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2001 SENATE TRANSPORTATION

SB 2203


2001 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SB 2203

Senate Transportation Committee

Conference Committee

Hearing Date 1-25-01;2-8-01

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Minutes: SB 2203 relating to motor vehicle number plates bearing college or university logos.

Senator Ron Nichols: (District 4; Supports) States he appears as a prime sponsor and encourages a do pass. Says that young people are proud of their school and this would be used by the public.

Senator Bercler: This is a good bill, but I have a problem with people who would use it derogatory. **Nichols:** I agree with you that there would be a problem if used wrong but hopefully colleges and universities would make right decision.

Senator Trenbeath: \$15 seems slight, doesn't it?

Senator Nichols: \$15 would cover cost of university insignia , if any extras were added, it would cost more.

Keith Kiser: (Director of Motor Vehicle Division; NDDOT; Neutral) It's hard to say how many plates will be sold. Military plates are at 1300. We estimated 1000 pairs for first year, 800 yearly that will renew, 200 additional plates sold yearly.

Senator O'Connell: How many different plates are their currently?

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Keith Kiser: I think about ten.

Senator Espegard: we would probably open this up to quite a few more plates?

Keith Kiser: Yes, there are 12-13 private or public colleges in ND There would be special decals with the same background on these plates.

Senator Stenehjem: I'd like to see an example.

Keith Kiser: I'd be happy to bring one in.

Senator Stenehjem: Who makes the determination of what decals go on plate and what's the cost of the decals?

Keith Kiser: University determines the decals and I am not for sure exact cost of these ones but the military ones cost \$6 per pair.

Hearing closed.

Committee reopened on 2-8-01 on SB 2203.

Senator Stenehjem: This will bring in revenue and it's on a voluntary basis.

Senator Espegard: There's too many plates already out there.

Senator Stenehjem: It's not a plate, just a decal.

Senator Trenbeath moves to Do Not Pass. Seconded by Senator Espegard. Roll Call taken. 4-2-0.

Floor carrier is Senator Mutch. Committee closed

FISCAL NOTE

Requested by Legislative Council

01/15/2001

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Amendment to:

1A. State fiscal effect: *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

| | 1999-2001 Biennium | | 2001-2003 Biennium | | 2003-2005 Biennium | |
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| | General Fund | Other Funds | General Fund | Other Funds | General Fund | Other Funds |
| Revenues | | | | \$30,000 | | \$30,000 |
| Expenditures | | | | \$10,800 | | \$4,000 |
| Appropriations | | | | \$10,800 | | \$4,000 |

1B. County, city, and school district fiscal effect: *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

| 1999-2001 Biennium | | | 2001-2003 Biennium | | | 2003-2005 Biennium | | |
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| Counties | Cities | School Districts | Counties | Cities | School Districts | Counties | Cities | School Districts |
| | | | \$4,416 | \$2,688 | | \$5,980 | \$3,640 | |

2. Narrative: *Identify the aspects of the measure which cause fiscal impact and include any comments relevant to your analysis.*

This bill requires the issuance of special license plates bearing decals with the insignia of each public and private college or university in North Dakota. It is not possible to accurately estimate the number of license plates that will be sold under the provisions of this bill and it is therefore not possible to accurately estimate the amount of revenue or expenses. For purposes of this fiscal note, it is estimated that 1,000 pairs of license plates will be sold during the first year. In each subsequent year it is estimated that 800 will renew and 200 additional new pairs of plates will be sold.

3. State fiscal effect detail: *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

A. Revenues: *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

Each pair of license plates sold or renewed will generate \$15 of revenue for the Highway Tax Distribution Fund.

B. Expenditures: *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

It is estimated that each pair of license plates will cost \$9.00 to purchase and distribute during the first biennium and \$10 during the second biennium.

C. Appropriations: *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, of the effect*

on the biennial appropriation for each agency and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget. Indicate the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations.

An appropriation increase will be needed to cover the cost of purchasing and distributing the new license plates.

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410)
February 9, 2001 2:18 p.m.

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2203: Transportation Committee (Sen. Stenehjem, Chairman) recommends DO NOT PASS (4 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2203 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.