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LEGISLATIVE BILL 110

FINAL READING

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Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend sections 60-301,
2 60-3,104, 60-3,119, 60-3,122, 60-3,122.02, 60-3,123,
3 60-3,124, 60-3,125, 60-3,128, 60-3,129, and 60-3,130.04,
4 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2008; to change
5 fees for motor vehicle registration; to change the
6 distribution of proceeds of the fees; to provide for
7 specialty license plates; to harmonize provisions; to
8 provide an operative date; and to repeal the original
9 sections.

10 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 60-301, Revised Statutes Cumulative
2 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

3 60-301 Sections 60-301 to 60-3,221 and sections 3 and 4
4 of this act shall be known and may be cited as the Motor Vehicle
5 Registration Act.

6 Sec. 2. Section 60-3,104, Revised Statutes Cumulative
7 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

8 60-3,104 The department shall issue the following types
9 of license plates:

10 (1) Amateur radio station license plates issued pursuant
11 to section 60-3,126;

12 (2) Apportionable vehicle license plates issued pursuant
13 to section 60-3,203;

14 (3) Boat dealer license plates issued pursuant to section
15 60-379;

16 (4) Bus license plates issued pursuant to section
17 60-3,144;

18 (5) Commercial motor vehicle license plates issued
19 pursuant to section 60-3,147;

20 (6) Dealer or manufacturer license plates issued pursuant
21 to sections 60-3,114 and 60-3,115;

22 (7) Disabled veteran license plates issued pursuant to
23 section 60-3,124;

24 (8) Farm trailer license plates issued pursuant to
25 section 60-3,151;

- 1 (9) Farm truck license plates issued pursuant to section
2 60-3,146;
- 3 (10) Farm trucks with a gross weight of over sixteen tons
4 license plates issued pursuant to section 60-3,146;
- 5 (11) Fertilizer trailer license plates issued pursuant to
6 section 60-3,151;
- 7 (12) Film vehicle license plates issued pursuant to
8 section 60-383;
- 9 (13) Gold Star Family license plates issued pursuant to
10 sections 60-3,122.01 and 60-3,122.02;
- 11 (14) Handicapped or disabled person license plates issued
12 pursuant to section 60-3,113;
- 13 (15) Historical vehicle license plates issued pursuant to
14 sections 60-3,130 to 60-3,134;
- 15 (16) Local truck license plates issued pursuant to
16 section 60-3,145;
- 17 (17) Motor vehicle license plates for motor vehicles
18 owned or operated by the state, counties, municipalities, or school
19 districts issued pursuant to section 60-3,105;
- 20 (18) Motor vehicles exempt pursuant to section 60-3,107;
- 21 (19) Motorcycle license plates issued pursuant to section
22 60-3,100;
- 23 (20) Nebraska Cornhusker Spirit Plates issued pursuant to
24 sections 60-3,127 to 60-3,129;
- 25 (21) Nonresident owner thirty-day license plates issued

1 pursuant to section 60-382;

2 (22) Passenger car having a seating capacity of ten
3 persons or less and not used for hire issued pursuant to section
4 60-3,143;

5 (23) Passenger car having a seating capacity of ten
6 persons or less and used for hire issued pursuant to section
7 60-3,143;

8 (24) Pearl Harbor license plates issued pursuant to
9 section 60-3,122;

10 (25) Personal-use dealer license plates issued pursuant
11 to section 60-3,116;

12 (26) Personalized message license plates for motor
13 vehicles and cabin trailers, except commercial motor vehicles
14 registered for over ten tons gross weight, issued pursuant to
15 sections 60-3,118 to 60-3,121;

16 (27) Prisoner-of-war license plates issued pursuant to
17 section 60-3,123;

18 (28) Purple Heart license plates issued pursuant to
19 section 60-3,125;

20 (29) Recreational vehicle license plates issued pursuant
21 to section 60-3,151;

22 (30) Repossession license plates issued pursuant to
23 section 60-375;

24 (31) Specialty license plates issued pursuant to sections
25 3 and 4 of this act;

1 ~~(31)~~ (32) Trailer license plates issued for trailers
2 owned or operated by the state, counties, municipalities, or school
3 districts issued pursuant to section 60-3,106;

