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Committee: Transportation

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicle registration; to amend
2 sections 60-311.03, 60-311.04, 60-311.08, and 60-311.09,
3 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change
4 provisions relating to registration and renewal fees; and
5 to repeal the original sections.
6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 60-311.03, Reissue Revised Statutes
2 of Nebraska, is amended to read:

3 60-311.03. (1) Any resident of this state may, in
4 addition to the application required by section 60-302, make
5 application to the Department of Motor Vehicles for a set of
6 license plates designed by the department to indicate that the
7 applicant for the plates is a survivor of the Japanese attack on
8 Pearl Harbor if he or she:

9 (a) Was a member of the United States Armed Forces on
10 December 7, 1941;

11 (b) Was on station on December 7, 1941, during the hours
12 of 7:55 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. Hawaii time at Pearl Harbor, the island
13 of Oahu, or offshore at a distance not to exceed three miles;

14 (c) Received an honorable discharge from the United
15 States Armed Forces; and

16 (d) Holds a current membership in a Nebraska Chapter of
17 the Pearl Harbor Survivors Association.

18 (2) The plates shall be issued upon the applicant paying
19 the regular license fee and an additional fee of five dollars and
20 furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant
21 fulfills the requirements provided by subsection (1) of this
22 section. Only one motor vehicle owned by the applicant shall be so
23 licensed at any one time.

24 (3) If the license plates issued pursuant to this section
25 are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plates shall
26 be issued replacement plates upon request and without charge.

27 (4) The department shall renew the license plates issued
28 pursuant to this section without the payment of any fee except the

1 taxes and fees required by sections 60-311, 60-3002, and 60-3007.

2 Sec. 2. Section 60-311.04, Reissue Revised Statutes of
3 Nebraska, is amended to read:

4 60-311.04. (1) Any resident of this state who was
5 captured and incarcerated by an enemy of the United States during a
6 period of conflict with such enemy and who received an honorable
7 discharge from or is currently serving in the United States Armed
8 Forces may, in addition to the application required in section
9 60-302, make application to the Department of Motor Vehicles for a
10 set of license plates designed to indicate that the applicant for
11 the plates is a former prisoner of war. The plates shall be issued
12 upon the applicant paying the regular license fee and an additional
13 fee of five dollars and furnishing proof satisfactory to the
14 department that the applicant was formerly a prisoner of war. Only
15 one motor vehicle owned by an applicant shall be so licensed at any
16 one time.

17 (2) If the license plates issued under this section are
18 lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plates shall be
19 issued replacement license plates upon request and without charge.

20 (3) The department shall renew the license plates issued
21 pursuant to this section without the payment of any fee except the
22 taxes and fees required by sections 60-311, 60-3002, and 60-3007.

23 Sec. 3. Section 60-311.08, Reissue Revised Statutes of
24 Nebraska, is amended to read:

25 60-311.08. (1) Any resident of this state who is a
26 veteran of the United States Armed Forces, who was honorably
27 discharged, and who is classified by the United States Department
28 of Veterans Affairs as one hundred percent service-connected

1 disabled may, in addition to the application required in section
2 60-302, apply to the Department of Motor Vehicles for a set of
3 license plates designed by the department to indicate that the
4 applicant for the plates is a disabled veteran. The inscription on
5 the plates shall be D.A.V. immediately below the license number to
6 indicate that the applicant for the plates is a disabled veteran.
7 The plates shall be issued upon the applicant paying the regular
8 license fee and an additional fee of five dollars and furnishing
9 proof satisfactory to the Department of Motor Vehicles that the
10 applicant is a disabled veteran. Only one motor vehicle owned by
11 the applicant shall be so licensed at any one time.

12 (2) If the license plates issued under this section are
13 lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plates shall be
14 issued replacement license plates ~~as provided in section 60-324~~
15 upon request and without charge.

16 (3) The department shall renew the license plates issued
17 pursuant to this section without the payment of any fee except the
18 taxes and fees required by sections 60-311, 60-3002, and 60-3007.

19 Sec. 4. Section 60-311.09, Reissue Revised Statutes of
20 Nebraska, is amended to read:

21 60-311.09. (1) Any resident of this state may, in
22 addition to the application required by section 60-302, make
23 application to the Department of Motor Vehicles for a set of
24 license plates designed by the department to indicate that the
25 applicant for the plates has received from the federal government
26 an award of a Purple Heart. The inscription of the plates shall be
27 designed so as to include a facsimile of the award and beneath any
28 numerical designation upon the plates pursuant to section 60-311.01

1 the words Purple Heart separately on one line and the words Combat
2 Wounded on the line below.

3 (2) The license plates shall be issued upon the applicant
4 paying ~~payment of~~ the regular license fee and an additional fee of
5 five dollars and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department
6 that the applicant was awarded the Purple Heart. Only one motor
7 vehicle owned by the applicant shall be so licensed at any one
8 time.

9 (3) If license plates issued pursuant to this section are
10 lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plates shall be
11 issued replacement plates upon request and without charge.

12 (4) The department shall renew the license plates issued
13 pursuant to this section without the payment of any fee except the
14 taxes and fees required by sections 60-311, 60-3002, and 60-3007.

15 Sec. 5. Original sections 60-311.03, 60-311.04,
16 60-311.08, and 60-311.09, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, are
17 repealed.