the license
44 plate or plates issued for the preceding period of registration for
45 such a time as may be prescribed by the Department as it may find



1 necessary for the issuance of the new plate or plates or card of
2 registration.

3 **Sec. 9.** NRS 482.285 is hereby amended to read as follows:

4 482.285 1. If any certificate of registration or certificate of
5 title is lost, mutilated or illegible, the person to whom it was issued
6 shall immediately make application for and obtain a duplicate or
7 substitute therefor upon furnishing information satisfactory to the
8 Department and upon payment of the required fees. An applicant
9 who is unable to furnish information satisfactory to the Department
10 that the applicant is entitled to a duplicate or substitute certificate of
11 title pursuant to this subsection may obtain a new certificate of title
12 pursuant to the provisions of NRS 482.2605.

13 2. If any license plate ~~[or plates or any decal]~~ is lost, mutilated
14 or illegible, the person to whom it was issued shall immediately
15 make application for and obtain ~~;~~

16 ~~—(a) A] a duplicate number plate or a substitute number plate , ;~~

17 ~~—(b) A substitute decal; or~~

18 ~~—(c) A combination of both (a) and (b);~~

19 ~~→] as appropriate, upon furnishing information satisfactory to the~~
20 Department and payment of the fees required by NRS 482.500.

21 3. If any license plate ~~[or plates or any decal]~~ is stolen, the
22 person to whom it was issued shall immediately make application
23 for and obtain ~~;~~

24 ~~—(a) A] a substitute number plate , ;~~

25 ~~—(b) A substitute decal; or~~

26 ~~—(c) A combination of both (a) and (b);~~

27 ~~→ as appropriate.] upon furnishing information satisfactory to the~~
28 Department and payment of the fees required by NRS 482.500.

29 4. The Department shall issue duplicate number plates or
30 substitute number plates ~~[and, if applicable, a substitute decal.]~~ if the
31 applicant:

32 (a) Returns the mutilated or illegible plates to the Department or
33 signs a declaration that the plates were lost, mutilated or illegible;
34 and

35 (b) Complies with the provisions of subsection 6.

36 5. The Department shall issue substitute number plates ~~[and, if~~
37 ~~applicable, a substitute decal.]~~ if the applicant:

38 (a) Signs a declaration that the plates were stolen; and

39 (b) Complies with the provisions of subsection 6.

40 6. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, an applicant
41 who desires duplicate number plates or substitute number plates
42 must make application for renewal of registration. Except as
43 otherwise provided in subsection 7 or 8 of NRS 482.260, credit
44 must be allowed for the portion of the registration fee and
45 governmental services tax attributable to the remainder of the



1 current registration period. In lieu of making application for renewal
2 of registration, an applicant may elect to make application solely
3 for:

4 (a) Duplicate number plates or substitute number plates ~~[, and a~~
5 ~~substitute decal,]~~ if the previous license plates were lost, mutilated
6 or illegible; or

7 (b) Substitute number plates ~~[and a substitute decal,]~~ if the
8 previous license plates were stolen.

9 7. An applicant who makes the election described in subsection
10 6 retains the current date of expiration for the registration of the
11 applicable vehicle and is not, as a prerequisite to receiving duplicate
12 number plates or substitute number plates , ~~[for a substitute decal,]~~
13 required to:

14 (a) Submit evidence of compliance with controls over emission;
15 or

16 (b) Pay the registration fee and governmental services tax
17 attributable to a full period of registration.

18 **Sec. 10.** NRS 482.31527 is hereby amended to read as
19 follows:

20 482.31527 “Vehicle licensing costs” means:

21 1. The fees paid by a short-term lessor for the registration of,
22 and the issuance of certificates of title for, the passenger cars leased
23 by the short-term lessor, including, without limitation, fees for
24 license plates ~~[and license plate decals, stickers and tabs,]~~ and
25 inspection fees; and

26 2. The basic and supplemental governmental services taxes
27 paid by the short-term lessor with regard to those passenger cars.