4 ~~(32)~~ (33) Trailer license plates issued pursuant to
5 section 60-3,100;

6 ~~(33)~~ (34) Trailers exempt pursuant to section 60-3,108;

7 ~~(34)~~ (35) Transporter license plates issued pursuant to
8 section 60-378;

9 ~~(35)~~ (36) Trucks or combinations of trucks,
10 truck-tractors, or trailers which are not for hire and
11 engaged in soil and water conservation work and used for the
12 purpose of transporting pipe and equipment exclusively used by such
13 contractors for soil and water conservation construction license
14 plates issued pursuant to section 60-3,149;

15 ~~(36)~~ (37) Utility trailer license plates issued pursuant
16 to section 60-3,151; and

17 ~~(37)~~ (38) Well-boring apparatus and well-servicing
18 equipment license plates issued pursuant to section 60-3,109.

19 Sec. 3. (1) Beginning January 1, 2010, a person may
20 apply for specialty license plates in lieu of regular license
21 plates on an application prescribed and provided by the department
22 pursuant to section 4 of this act for any motor vehicle, trailer,
23 semitrailer, or cabin trailer, except for motor vehicles or
24 trailers registered under section 60-3,198. An applicant receiving
25 a specialty license plate for a farm truck with a gross weight of

1 over sixteen tons or for a commercial motor vehicle registered
2 for a gross weight of five tons or over shall affix the
3 appropriate tonnage decal to the plate. The department shall
4 make forms available for such applications. Each application for
5 initial issuance or renewal of specialty license plates shall be
6 accompanied by a fee of seventy dollars. Fees collected pursuant
7 to this subsection shall be remitted to the State Treasurer. The
8 State Treasurer shall credit fifteen percent of the fee for initial
9 issuance and renewal of specialty license plates to the Department
10 of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund and eighty-five percent of the fee to
11 the Highway Trust Fund.

12 (2) When the department receives an application for
13 specialty license plates, it shall deliver the plates to the
14 county treasurer or designated county official of the county in
15 which the motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer
16 is registered. The county treasurer or designated county official
17 shall issue specialty license plates in lieu of regular license
18 plates when the applicant complies with the other provisions of
19 law for registration of the motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer,
20 or cabin trailer. If specialty license plates are lost, stolen, or
21 mutilated, the licensee shall be issued replacement license plates
22 pursuant to section 60-3,157.

23 (3)(a) The owner of a motor vehicle, trailer,
24 semitrailer, or cabin trailer bearing specialty license plates
25 may make application to the county treasurer or designated county

1 official to have such specialty license plates transferred to a
2 motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer other than
3 the motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer for
4 which such plates were originally purchased if such motor vehicle,
5 trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer is owned by the owner of
6 the specialty license plates.

7 (b) The owner may have the unused portion of the
8 specialty license plate fee credited to the other motor vehicle,
9 trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer which will bear the
10 specialty license plates at the rate of eight and one-third
11 percent per month for each full month left in the registration
12 period.

13 (c) Application for such transfer shall be accompanied by
14 a fee of three dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection
15 shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the
16 Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

17 Sec. 4. (1) On or before January 1, 2011, the department
18 shall begin issuing specialty license plates for any organization
19 which certifies that it meets the requirements of this section. The
20 department shall work with the organization to design the plates.

21 (2) The department shall make applications available
22 pursuant to section 3 of this act for each type of specialty
23 license plate when it is designed. The department shall not
24 manufacture specialty license plates for an organization until
25 the department has received five hundred prepaid applications

1 for specialty license plates designed for that organization. The
2 department may revoke the approval for an organization's specialty
3 license plate if the total number of registered vehicles that
4 obtained such plate is less than five hundred within three years
5 after receiving approval.

