

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

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4 HOUSE BILL 1299

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7 AS INTRODUCED

8 An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S.
9 2011, Section 1135.5, as last amended by Section 3,
10 Chapter 372, O.S.L. 2014 (47 O.S. Supp. 2014, Section
11 1135.5), which relates to special license plates;
12 reauthorizing the Lupus Awareness and Education
13 License Plate; and providing an effective date.

14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2011, Section 1135.5, as
16 last amended by Section 3, Chapter 372, O.S.L. 2014 (47 O.S. Supp.
17 2014, Section 1135.5), is amended to read as follows:

18 Section 1135.5 A. The Oklahoma Tax Commission is hereby
19 authorized to design and issue appropriate official special license
20 plates to persons wishing to demonstrate support and provide
21 financial assistance as provided by this section.

22 Special license plates shall not be transferred to any other
23 person but shall be removed from the vehicle upon transfer of
24 ownership and retained. The special license plate may then be used

1 on another vehicle but only after such other vehicle has been
2 registered for the current year with a motor license agent.

3 Special license plates shall be renewed each year by the Tax
4 Commission or a motor license agent. The Tax Commission shall
5 annually notify by mail all persons issued special license plates.
6 The notice shall contain all necessary information and shall contain
7 instructions for the renewal procedure upon presentation to a motor
8 license agent or the Tax Commission. The license plates shall be
9 issued on a staggered system.

10 The Tax Commission is hereby directed to develop and implement a
11 system whereby motor license agents are permitted to accept
12 applications for special license plates authorized under this
13 section. The motor license agent shall confirm the applicant's
14 eligibility, if applicable, collect and deposit any amount
15 specifically authorized by law, accept and process the necessary
16 information directly into such system and generate a receipt
17 accordingly. For performance of these duties, motor license agents
18 shall retain the fee provided in Section 1141.1 of this title for
19 registration of a motor vehicle. The motor license agent fees for
20 acceptance of applications and renewals shall be paid out of the
21 Oklahoma Tax Commission Reimbursement Fund.

22 If fewer than one hundred of any type of special license plates
23 authorized prior to January 1, 2004, are issued prior to January 1,
24 2006, the Tax Commission shall discontinue issuance and renewal of

1 that type of special license plate. Any such authorized special
2 license plate registrant shall be allowed to display the license
3 plate upon the designated vehicle until the registration expiration
4 date. After such time the expired special license plate shall be
5 removed from the vehicle.

6 For special license plates authorized on or after July 1, 2004,
7 no special license plates shall be developed or issued by the Tax
8 Commission until the Commission receives one hundred prepaid
9 applications therefor. The prepaid applications must be received by
10 the Tax Commission within one hundred eighty (180) days of the
11 effective date of the authorization or the authority to issue shall
12 be null and void. In the event one hundred prepaid applications are
13 not received by the Tax Commission within such prescribed time
14 period any payment so received shall be refunded accordingly.

15 B. The special license plates provided by this section are as
16 follows:

17 1. University or College Supporter License Plates - such plates
18 shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
19 support to any state-supported or private university or college. As
20 provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
21 apportioned as provided in Section 1104.1 of this title;

22 2. Environmental Awareness License Plates - such plates shall
23 be designed, subject to the criteria to be presented to the Tax
24 Commission by the Department of Environmental Quality in

1 consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any
2 person wishing to demonstrate support to implement the statewide
3 general public environmental education program created pursuant to
4 the provisions of the Oklahoma Environmental Quality Code. Such
5 plates shall be designed and issued to any person in any combination
6 of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for
7 personalized license plates. A dealer's license plate issued
8 pursuant to Section 1116.1 or 1128 of this title may be designated
9 an Environmental Awareness License Plate upon payment of the fee
10 imposed by this section and any other registration fees required by
11 the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act. As provided in
12 this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned
13 pursuant to Section 1104.2 of this title;

14 3. Firefighter License Plates - such plates shall be designed
15 for any career or retired firefighter, volunteer or paid.
16 Firefighters may apply for firefighter plates for up to four
17 vehicles with a rated capacity of one (1) ton or less or for a
18 motorcycle upon proof of a fire department membership by either an
19 identification card or letter from the chief of the fire department.
20 Retirees who are eligible for such plates shall provide proof of
21 eligibility upon initial application, but shall not be required to
22 provide proof of eligibility annually. The surviving spouse of any
23 deceased firefighter, if the spouse has not since remarried, may
24 apply for a firefighter license plate for one vehicle with a rated

1 carrying capacity of one (1) ton or less or for a motorcycle upon
2 proof that the deceased firefighter was a member of a fire
3 department by either an identification card or letter from the chief
4 of the fire department.

