

**SENATE BILL NO. 2162**

Introduced by

Senator J. Lee

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-24-03 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to snowmobile registration fees.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-24-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-24-03. Registration - Application - Issuance - Fees - Renewal.**

- 7 1. Application for registration must be made to the department in a form as the  
8 department shall prescribe and furnish and must state the name and address of  
9 every owner of the snowmobile and be signed by at least one owner. A copy of the  
10 application must be carried on the person when operating and shall serve as  
11 evidence of registration for a period of not more than thirty days from the date of  
12 application.
- 13 2. Upon receipt of the application and the appropriate fee ~~as hereinafter provided~~, the  
14 ~~department shall register a snowmobile must be registered~~ and assign a  
15 registration number and a certificate of registration ~~assigned~~. The registration  
16 number must be at least one and one-half inches [3.81 centimeters] in height and  
17 of a reflectorized material and must be securely affixed on each side of the forward  
18 half of the snowmobile in ~~such~~ a position as to provide clear legibility for  
19 identification. The certificate of registration must include information regarding the  
20 make, year, serial number, and name and address of the owner. The fee for  
21 registration of each snowmobile must be ~~three~~ five dollars for a any portion of the  
22 registration period and the registration period of is for two years beginning October  
23 first of each odd-numbered year ~~effective October 1, 1991. To implement this~~  
24 ~~section, on January 1, 1992, the department shall register each snowmobile~~

1           ~~registered before July 1, 1991, for a one time period of twenty one months. The~~  
2           ~~fee for initial registration of each snowmobile registered on and after October first~~  
3           ~~of the second year of the two year registration period must also be three dollars.~~  
4           The fee for a duplicate or replacement registration number or registration card  
5           which is lost, mutilated, or becomes illegible may not exceed ~~three~~ five dollars. In  
6           addition, in each year that fees are collected for the unsatisfied judgment fund  
7           there must be assessed a fee of one dollar per year for each snowmobile  
8           registered, which must be placed in the unsatisfied judgment fund. For each  
9           snowmobile registered under the provisions of this chapter, there must be  
10          assessed a snowmobile trail tax in the amount of ~~seventeen~~ thirty-five dollars.  
11          3. Every owner of a snowmobile shall renew the registration in a manner as the  
12          department shall prescribe, upon payment of the same registration fees provided in  
13          this section.  
14          4. Upon application for registration as prescribed in this section, any snowmobile  
15          dealer as defined in section 39-24-01 must be issued registration numbers  
16          distinctively marked as dealer's registration numbers upon payment of the  
17          appropriate fee as prescribed in this section. The dealer's registration numbers  
18          must be used only on snowmobiles owned by the dealership.