28 **Sec. 11.** NRS 482.367 is hereby amended to read as follows:

29 482.367 1. The Department shall charge and collect the
30 following fees for the issuance of personalized prestige license
31 plates, which fees are in addition to all other license fees and
32 applicable taxes:

- 33 (a) For the first issuance\$35
- 34 (b) For ~~[a]~~ *the* renewal ~~[sticker]~~.....20
- 35 (c) For changing to another personalized prestige
36 license plate.....35

37 2. The additional fees collected by the Department for the
38 issuing of personalized prestige license plates must be deposited
39 with the State Treasurer to the credit of the Motor Vehicle Fund.

40 **Sec. 12.** NRS 482.375 is hereby amended to read as follows:

41 482.375 1. An owner of a motor vehicle who is a resident of
42 the State of Nevada and who holds an unrevoked and unexpired
43 official amateur radio station license issued by the Federal
44 Communications Commission, upon application accompanied by
45 proof of ownership of that license, complying with the state motor



1 vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles,
2 and upon the payment of the regular license fee for plates as
3 prescribed by law, and the payment of an additional fee of \$35, must
4 be issued a license plate or plates, upon which in lieu of the numbers
5 as prescribed by law must be inscribed the words "RADIO
6 AMATEUR" and the official amateur radio call letters of the
7 applicant as assigned by the Federal Communications Commission.
8 The annual fee ~~for a renewal sticker~~ *to renew the plate or plates* is
9 \$10 unless waived by the Department pursuant to subsection 2. The
10 plate or plates may be used only on a private passenger car, trailer or
11 travel trailer or on a noncommercial truck, except that such plates
12 may not be used on a full trailer or semitrailer that is registered
13 pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 482.483.

14 2. The Department may waive the annual fee ~~for a renewal~~
15 ~~sticker~~ *to renew the plate or plates* if the applicant for renewal:

16 (a) Has submitted to the Department a statement under penalty
17 of perjury that the applicant is the holder of an unrevoked and
18 unexpired official amateur radio station license as required pursuant
19 to subsection 1 and will assist in communications during local, state
20 and federal emergencies; and

21 (b) Satisfies any other requirements established by the
22 Department by regulation for such a waiver.

23 3. The cost of the die and modifications necessary for the
24 issuance of a license plate pursuant to this section must be paid from
25 private sources without any expense to the State of Nevada.

26 4. The Department may adopt regulations:

27 (a) To ensure compliance with all state license laws relating to
28 the use and operation of a motor vehicle before issuance of the
29 plates in lieu of the regular Nevada license plate or plates.

30 (b) Setting forth the requirements and procedure for obtaining a
31 waiver of the annual fee ~~for a renewal sticker~~ *to renew the plate or*
32 *plates* except that an applicant for the waiver must not be required to
33 submit to the Department the statement required pursuant to
34 paragraph (a) of subsection 2 more than once.

35 5. All applications for the plates authorized by this section
36 must be made to the Department.

37 6. If, during a registration period, the holder of license plates
38 issued pursuant to this section is no longer eligible to hold the
39 license plates pursuant to subsection 1, he or she shall surrender any
40 of those license plates in his or her possession to the Department
41 and is entitled to receive regular Nevada license plates.

42 **Sec. 13.** NRS 482.3755 is hereby amended to read as follows:

43 482.3755 1. An owner of a motor vehicle who is a resident of
44 this State and is a member of the Nevada Wing of the Civil Air
45 Patrol may, upon application on a form prescribed and furnished by



1 the Department, signed by the member and his or her commanding
2 officer and accompanied by proof of membership, be issued license
3 plates upon which is inscribed "CIVIL AIR PATROL" with a
4 number of characters, including numbers and letters, as determined
5 necessary by the Director. The fee for the special license plates is
6 \$35, in addition to all other applicable registration and license fees
7 and governmental services taxes. The annual fee for a renewal
8 ~~sticker~~ of the license plates is \$10.

9 2. Each member may request two sets of license plates as
10 described in subsection 1. The second set of license plates for an
11 additional vehicle must have a different number than the first set of
12 license plates issued to the same member. The license plates may
13 only be used on private passenger vehicles or noncommercial
14 trucks.