6 (3) In order to have specialty license plates designed
7 and manufactured, an organization shall furnish the department with
8 the following:

9 (a) A copy of its articles of incorporation and, if the
10 organization consists of a group of nonprofit corporations, a copy
11 for each organization;

12 (b) A copy of its charter or bylaws and, if the
13 organization consists of a group of nonprofit corporations, a
14 copy for each organization;

15 (c) Any Internal Revenue Service rulings of the
16 organization's nonprofit tax-exempt status and, if the organization
17 consists of a group of nonprofit corporations, a copy for each
18 organization;

19 (d) A copy of a certificate of existence on file with the
20 Secretary of State under the Nebraska Nonprofit Corporation Act;

21 (e) Five hundred prepaid applications for the speciality
22 license plates; and

23 (f) A completed application for the issuance of the
24 plates on a form provided by the department certifying that the
25 organization meets the following requirements:

1 (i) The organization is a nonprofit corporation or a
2 group of nonprofit corporations with a common purpose;

3 (ii) The primary activity or purpose of the organization
4 serves the community, contributes to the welfare of others, and is
5 not offensive or discriminatory in its purpose, nature, activity,
6 or name;

7 (iii) The name and purpose of the organization does not
8 promote any specific product or brand name that is on a product
9 provided for sale;

10 (iv) The organization is authorized to use any name,
11 logo, or graphic design suggested for the design of the plates;

12 (v) No infringement or violation of any property right
13 will result from such use of such name, logo, or graphic design;
14 and

15 (vi) The organization will hold harmless the State of
16 Nebraska and its employees and agents for any liability which may
17 result from any infringement or violation of a property right based
18 on the use of such name, logo, or graphic design.

19 (4) The department may adopt and promulgate rules and
20 regulations to carry out this section.

21 Sec. 5. Section 60-3,119, Revised Statutes Cumulative
22 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

23 60-3,119 (1) Application for personalized message license
24 plates shall be made to the department. The department shall
25 make available through each county treasurer or designated county

1 official forms to be used for such applications.

2 (2) Each initial application shall be accompanied by
3 a fee of ~~thirty~~ forty dollars. The fees shall be remitted to
4 the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit twenty-five
5 percent of the fee to the Highway Trust Fund and seventy-five
6 percent of the fee ~~for credit~~ to the Department of Motor Vehicles
7 Cash Fund.

8 (3) An application for renewal of a license plate
9 previously approved and issued shall be accompanied by a fee
10 of ~~thirty~~ forty dollars. County treasurers or designated county
11 officials collecting fees pursuant to this subsection shall remit
12 them to the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit
13 twenty-five percent of the fee to the Highway Trust Fund and
14 seventy-five percent of the fee ~~for credit~~ to the Department of
15 Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

16 Sec. 6. Section 60-3,122, Revised Statutes Cumulative
17 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

18 60-3,122 (1) Any person may, in addition to the
19 application required by section 60-385, apply to the department
20 for license plates designed by the department to indicate that he
21 or she is a survivor of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor if he
22 or she:

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

25 (b) Was on station on December 7, 1941, during the hours

1 of 7:55 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. Hawaii time at Pearl Harbor, the island
2 of Oahu, or offshore at a distance not to exceed three miles;

3 (c) Was discharged or otherwise separated with a
4 characterization of honorable from the United States Armed Forces;
5 and

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

8 (2) The license plates shall be issued upon the applicant
9 paying the regular license fee and an additional fee of five
10 dollars and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that
11 the applicant fulfills the requirements provided by subsection (1)
12 of this section. The additional fee shall be remitted to the
13 State Treasurer for credit to the ~~Highway Trust~~ Nebraska Veteran
14 Cemetery System Operation Fund. Only one motor vehicle, trailer,
15 semitrailer, or cabin trailer owned by the applicant shall be so
16 licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles and trailers registered
17 under section 60-3,198 shall not be so licensed.

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

22 Sec. 7. Section 60-3,122.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative
23 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

24 60-3,122.02 (1) A person may apply to the department
25 for Gold Star Family plates in lieu of regular license plates on

1 an application prescribed and provided by the department for any
2 motor vehicle or cabin trailer, except for a commercial truck. An
3 applicant receiving a Gold Star Family plate for a farm truck with
4 a gross weight of over sixteen tons shall affix the appropriate
5 tonnage decal to the plate. The department shall make forms
6 available for such applications through the county treasurers or
7 designated county officials. The license plates shall be issued
8 upon payment of the license fee described in subsection (2) of
9 this section and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department
10 that the applicant is a surviving spouse, whether remarried or not,
11 or an ancestor, including a stepparent, a descendant, including
12 a stepchild, a foster parent or a person in loco parentis, or
13 a sibling of a person who died while in good standing on active
14 duty in the military service of the United States. Only one motor
15 vehicle or trailer owned by the applicant shall be so licensed at
16 any one time.

