

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-04 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to motor vehicle number plates bearing a logo identifying members of
3 the North Dakota firemen's association.

4 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 39-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is
6 created and enacted as follows:

7 **Firemen's association plates.** The director, in cooperation with the North Dakota
8 firemen's association, shall design a decorative decal that contains an insignia representing
9 service in the pursuit of firefighting and which is to be placed on a distinctive number plate. On
10 payment of all other fees required under this chapter for registration of the motor vehicle, and
11 payment of an additional annual fee of fifteen dollars for deposit in the highway fund, the
12 applicant is entitled to issuance of the decals and plates. However, the director may not issue
13 the decal and plates to the owner of a passenger motor vehicle or a truck the gross weight of
14 which equals or exceeds ten thousand pounds [4535.92 kilograms]. A registrant is eligible for
15 distinctive number plates under this section if the registrant is a member of the North Dakota
16 firemen's association. On request of the director, the North Dakota firemen's association shall
17 certify those members of the North Dakota firemen's association eligible to receive the decals
18 and plates. On termination of the registrant's eligibility, the registrant shall return the decals
19 and plates to the director, who shall reissue for a fee of not more than five dollars another
20 number plate to which that registrant is entitled under this chapter. The director and North
21 Dakota firemen's association shall cooperate in establishing procedures to implement this
22 section.