15 3. Any member of the Nevada Wing of the Civil Air Patrol
16 who retires or is honorably discharged may retain any license plates
17 issued to the member pursuant to subsection 1. If a member is
18 dishonorably discharged, he or she shall surrender any of these
19 special plates in his or her possession to the Department at least 10
20 days before the member's discharge and, in lieu of those plates, is
21 entitled to receive regular Nevada license plates.

22 **Sec. 14.** NRS 482.3763 is hereby amended to read as follows:

23 482.3763 1. The Director shall order the preparation of
24 special license plates for the support of outreach programs and
25 services for veterans and their families and establish procedures for
26 the application for and issuance of the plates.

27 2. The Department shall, upon application therefor and
28 payment of the prescribed fees, issue special license plates for the
29 support of outreach programs and services for veterans and their
30 families to:

31 (a) A veteran of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps or
32 Coast Guard of the United States, a reserve component thereof or
33 the National Guard;

34 (b) A female veteran; or

35 (c) The spouse, parent or child of a person described in
36 paragraph (a) or (b).

37 ↪ The plates must be inscribed with the word "VETERAN" and
38 with the seal of the branch of the Armed Forces of the United States,
39 the seal of the National Guard or an image representative of the
40 female veterans, as applicable, requested by the applicant. A person
41 may request that personalized prestige license plates issued pursuant
42 to NRS 482.3667 be combined with special license plates for the
43 support of outreach programs and services for veterans and their
44 families if that person pays the fees for the personalized prestige
45 license plates in addition to the fees for the special license plates for



1 the support of outreach programs and services for veterans and their
2 families pursuant to subsection 4.

3 3. If, during a registration period, the holder of special plates
4 issued pursuant to this section disposes of the vehicle to which the
5 plates are affixed, the holder shall:

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

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

12 4. In addition to all other applicable registration and license
13 fees and governmental services taxes, and to the special fee imposed
14 pursuant to NRS 482.3764 for the support of outreach programs and
15 services for veterans and their families, the fee for:

16 (a) The initial issuance of the special license plates is \$35.

17 (b) The annual renewal ~~sticker~~ of the special license plates is
18 \$10.

19 5. If the special plates issued pursuant to this section are lost,
20 stolen or mutilated, the owner of the vehicle may secure a set of
21 duplicate number plates from the Department for a fee of \$10.

22 **Sec. 15.** NRS 482.3764 is hereby amended to read as follows:

23 482.3764 1. Before the Department issues to any person,
24 pursuant to NRS 482.3763 ~~;~~

25 ~~—(a) An~~, *an* initial set of special license plates, it shall:

26 ~~{(1)}~~ (a) Collect a special fee for the support of outreach
27 programs and services for veterans and their families in the amount
28 of \$25; and

29 ~~{(2)}~~ (b) Affix a decal to each plate if requested by an
30 applicant who meets the requirements set forth in NRS 482.37635.

31 ~~{(b) An annual renewal sticker, it}~~

32 2. *Annually, the Department* shall:

33 ~~{(1)}~~ (a) Collect a special fee for the support of outreach
34 programs and services for veterans and their families in the amount
35 of \$20; and

36 ~~{(2)}~~ (b) Affix a decal to each plate if requested by an
37 applicant who meets the requirements set forth in NRS 482.37635.

38 ~~{2}~~ 3. The Department shall deposit all money collected
39 pursuant to this section with the State Treasurer for credit to the Gift
40 Account for Veterans created by NRS 417.115.

41 **Sec. 16.** NRS 482.3765 is hereby amended to read as follows:

42 482.3765 1. A veteran of the Armed Forces of the United
43 States who survived the attack on Pearl Harbor on December 7,
44 1941, is entitled to specially designed license plates inscribed with
45 the words “PEARL HARBOR VETERAN” or “PEARL HARBOR



1 SURVIVOR,” at the option of the veteran, and a number of
2 characters, including numbers and letters, as determined necessary
3 by the Director.