17 (2) (a) Each application for initial issuance of
18 consecutively numbered Gold Star Family plates shall be accompanied
19 by a fee of ~~fifteen~~ five dollars. An application for renewal of
20 such plates shall be accompanied by a fee of ~~fifteen~~ five dollars.
21 County treasurers or designated county officials collecting fees
22 for renewals pursuant to this subdivision shall remit them to the
23 State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit five dollars of
24 the fee for initial issuance and renewal of such plates ~~to the~~
25 ~~Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund and ten dollars of the fee~~

1 to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund.

2 (b) Each application for initial issuance of personalized
3 message Gold Star Family plates shall be accompanied by a fee of
4 forty dollars. An application for renewal of such plates shall
5 be accompanied by a fee of forty dollars. County treasurers or
6 designated county officials collecting fees for renewals pursuant
7 to this subdivision shall remit them to the State Treasurer. The
8 State Treasurer shall credit ~~thirty dollars~~ twenty-five percent
9 of the fee for initial issuance and renewal of such plates
10 to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund and ~~ten dollars~~
11 seventy-five percent of the fee to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery
12 System Operation Fund.

13 (3) When the department receives an application for Gold
14 Star Family plates, the department shall deliver the plates to
15 the county treasurer or designated county official of the county
16 in which the motor vehicle or cabin trailer is registered. The
17 county treasurer or designated county official shall issue Gold
18 Star Family plates in lieu of regular license plates when the
19 applicant complies with the other provisions of the Motor Vehicle
20 Registration Act for registration of the motor vehicle or cabin
21 trailer. If Gold Star Family plates are lost, stolen, or mutilated,
22 the licensee shall be issued replacement license plates upon
23 request and without charge.

24 (4) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer bearing
25 Gold Star Family plates may apply to the county treasurer or

1 designated county official to have such plates transferred to a
2 motor vehicle other than the vehicle for which such plates were
3 originally purchased if such vehicle is owned by the owner of the
4 plates. The owner may have the unused portion of the fee for the
5 plates credited to the other vehicle which will bear the plates
6 at the rate of eight and one-third percent per month for each
7 full month left in the registration period. Application for such
8 transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of three dollars. Fees
9 collected pursuant to this subsection shall be remitted to the
10 State Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash
11 Fund.

12 (5) If the cost of manufacturing Gold Star Family plates
13 at any time exceeds the amount charged for license plates pursuant
14 to section 60-3,102, any money to be credited to the Nebraska
15 Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund shall instead be credited
16 first to the Highway Trust Fund in an amount equal to the
17 difference between the manufacturing costs of Gold Star Family
18 plates and the amount charged pursuant to section 60-3,102 with
19 respect to such plates and the remainder shall be credited to the
20 Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund.

21 Sec. 8. Section 60-3,123, Revised Statutes Cumulative
22 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

23 60-3,123 (1) Any person who was captured and incarcerated
24 by an enemy of the United States during a period of conflict with
25 such enemy and who was discharged or otherwise separated with a

1 characterization of honorable from or is currently serving in the
2 United States Armed Forces may, in addition to the application
3 required in section 60-385, apply to the department for license
4 plates designed to indicate that he or she is a former prisoner of
5 war.

6 (2) The license plates shall be issued upon the applicant
7 paying the regular license fee and an additional fee of five
8 dollars and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that
9 the applicant was formerly a prisoner of war. The additional fee
10 shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the ~~Highway~~
11 ~~Trust~~ Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund. Only one
12 motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer owned by an
13 applicant shall be so licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles
14 and trailers registered under section 60-3,198 shall not be so
15 licensed.

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

20 Sec. 9. Section 60-3,124, Revised Statutes Cumulative
21 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

22 60-3,124 (1) Any person who is a veteran of the United
23 States Armed Forces, who was discharged or otherwise separated
24 with a characterization of honorable or general (under honorable
25 conditions), and who is classified by the United States Department

1 of Veterans Affairs as one hundred percent service-connected
2 disabled may, in addition to the application required in section
3 60-385, apply to the Department of Motor Vehicles for license
4 plates designed by the department to indicate that the applicant is
5 a disabled veteran. The inscription on the license plates shall be
6 D.A.V. immediately below the license plate number to indicate that
7 the holder of the license plates is a disabled veteran.

