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Fifty-ninth
Legislative Assembly   **SENATE BILL NO. 2144**
of North Dakota

Introduced by

Transportation Committee

(At the request of the Office of Management and Budget)

1   A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-19 of the North Dakota Century Code,

2   relating to registration fees for motor vehicles; and to repeal section 7 of chapter 12 of the 2003

3   Session Laws, relating to registration fee allocation.

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

5   **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-04-19 of the North Dakota Century Code is

6   amended and reenacted as follows:

7   **39-04-19. Motor vehicle registration fees and mile tax.** Motor vehicles required to

8   pay registration fees or a mile tax shall pay the following fees:

9   1.   Nonresidents electing to pay mile tax in lieu of registration, when authorized to do

10   so by the department, shall pay a fee of twenty dollars for a trip permit which is

11   valid for a period of seventy-two hours. All fees collected under the provisions of

12   this subsection must be credited to the highway construction fund.

13   2.   Motor vehicles required to be registered in this state must be furnished license

14   plates upon the payment of the following annual fees; however, if a motor vehicle,

15   including a motorcycle or trailer, first becomes subject to registration other than at

16   the beginning of the registration period, such fees must be prorated on a monthly

17   basis. The minimum fee charged hereunder must be five dollars:

18   a.   Passenger motor vehicles:

19   YEARS REGISTERED

Gross Weights	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Years	7th, 8th, and 9th Years	10th, 11th, and 12th Years	13th and Subsequent Years
Less than 3,200	~~$60~~ $75	~~$52~~ $67	~~$44~~ $59	~~$36~~ $51
3,200 - 4,499	~~80~~ 95	~~68~~ 83	~~56~~ 71	~~44~~ 59

	Gross Weights				
1	4,500 - 4,999	~~98~~ 113	~~81~~ 96	~~66~~ 81	~~50~~ 65
2	5,000 - 5,999	~~129~~ 144	~~107~~ 122	~~85~~ 100	~~63~~ 78
3	6,000 - 6,999	~~162~~ 177	~~133~~ 148	~~104~~ 119	~~76~~ 91
4	7,000 - 7,999	~~195~~ 210	~~159~~ 174	~~124~~ 139	~~89~~ 104
5	8,000 - 8,999	~~228~~ 243	~~186~~ 201	~~144~~ 159	~~102~~ 117
6	9,000 and over	~~261~~ 276	~~212~~ 227	~~164~~ 179	~~115~~ 130

7   A house car is subject to registration at the rates prescribed for other vehicles

8   under this subdivision modified by using the weight applicable to a vehicle

9   whose weight is forty percent of that of the house car, but not using a weight

10   of less than four thousand pounds [1814.35 kilograms].

11   b.   Schoolbuses, buses for hire, buses owned and operated by religious,

12   charitable, or nonprofit organizations and used exclusively for religious,

13   charitable, or other public nonprofit purposes, and trucks or combination

14   trucks and trailers, including commercial and noncommercial trucks, except

15   those trucks or combinations of trucks and trailers which qualify for

16   registration under subsection 5:

17   YEARS REGISTERED

		1st Through 6th Years	7th Through 9th Years	10th Through 12th Years	13th Through 19th Years	20th and Subsequent Years
18-20	Gross Weights					
21	Not over 4,000	~~$58~~ $73	~~$45~~ $60	~~$40~~ $55	~~$37~~ $52	~~$36~~ $51
22	4,001 - 6,000	~~63~~ 78	~~50~~ 65	~~44~~ 59	~~38~~ 53	~~37~~ 52
23	6,001 - 8,000	~~68~~ 83	~~55~~ 70	~~48~~ 63	~~39~~ 54	~~38~~ 53
24	8,001 - 10,000	~~73~~ 88	~~60~~ 75	~~52~~ 67	~~41~~ 56	~~40~~ 55
25	10,001 - 12,000	~~78~~ 93	~~65~~ 80	~~56~~ 71	~~43~~ 58	~~42~~ 57
26	12,001 - 14,000	~~83~~ 98	~~70~~ 85	~~60~~ 75	~~46~~ 61	~~45~~ 60
27	14,001 - 16,000	~~88~~ 103	~~75~~ 90	~~64~~ 79	~~49~~ 64	~~48~~ 63
28	16,001 - 18,000	~~93~~ 108	~~80~~ 95	~~68~~ 83	~~51~~ 66	~~50~~ 65
29	18,001 - 20,000	~~96~~ 111	~~83~~ 98	~~70~~ 85	~~52~~ 67	~~51~~ 66