4 2. A person who qualifies for special license plates pursuant to
5 this section, has suffered a qualifying service-connected disability as
6 a result of his or her service in the Armed Forces of the United
7 States and receives compensation from the United States for the
8 disability is entitled to have his or her special license plates issued
9 pursuant to this section inscribed with the international symbol of
10 access, which must comply with any applicable federal standards
11 and must be white on a blue background.

12 3. Each person who qualifies for special license plates pursuant
13 to this section may apply for not more than two sets of plates. If the
14 person applies for a second set of plates for an additional vehicle,
15 the second set of plates must have a different number than the first
16 set of plates issued to the same applicant. Special license plates
17 issued pursuant to this section may be used only on a private
18 passenger vehicle, a noncommercial truck or a motor home.

19 4. The Department shall issue specially designed license plates
20 for persons qualified pursuant to this section who submit an
21 application on a form prescribed by the Department and evidence of
22 their status as a survivor and, if applicable and subject to the
23 provisions of NRS 417.0187, evidence of disability required by the
24 Department.

25 5. A vehicle on which license plates issued by the Department
26 pursuant to subsection 2 are displayed is exempt from the payment
27 of any parking fees, including those collected through parking
28 meters, charged by the State or any political subdivision or other
29 public body within the State, other than the United States.

30 6. If, during a registration year, the holder of a set of special
31 license plates issued pursuant to this section disposes of the vehicle
32 to which the plates are affixed, the holder shall:

33 (a) Retain the plates and affix them to another vehicle which
34 meets the requirements of this section and report the change to the
35 Department in accordance with the procedure set forth for other
36 transfers; or

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

39 7. The fee for a set of special license plates issued pursuant to
40 this section is \$25, in addition to all other applicable registration and
41 license fees and governmental services taxes. The annual fee for [a]
42 renewal [~~sticker for a set~~] of special license plates issued pursuant to
43 this section is \$5.



Sec. 17. NRS 482.3795 is hereby amended to read as follows:

482.3795 1. The Department may issue special license plates and registration certificates to residents of Nevada for a fire truck pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, the fire truck must not be used for general transportation, but may be used for musters, exhibitions, parades or similar activities.

2. In lieu of the annual registration and fees required by this chapter, and of the governmental services tax imposed by chapter 371 of NRS, the owner of a fire truck may submit:

(a) An affidavit to the Department indicating that the fire truck:

(1) Will only be used for the permitted purposes enumerated in subsection 1;

(2) Has been inspected and found safe to be operated on the highways of this State; and

(3) Qualifies as a fire truck pursuant to regulations adopted by the Department for this purpose.

(b) The following fees for the issuance of these license plates:

(1) For the first issuance\$15

(2) For ~~the~~ renewal ~~[sticker]~~5

3. If the owner elects to use the fire truck as general transportation, the owner shall pay the regular annual registration and fees prescribed by law and the governmental services tax imposed by chapter 371 of NRS.

4. License plates issued pursuant to this section must bear the inscription "Fire Truck" and the plates must be numbered consecutively.

5. The cost of the die and the modifications necessary for the issuance of a license plate pursuant to this section must be paid from private sources without any expense to the State of Nevada.

Sec. 18. NRS 482.380 is hereby amended to read as follows:

482.380 1. The Department may issue special motor vehicle license plates from year to year to a person who has resided in the State of Nevada for a period of 6 months preceding the date of application for the license plates and who owns a motor vehicle which is a model manufactured during or before 1915.

2. To administer the provisions of this section, the Department may recognize the Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada as presently constituted as the official Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada and to designate and appoint one member of the Board of Directors of the Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada to act as and be an ex officio deputy of the Department and to perform the duties and functions prescribed by this section without compensation, per diem allowance or travel expenses.

3. An applicant for license plates pursuant to the provisions of this section must:



1 (a) Fill out and sign an application for license plates on a form
2 prescribed and furnished by the ex officio deputy for licensing
3 antique motor vehicles.

4 (b) Present evidence of the applicant's eligibility for license
5 plates by showing, to the satisfaction of the ex officio deputy,
6 residence in this State for 6 months preceding the date of application
7 and ownership of an antique motor vehicle which is a model
8 manufactured during or before 1915.