8 (2) The plates shall be issued upon the applicant paying
9 the regular license fee and an additional fee of five dollars and
10 furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant
11 is a disabled veteran. The additional fee shall be remitted to the
12 State Treasurer for credit to the ~~Highway Trust~~ Nebraska Veteran
13 Cemetery System Operation Fund. Only one motor vehicle, trailer,
14 semitrailer, or cabin trailer owned by the applicant shall be so
15 licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles and trailers registered
16 under section 60-3,198 shall not be so licensed.

17 (3) 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 as provided in section 60-3,157.

20 Sec. 10. Section 60-3,125, Revised Statutes Cumulative
21 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

22 60-3,125 (1) Any person may, in addition to the
23 application required by section 60-385, apply to the department
24 for license plates designed by the department to indicate that the
25 applicant has received from the federal government an award of a

1 Purple Heart. The inscription of the plates shall be designed so
2 as to include a facsimile of the award and beneath any numerical
3 designation upon the plates pursuant to section 60-370 the words
4 Purple Heart separately on one line and the words Combat Wounded
5 on the line below.

6 (2) The license plates shall be issued upon payment of
7 the regular license fee and an additional fee of five dollars
8 and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that the
9 applicant was awarded the Purple Heart. The additional fee shall
10 be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the ~~Highway Trust~~
11 Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund. Any number of
12 motor vehicles, trailers, semitrailers, or cabin trailers owned by
13 the applicant may be so licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles
14 and trailers registered under section 60-3,198 shall not be so
15 licensed.

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

19 Sec. 11. Section 60-3,128, Revised Statutes Cumulative
20 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

21 60-3,128 (1) A person may apply to the department for
22 Nebraska Cornhusker Spirit Plates in lieu of regular license
23 plates on an application prescribed and provided by the department
24 for any motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer,
25 except for motor vehicles or trailers registered under section

1 60-3,198. An applicant receiving a spirit plate for a farm truck
2 with a gross weight of over sixteen tons or for a commercial
3 motor vehicle registered for a gross weight of five tons or over
4 shall affix the appropriate tonnage decal to the spirit plate.
5 The department shall make forms available for such applications
6 through the county treasurers or designated county officials. Each
7 application for initial issuance or renewal of spirit plates shall
8 be accompanied by a fee of seventy dollars. Fees collected pursuant
9 to this subsection shall be remitted to the State Treasurer. The
10 State Treasurer shall credit forty-three percent of the fees for
11 initial issuance and renewal of spirit plates to the Department
12 of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund. The State Treasurer shall credit and
13 fifty-seven percent of the fees to the Spirit Plate Proceeds Fund
14 until the fund has been credited five million dollars from such
15 fees and thereafter to the Highway Trust Fund.

16 (2) When the department receives an application for
17 spirit plates, it shall deliver the plates to the county treasurer
18 or designated county official of the county in which the motor
19 vehicle or cabin trailer is registered. The county treasurer or
20 designated county official shall issue spirit plates in lieu of
21 regular license plates when the applicant complies with the other
22 provisions of law for registration of the motor vehicle or cabin
23 trailer. If spirit plates are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the
24 licensee shall be issued replacement license plates pursuant to
25 section 60-3,157.

1 (3) (a) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer
2 bearing spirit plates may make application to the county
3 treasurer or designated county official to have such spirit
4 plates transferred to a motor vehicle or cabin trailer other than
5 the motor vehicle or cabin trailer for which such plates were
6 originally purchased if such motor vehicle or cabin trailer is
7 owned by the owner of the spirit plates.

8 (b) The owner may have the unused portion of the spirit
9 plate fee credited to the other motor vehicle or cabin trailer
10 which will bear the spirit plate at the rate of eight and one-third
11 percent per month for each full month left in the registration
12 period.

13 (c) Application for such transfer shall be accompanied by
14 a fee of three dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection
15 shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the
16 Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

17 Sec. 12. Section 60-3,129, Revised Statutes Cumulative
18 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

19 60-3,129 (1) The Spirit Plate Proceeds Fund is created.
20 Any money in the fund available for investment shall be invested
21 by the state investment officer pursuant to the Nebraska Capital
22 Expansion Act and the Nebraska State Funds Investment Act.