30   YEARS REGISTERED

31   1st, 2nd, 3rd,   8th, 9th, 10th,   13th and

	Gross Weights	4th, 5th, 6th, and 7th Years	11th, and 12th Years	Subsequent Years
3	20,001 - 22,000	~~$126~~ $141	~~$100~~ $115	~~$87~~ $102
4	22,001 - 26,000	~~178~~ 193	~~148~~ 163	~~132~~ 147
5	26,001 - 30,000	~~239~~ 254	~~197~~ 212	~~175~~ 190
6	30,001 - 34,000	~~305~~ 320	~~250~~ 265	~~222~~ 237
7	34,001 - 38,000	~~366~~ 381	~~299~~ 314	~~265~~ 280
8	38,001 - 42,000	~~427~~ 442	~~348~~ 363	~~307~~ 322
9	42,001 - 46,000	~~488~~ 503	~~396~~ 411	~~350~~ 365
10	46,001 - 50,000	~~549~~ 564	~~445~~ 460	~~393~~ 408
11	50,001 - 54,000	~~619~~ 634	~~503~~ 518	~~444~~ 459
12	54,001 - 58,000	~~680~~ 695	~~552~~ 567	~~487~~ 502
13	58,001 - 62,000	~~742~~ 757	~~601~~ 616	~~530~~ 545
14	62,001 - 66,000	~~802~~ 817	~~649~~ 664	~~573~~ 588
15	66,001 - 70,000	~~863~~ 878	~~698~~ 713	~~615~~ 630
16	70,001 - 74,000	~~924~~ 939	~~747~~ 762	~~658~~ 673
17	74,001 - 78,000	~~985~~ 1,000	~~796~~ 811	~~701~~ 716
18	78,001 - 82,000	~~1,046~~ 1,061	~~845~~ 860	~~744~~ 759
19	82,001 - 86,000	~~1,169~~ 1,184	~~950~~ 965	~~831~~ 846
20	86,001 - 90,000	~~1,291~~ 1,306	~~1,054~~ 1,069	~~918~~ 933
21	90,001 - 94,000	~~1,413~~ 1,428	~~1,159~~ 1,174	~~1,005~~ 1,020
22	94,001 - 98,000	~~1,535~~ 1,550	~~1,264~~ 1,279	~~1,093~~ 1,108
23	98,001 - 102,000	~~1,657~~ 1,672	~~1,368~~ 1,383	~~1,180~~ 1,195
24	102,001 - 105,500	~~1,779~~ 1,794	~~1,473~~ 1,488	~~1,267~~ 1,282

25   c.   Motorcycles, fifteen dollars.

26   3.   Motor vehicles acquired by disabled veterans under the provisions of Public Law

27   79-663 [38 U.S.C. 3901] are exempt from the payment of state sales or use tax

28   and, if paid, such veterans are entitled to a refund. This exemption also applies to

29   any passenger motor vehicle or pickup truck not exceeding ten thousand pounds

30   [4535.92 kilograms] gross weight but shall apply to no more than two such motor

31   vehicles owned by a disabled veteran at any one time.

1 4. Every trailer, semitrailer, and farm trailer required to be registered under this

2 chapter must be furnished registration plates upon the payment of a twenty dollar

3 annual fee. Every trailer, semitrailer, or farm trailer not required to be registered

4 under this chapter must be furnished an identification plate upon the payment of a

5 fee of five dollars. Upon the request of a person with a trailer or farm trailer to

6 whom a registration or identification plate is provided under this subsection, the

7 department shall provide a plate of the same size as provided for a motorcycle.

8 The department shall provide notification of this option to the person before the

9 replacement or issuance of the plate.

10 5. Trucks or combinations of trucks and trailers weighing more than twenty thousand

11 but not more than one hundred five thousand five hundred pounds [more than

12 9071.84 but not more than 47854.00 kilograms] which are used as farm vehicles

13 only, are entitled to registration under the following fee schedule and the provisions

14 of this subsection. Farm vehicles are considered, for the purpose of this

15 subsection, as trucks or combinations of trucks and trailers weighing more than

16 twenty thousand but not more than one hundred five thousand five hundred

17 pounds [more than 9071.84 but not more than 47854.00 kilograms] owned, or

18 leased for at least one year by a bona fide resident farmer who uses the vehicles

19 exclusively for transporting the farmer's own property or other property on a farm

20 work exchange basis with other farmers between farms and the usual local trading

21 places but not in connection with any commercial retail or wholesale business

22 being conducted from those farms, nor otherwise for hire. In addition to the penalty

23 provided in section 39-04-41, any person violating this subsection shall license for

24 the entire license period the farm vehicle at the higher commercial vehicle rate in

25 accordance with the weight carried by the farm vehicle at the time of the violation.

26 YEARS REGISTERED

27		1st, 2nd,	7th and	9th and	11th and
28	Gross	3rd, 4th, 5th,	8th	10th	Subsequent
29	Weights	and 6th Years	Years	Years	Years
30	20,001 - 22,000	~~$98~~ $113	~~$84~~ $99	~~$70~~ $85	~~$52~~ $67
31	22,001 - 24,000	~~103~~ 118	~~88~~ 103	~~73~~ 88	~~54~~ 69