9 (c) Present a certificate of inspection issued by a committee, or
10 member thereof, appointed by the Board of Directors of the
11 Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada verifying that the antique motor
12 vehicle is in safe and satisfactory mechanical condition, is in good
13 condition and state of repair, is well equipped and is covered by a
14 policy of insurance covering public liability and property damage
15 written by an insurance company qualified to do business in this
16 State with limits of not less than \$10,000 for each person nor less
17 than \$20,000 for each crash, and not less than \$5,000 for property
18 damage and which otherwise meets the requirements of chapter 485
19 of NRS.

20 (d) Exhibit a valid driver's license authorizing the applicant to
21 drive a motor vehicle on the highways of this State.

22 (e) Pay the fee prescribed by the laws of this State for the
23 operation of a passenger car, without regard to the weight or the
24 capacity for passengers.

25 (f) Pay such other fee as prescribed by the Board of Directors of
26 the Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada necessary to defray all cost
27 of manufacture, transportation and issuance of the special license
28 plates.

29 4. The ex officio deputy for licensing antique motor vehicles
30 shall each calendar year issue license plates, approved by the
31 Department, for each motor vehicle owned by an applicant who
32 meets the requirements of subsection 3, subject to the following
33 conditions:

34 (a) The license plates must be numbered and issued
35 consecutively each year beginning with "Horseless Carriage 1."

36 (b) The license plates must conform, as nearly as possible, to the
37 color and type of license plate issued in this State for regular
38 passenger cars.

39 (c) The special license plates issued pursuant to this section
40 must be specified, procured, transported and issued solely at the
41 expense and cost of the Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada and
42 without any expense to the State of Nevada.

43 5. The ex officio deputy for licensing antique motor vehicles
44 shall pay quarterly to the Department the prescribed fee as provided
45 in paragraph (e) of subsection 3. The fees so received must be used,



1 disbursed or deposited by the Department in the same manner as
2 provided by law for other fees for registration and licensing. All
3 other fees collected to defray expenses must be retained by the
4 Board of Directors of the Horseless Carriage Club of Nevada.

5 6. The license plates obtained pursuant to this section are in
6 lieu of the license plates otherwise provided for in this chapter and
7 are valid for the calendar year in which they are issued.

8 7. The Department shall charge and collect the following fees
9 for the issuance of these license plates, which fees are in addition to
10 all other license fees and applicable taxes:

11 (a) For the first issuance\$35

12 (b) For ~~the~~ renewal ~~sticker~~.....10

13 **Sec. 19.** NRS 482.381 is hereby amended to read as follows:

14 482.381 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2655,
15 the Department may issue special license plates and registration
16 certificates to residents of Nevada for any motor vehicle which is a
17 model manufactured more than 40 years before the date of
18 application for registration pursuant to this section.

19 2. License plates issued pursuant to this section must bear the
20 inscription "Old Timer," and the plates must be numbered
21 consecutively.

22 3. The Nevada Old Timer Club members shall bear the cost of
23 the dies for carrying out the provisions of this section.

24 4. The Department shall charge and collect the following fees
25 for the issuance of these license plates, which fees are in addition to
26 all other license fees and applicable taxes:

27 (a) For the first issuance\$35

28 (b) For ~~the~~ renewal ~~sticker~~.....10

29 5. In addition to the fees required pursuant to subsection 4, the
30 Department shall charge and collect a fee for the first issuance of the
31 license plates for those motor vehicles exempted pursuant to
32 paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NRS 445B.760 from the provisions
33 of NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive. The amount of the fee
34 must be equal to the amount of the fee for a form certifying
35 emission control compliance set forth in paragraph (c) of subsection
36 1 of NRS 445B.830.

37 6. Fees paid to the Department pursuant to subsection 5 must
38 be accounted for in the Pollution Control Account created by NRS
39 445B.830 and distributed in accordance with subsection 6 of
40 NRS 445B.830.