23 (2) If the cost of manufacturing Nebraska Cornhusker
24 Spirit Plates at any time exceeds the amount charged for license
25 plates pursuant to section 60-3,102, any money to be credited to

1 the Spirit Plate Proceeds Fund shall instead be credited first
2 to the Highway Trust Fund in an amount equal to the difference
3 between the manufacturing costs of such spirit plates and the
4 amount charged pursuant to such section with respect to such spirit
5 plates and the remainder shall be credited to the Spirit Plate
6 Proceeds Fund as provided in section 60-3,128.

7 (3) The first three million dollars credited to the
8 Spirit Plate Proceeds Fund and not credited to the Highway
9 Trust Fund shall be appropriated to the University of Nebraska
10 to establish an endowment fund to provide financial support to
11 former University of Nebraska athletes to pursue undergraduate
12 and postgraduate studies at any University of Nebraska campus.
13 Funds appropriated by the Legislature for such scholarship program
14 shall be held, managed, and invested as an endowed scholarship
15 fund in such manner as the Board of Regents of the University
16 of Nebraska shall determine and as authorized by section 72-1246.
17 The income from the endowed scholarship fund shall be expended
18 for such scholarships. The University of Nebraska shall grant
19 financial support to former athletes who demonstrate financial
20 need as determined by the Federal Pell Grant Program or similar
21 need-based qualifications as approved by the financial aid office
22 of the appropriate campus.

23 (4) The next two million dollars credited to the Spirit
24 Plate Proceeds Fund and not credited to the Highway Trust Fund
25 shall be appropriated to the University of Nebraska to establish

1 an endowment fund to provide financial support for the academic
2 service units of the athletic departments of the campuses of the
3 University of Nebraska in support of academic services to athletes.

4 ~~(5) Any money credited to the Spirit Plate Proceeds Fund~~
5 ~~and not credited to the Highway Trust Fund after the first five~~
6 ~~million dollars shall be divided equally between the campuses of~~
7 ~~the state college system and the University of Nebraska for the~~
8 ~~repair, maintenance, upkeep, and improvement of facilities at any~~
9 ~~campus, except that the first ten percent of the amount over five~~
10 ~~million dollars shall be credited to the endowment fund created in~~
11 ~~subsection (3) of this section.~~

12 Sec. 13. Section 60-3,130.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative
13 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

14 60-3,130.04 (1) An owner of a historical vehicle eligible
15 for registration under section 60-3,130 may use a license plate
16 or plates designed by this state in the year corresponding to the
17 model year when the vehicle was manufactured in lieu of the plates
18 designed pursuant to section 60-3,130.03 subject to the approval of
19 the department. The department shall inspect the plate or plates
20 and may approve the plate or plates if it is determined that the
21 model-year license plate or plates are legible and serviceable and
22 that the license plate numbers do not conflict with or duplicate
23 other numbers assigned and in use. An original-issued license plate
24 or plates that have been restored to original condition may be used
25 when approved by the department.

1 (2) The department may consult with a recognized car club
2 in determining whether the year of the license plate or plates
3 to be used corresponds to the model year when the vehicle was
4 manufactured.

5 (3) If only one license plate is used on the vehicle, the
6 license plate shall be placed on the rear of the vehicle. The owner
7 of a historical vehicle may use only one plate on the vehicle even
8 for years in which two license plates were issued for vehicles in
9 general.

10 (4) License plates used pursuant to this section
11 corresponding to the year of manufacture of the vehicle shall
12 not be personalized message license plates, Pearl Harbor license
13 plates, prisoner-of-war license plates, disabled veteran license
14 plates, Purple Heart license plates, amateur radio station license
15 plates, Nebraska Cornhusker Spirit Plates, ~~or~~ handicapped or
16 disabled person license plates, or specialty license plates.

17 Sec. 14. This act becomes operative on January 1, 2010.

18 Sec. 15. Original sections 60-301, 60-3,104, 60-3,119,
19 60-3,122, 60-3,122.02, 60-3,123, 60-3,124, 60-3,125, 60-3,128,
20 60-3,129, and 60-3,130.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
21 2008, are repealed.