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1	24,001 - 26,000	~~111~~ 126	~~94~~ 109	~~77~~ 92	~~56~~ 71
2	26,001 - 28,000	~~122~~ 137	~~102~~ 117	~~83~~ 98	~~60~~ 75
3	28,001 - 30,000	~~131~~ 146	~~110~~ 125	~~89~~ 104	~~64~~ 79
4	30,001 - 32,000	~~146~~ 161	~~123~~ 138	~~100~~ 115	~~73~~ 88
5	32,001 - 34,000	~~156~~ 171	~~131~~ 146	~~106~~ 121	~~77~~ 92
6	34,001 - 36,000	~~166~~ 181	~~139~~ 154	~~112~~ 127	~~81~~ 96
7	36,001 - 38,000	~~176~~ 191	~~147~~ 162	~~118~~ 133	~~85~~ 100
8	38,001 - 40,000	~~186~~ 201	~~155~~ 170	~~124~~ 139	~~89~~ 104
9	40,001 - 42,000	~~196~~ 211	~~163~~ 178	~~130~~ 145	~~93~~ 108
10	42,001 - 44,000	~~206~~ 221	~~171~~ 186	~~136~~ 151	~~97~~ 112
11	44,001 - 46,000	~~216~~ 231	~~179~~ 194	~~142~~ 157	~~101~~ 116
12	46,001 - 48,000	~~226~~ 241	~~187~~ 202	~~148~~ 163	~~105~~ 120
13	48,001 - 50,000	~~236~~ 251	~~195~~ 210	~~154~~ 169	~~109~~ 124
14	50,001 - 52,000	~~256~~ 271	~~213~~ 228	~~170~~ 185	~~123~~ 138
15	52,001 - 54,000	~~266~~ 281	~~221~~ 236	~~176~~ 191	~~127~~ 142
16	54,001 - 56,000	~~276~~ 291	~~229~~ 244	~~182~~ 197	~~131~~ 146
17	56,001 - 58,000	~~286~~ 301	~~237~~ 252	~~188~~ 203	~~135~~ 150
18	58,001 - 60,000	~~296~~ 311	~~245~~ 260	~~194~~ 209	~~139~~ 154
19	60,001 - 62,000	~~306~~ 321	~~253~~ 268	~~200~~ 215	~~143~~ 158
20	62,001 - 64,000	~~316~~ 331	~~261~~ 276	~~206~~ 221	~~147~~ 162
21	64,001 - 66,000	~~326~~ 341	~~269~~ 284	~~212~~ 227	~~151~~ 166
22	66,001 - 68,000	~~336~~ 351	~~277~~ 292	~~218~~ 233	~~155~~ 170
23	68,001 - 70,000	~~346~~ 361	~~285~~ 300	~~224~~ 239	~~159~~ 174
24	70,001 - 72,000	~~356~~ 371	~~293~~ 308	~~230~~ 245	~~163~~ 178
25	72,001 - 74,000	~~366~~ 381	~~301~~ 316	~~236~~ 251	~~167~~ 182
26	74,001 - 76,000	~~376~~ 391	~~309~~ 324	~~242~~ 257	~~171~~ 186
27	76,001 - 78,000	~~386~~ 401	~~317~~ 332	~~248~~ 263	~~175~~ 190
28	78,001 - 80,000	~~396~~ 411	~~325~~ 340	~~254~~ 269	~~179~~ 194
29	80,001 - 82,000	~~406~~ 421	~~333~~ 348	~~260~~ 275	~~183~~ 198
30	82,001 - 84,000	~~416~~ 431	~~355~~ 370	~~303~~ 318	~~259~~ 274
31	84,001 - 86,000	~~436~~ 451	~~372~~ 387	~~317~~ 332	~~271~~ 286

1	86,001 - 88,000	~~456~~ 471	~~389~~ 404	~~331~~ 346	~~283~~ 298
2	88,001 - 90,000	~~476~~ 491	~~406~~ 421	~~345~~ 360	~~295~~ 310
3	90,001 - 92,000	~~496~~ 511	~~423~~ 438	~~359~~ 374	~~307~~ 322
4	92,001 - 94,000	~~516~~ 531	~~440~~ 455	~~373~~ 388	~~319~~ 334
5	94,001 - 96,000	~~536~~ 551	~~457~~ 472	~~387~~ 402	~~331~~ 346
6	96,001 - 98,000	~~556~~ 571	~~474~~ 489	~~401~~ 416	~~343~~ 358
7	98,001 - 100,000	~~576~~ 591	~~491~~ 506	~~415~~ 430	~~355~~ 370
8	100,001 - 102,000	~~596~~ 611	~~508~~ 523	~~429~~ 444	~~367~~ 382
9	102,001 - 104,000	~~616~~ 631	~~525~~ 540	~~443~~ 458	~~379~~ 394
10	104,001 - 105,500	~~636~~ 651	~~542~~ 557	~~457~~ 472	~~391~~ 406

11   6.   A motor vehicle registered in subsection 5 may be used for custom combining

12   operations by displaying identification issued by the department and upon payment

13   of a fee of twenty-five dollars.

14   <u>7.</u>   <u>Eighteen dollars of each registration fee collected under subsection 2 or 5 must be</u>

15   <u>deposited in the state highway fund.</u>

16   **SECTION 2. REPEAL.** Section 7 of chapter 12 of the 2003 Session Laws is repealed.