41 **Sec. 20.** NRS 482.3811 is hereby amended to read as follows:

42 482.3811 1. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection,
43 the Department may design, prepare and issue special license plates
44 and registration certificates to residents of Nevada for an antique
45 truck or truck-tractor pursuant to this section. The Department shall



1 not design, prepare or issue the license plates unless it receives at
2 least 250 applications for the issuance of those plates. Except as
3 otherwise provided in subsection 3, the antique truck or truck-tractor
4 must not be used for general transportation, but may be used for
5 antique truck shows, exhibitions, parades or similar activities.

6 2. In lieu of the annual registration and fees required by this
7 chapter, and of the governmental services tax imposed by chapter
8 371 of NRS, the owner of an antique truck or truck-tractor may
9 submit:

10 (a) An affidavit to the Department indicating that the antique
11 truck or truck-tractor:

12 (1) Will be used only for the purposes enumerated in
13 subsection 1;

14 (2) Has been inspected and found safe to be operated on the
15 highways of this State;

16 (3) Will be at least 25 years old on the date on which the
17 owner of the antique truck or truck-tractor applies for license plates
18 pursuant to this section; and

19 (4) Has a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity of more
20 than 1 ton.

21 (b) The following fees for the issuance of license plates pursuant
22 to this section:

23 (1) For the first issuance\$15

24 (2) For [a] the renewal [sticker]5

25 3. If the owner elects to use the antique truck or truck-tractor as
26 general transportation, the owner shall pay the regular annual
27 registration and fees prescribed by law and the governmental
28 services tax imposed by chapter 371 of NRS.

29 4. License plates issued pursuant to this section must bear the
30 inscription "Antique Truck," and the plates must be numbered
31 consecutively.

32 5. The cost of the die and the modifications necessary for the
33 issuance of a license plate pursuant to this section must be paid from
34 private sources without any expense to the State of Nevada.

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

38 (a) Retain the plates and affix them to another vehicle that meets
39 the requirements of this section if the transfer and registration fees
40 are paid as set out in this chapter; or

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

43 **Sec. 21.** NRS 482.3812 is hereby amended to read as follows:

44 482.3812 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2655,
45 the Department may issue special license plates and registration



1 certificates to residents of Nevada for any passenger car or light
2 commercial vehicle:

3 (a) Having a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity of 1 ton or
4 less; and

5 (b) Manufactured not later than 1948.

6 2. License plates issued pursuant to this section must be
7 inscribed with the words "STREET ROD" and a number of
8 characters, including numbers and letters, as determined necessary
9 by the Director.

10 3. If, during a registration period, the holder of special plates
11 issued pursuant to this section disposes of the vehicle to which the
12 plates are affixed, the holder shall retain the plates and:

13 (a) Affix them to another vehicle which meets the requirements
14 of this section and report the change to the Department in
15 accordance with the procedure set forth for other transfers; or

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

18 4. The fee for the special license plates is \$35, in addition to all
19 other applicable registration and license fees and governmental
20 services taxes. The fee for an annual renewal ~~[sticker]~~ *of the special
21 license plates issued pursuant to this section* is \$10.

22 5. In addition to the fees required pursuant to subsection 4, the
23 Department shall charge and collect a fee for the first issuance of the
24 special license plates for those motor vehicles exempted pursuant to
25 paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NRS 445B.760 from the provisions
26 of NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive. The amount of the fee
27 must be equal to the amount of the fee for a form certifying
28 emission control compliance set forth in paragraph (c) of subsection
29 1 of NRS 445B.830.

30 6. Fees paid to the Department pursuant to subsection 5 must
31 be accounted for in the Pollution Control Account created by NRS
32 445B.830 and distributed in accordance with subsection 6 of
33 NRS 445B.830.

34 **Sec. 22.** NRS 482.3814 is hereby amended to read as follows:

35 482.3814 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2655,
36 the Department may issue special license plates and registration
37 certificates to residents of Nevada for any passenger car or light
38 commercial vehicle:

39 (a) Having a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity of 1 ton or
40 less; and

41 (b) Manufactured not earlier than 1949, but at least 20 years
42 before the application is submitted to the Department.

43 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, license plates
44 issued pursuant to this section must be inscribed with the words



1 “CLASSIC ROD” and a number of characters, including numbers
2 and letters, as determined necessary by the Director.

3 3. A person may request personalized prestige license plates
4 issued pursuant to NRS 482.3667 instead of a special license plate
5 issued pursuant to subsection 2 if that person pays the fees for the
6 personalized prestige license plates in addition to the fees required
7 pursuant to this section.

8 4. If, during a registration year, the holder of special plates
9 issued pursuant to subsection 2 or 3 disposes of the vehicle to which
10 the plates are affixed, the holder shall retain the plates and:

11 (a) Affix them to another vehicle which meets the requirements
12 of this section and report the change to the Department in
13 accordance with the procedure set forth for other transfers; or

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

16 5. The fee for the special license plates is \$35, in addition to all
17 other applicable registration and license fees and governmental
18 services taxes. The fee for an annual renewal ~~[sticker]~~ *of the special*
19 *license plates issued pursuant to this section* is \$10.

20 6. In addition to the fees required pursuant to subsection 5, the
21 Department shall charge and collect a fee for the first issuance of the
22 special license plates for those motor vehicles exempted pursuant to
23 paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NRS 445B.760 from the provisions
24 of NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive. The amount of the fee
25 must be equal to the amount of the fee for a form certifying
26 emission control compliance set forth in paragraph (c) of subsection
27 1 of NRS 445B.830.

28 7. Fees paid to the Department pursuant to subsection 6 must
29 be accounted for in the Pollution Control Account created by NRS
30 445B.830 and distributed in accordance with subsection 6 of
31 NRS 445B.830.

32 **Sec. 23.** NRS 482.3816 is hereby amended to read as follows:

33 482.3816 1. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 482.2655,
34 the Department may issue special license plates and registration
35 certificates to residents of Nevada for any passenger car or light
36 commercial vehicle:

37 (a) Having a manufacturer’s rated carrying capacity of 1 ton or
38 less;

39 (b) Manufactured at least 25 years before the application is
40 submitted to the Department; and

41 (c) Containing only the original parts which were used to
42 manufacture the vehicle or replacement parts that duplicate those
43 original parts.

44 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, license plates
45 issued pursuant to this section must be inscribed with the words



1 “CLASSIC VEHICLE” and a number of characters, including
2 numbers and letters, as determined necessary by the Director.

3 3. A person may request personalized prestige license plates
4 issued pursuant to NRS 482.3667 instead of a special license plate
5 issued pursuant to subsection 2 if that person pays the fees for the
6 personalized prestige license plates in addition to the fees required
7 pursuant to this section.

8 4. If, during a registration period, the holder of special plates
9 issued pursuant to subsection 2 or 3 disposes of the vehicle to which
10 the plates are affixed, the holder shall retain the plates and:

11 (a) Affix them to another vehicle which meets the requirements
12 of this section and report the change to the Department in
13 accordance with the procedure set forth for other transfers; or

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

16 5. The fee for the special license plates is \$35, in addition to all
17 other applicable registration and license fees and governmental
18 services taxes. The fee for an annual renewal ~~[sticker]~~ *of the special*
19 *license plates issued pursuant to this section* is \$10.

20 6. In addition to the fees required pursuant to subsection 5, the
21 Department shall charge and collect a fee for the first issuance of the
22 special license plates for those motor vehicles exempted pursuant to
23 paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NRS 445B.760 from the provisions
24 of NRS 445B.770 to 445B.815, inclusive. The amount of the fee
25 must be equal to the amount of the fee for a form certifying
26 emission control compliance set forth in paragraph (c) of subsection
27 1 of NRS 445B.830.

28 7. Fees paid to the Department pursuant to subsection 6 must
29 be accounted for in the Pollution Control Account created by NRS
30 445B.830 and distributed in accordance with subsection 6 of
31 NRS 445B.830.

32 **Sec. 24.** NRS 482.3817 is hereby amended to read as follows:

33 482.3817 1. The Department may issue special license plates
34 and registration certificates to residents of Nevada for a retired
35 military vehicle pursuant to this section. The Department shall not
36 design, prepare or issue the license plates unless it receives at least
37 25 applications for the issuance of those plates. The retired military
38 vehicle must not be used for general transportation but may be used
39 for exhibitions, parades, charitable events, fundraisers or similar
40 activities.

41 2. In lieu of the annual registration fees required by this
42 chapter, and of the governmental services tax imposed by chapter
43 371 of NRS, the owner of a retired military vehicle seeking
44 registration pursuant to this section may submit:



1 (a) An affidavit to the Department indicating that the retired
2 military vehicle:

3 (1) Will only be used for the purposes enumerated in
4 subsection 1;

5 (2) Is safe to be operated on the highways of this State; and

6 (3) Will be at least 20 years old on the date on which the
7 owner of the retired military vehicle applies for license plates
8 pursuant to this section.

9 (b) The following fees for the issuance of license plates pursuant
10 to this section:

11 (1) For the first issuance\$25

12 (2) For [a] the renewal [sticker]\$10

13 3. A retired military vehicle registered pursuant to this section
14 must not be operated on the highways of this State unless the
15 vehicle complies with the provisions of NRS 484D.600 to
16 484D.740, inclusive, and, if the vehicle is a retired military vehicle
17 with:

18 (a) Tires, is equipped with rubber tires that will not damage the
19 roadway surface and have a maximum vehicle tire pressure of not
20 more than 125 pounds per square inch.

21 (b) Tracks, has a circular metal band of a width of not less than
22 3 inches placed entirely around the periphery of such tracks, such
23 band to serve as a protection against the tearing up or marring of the
24 surface of the highway.

25 4. The Department shall use to register a retired military
26 vehicle pursuant to this section any vehicle identification number
27 that is clearly visible and is securely affixed to or stamped on an
28 integral part of the vehicle. If no such number is available, the
29 Department may assign a distinguishing number pursuant to
30 NRS 482.290.

31 5. License plates issued pursuant to this section must bear the
32 inscription "Retired Military Vehicle" and the plates must be
33 numbered consecutively.

34 6. The cost of the die and the modifications necessary for the
35 issuance of a license plate pursuant to this section must be paid from
36 private sources without any expense to the State of Nevada.

37 7. If, during a registration year, the holder of license plates
38 issued pursuant to the provisions of this section disposes of the
39 retired military vehicle to which the plates are affixed, the holder
40 shall:

41 (a) Retain the plates and affix them to another vehicle that meets
42 the requirements of this section if the transfer and registration fees
43 are paid as set out in this chapter; or

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



1 8. As used in this section, "retired military vehicle" means any
2 vehicle or trailer, regardless of size, weight or year of manufacture,
3 that was manufactured for use in the military forces of any country
4 and is maintained to depict or represent military design or markings.
5 The term includes, without limitation, armored vehicles, passenger
6 cars, half-track vehicles, motorcycles, pick-up trucks, sport utility
7 vehicles, tracked vehicles, trailers, trucks and truck-tractors.

8 **Sec. 25.** NRS 485.320 is hereby amended to read as follows:

9 485.320 1. If the license of any person is suspended as
10 provided in this chapter, the person shall immediately return the
11 license to the Department. If the person's registration is suspended,
12 the person shall immediately return the certificate of registration and
13 the license plates to the Department.

14 2. If any person fails to return any item as required by
15 subsection 1, the Department shall forthwith direct any peace officer
16 to secure possession thereof and to return the item to the
17 Department.

18 3. A person who owns a dormant vehicle who desires to cancel
19 the policy of liability insurance covering that vehicle or to allow
20 such a policy to expire:

21 (a) Shall, on or before the date on which the policy is cancelled
22 or expires, cancel the registration of the vehicle to which that policy
23 pertains.

24 (b) May ~~[, if the person presents the license plates for that~~
25 ~~vehicle to the authorized personnel of the Department for the~~
26 ~~removal and destruction of the sticker or other device evidencing the~~
27 ~~current registration of the vehicle,]~~ retain for potential reinstatement
28 the license plates for a period not to exceed 1 year.

29 4. The Department shall adopt regulations which define
30 "extended period," "mechanical circumstances" and "seasonal
31 circumstances" for the purposes of NRS 485.0335.