5 Except for motorcycles, the license plate shall have the legend
6 "Oklahoma" in the color Pantone 186C Red and shall contain no more
7 than three letters and three numbers in the color Pantone 301C Blue.
8 Between the letters and numbers shall be the Firefighter Maltese
9 Cross Logo in the color Pantone 186C Red outlined in the color
10 Pantone 301C Blue. Below the letters and the logo shall be the word
11 "Firefighter" in the color Pantone 186C Red. The license plate for
12 motorcycles may be of a similar design as space permits or a new
13 design in order to meet the space requirements of a motorcycle
14 license plate. The plates shall not be subject to the design
15 requirements of any other license plates prescribed by law other
16 than the space for the placement of the yearly decals for each
17 succeeding year of registration after the initial issue.

18 As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected
19 shall be deposited to the Oklahoma State Firemen's Museum Building &
20 Memorial Fund for support of the Oklahoma Firefighter Fallen and
21 Living Memorial;

22 4. Wildlife Conservation License Plates - such plates shall be
23 designed, subject to the criteria to be presented to the Tax
24 Commission by the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation in

1 consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any
2 person wishing to demonstrate support for wildlife conservation in
3 this state through the Wildlife Diversity Fund, provided for in
4 Section 3-310 of Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes. Such plates may
5 be designed and issued to any person as for personalized license
6 plates.

7 As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected
8 shall be apportioned pursuant to subsection D of Section 3-310 of
9 Title 29 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

10 5. Child Abuse Prevention License Plates - such plates shall be
11 designed, subject to the criteria to be presented to the Tax
12 Commission by the Office of Child Abuse Prevention in the State
13 Department of Health and the Oklahoma Committee to Prevent Child
14 Abuse, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for
15 the prevention of child abuse.

16 As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected
17 shall be deposited in the Child Abuse Prevention Fund;

18 6. United States Olympic Committee Supporter License Plates -
19 such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to
20 demonstrate support for the United States Olympic Committee. The
21 plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers
22 and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized
23 license plates. The plate shall contain the official United States
24 Olympic Committee logo. The Tax Commission shall be authorized, if

1 necessary, to enter into a licensing agreement with the United
2 States Olympic Committee for any licensing fees which may be
3 required in order to use the United States Olympic Committee logo or
4 design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment of not
5 more than Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for each license plate
6 issued;

7 7. Oklahoma History License Plates - such plates shall be
8 designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate interest in
9 Oklahoma history. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee
10 collected shall be deposited to the Oklahoma Historical Society
11 Revolving Fund to be used for educational purposes;

12 8. Historic Route 66 License Plates - such plates shall be
13 designed to honor historic Route 66, also known as the "Mother
14 Road". As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected
15 shall be apportioned to the Oklahoma Historical Society Revolving
16 Fund to be distributed to the Route 66 Museum located in Clinton,
17 Oklahoma;

18 9. Heart of the Heartland License Plates - such plates shall be
19 designed and issued to any person wishing to honor the victims of
20 the terrorist bombing attack on the Alfred P. Murrah Federal
21 Building in downtown Oklahoma City on April 19, 1995. As provided
22 in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited
23 in the Heart of the Heartland Scholarship Fund, as established in
24 Section 2282 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

1 10. Emergency Medical Technician License Plates - such plates
2 shall be designed and issued to any person who is an emergency
3 medical technician. Such persons may apply for an emergency medical
4 technician license plate for each vehicle with a rated carrying
5 capacity of one (1) ton or less upon proof of an emergency medical
6 technician's license. The license plate shall be designed in
7 consultation with the state association of emergency medical
8 technicians. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee
9 collected shall be apportioned to the Emergency Medical Technician
10 Death Benefit Revolving Fund created in Section 1-2505.2 of Title 63
11 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

12 11. Fight Breast Cancer License Plates - such plates shall be
13 designed to demonstrate support for the prevention and treatment of
14 breast cancer in this state. As provided in this section, an amount
15 of the fee collected shall be apportioned to the Breast Cancer Act
16 Revolving Fund;

17 12. Crime Victims Awareness License Plates - such plates shall
18 be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
19 awareness of and support for victims of crimes. The license plates
20 shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Crime Victims
21 Centre. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected
22 shall be apportioned to the Attorney General's Revolving Fund for
23 the Office of the Attorney General, which is hereby directed to use
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1 such funds to contract with a statewide nonprofit organization to
2 provide services to crime victims;

3 13. Oklahoma Safe Kids Association License Plates - such plates
4 shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
5 support and awareness of the Oklahoma Safe Kids Association. The
6 license plate shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma
7 Safe Kids Association. As provided in this section, an amount of
8 the fee collected shall be deposited in the Children's Hospital -
9 Oklahoma Safe Kids Association Revolving Fund to be distributed to
10 the Oklahoma Safe Kids Association program;

11 14. Four-H Club License Plates - such plates shall be designed,
12 subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission by the
13 Four-H Foundation, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
14 support of the Four-H Club. Such plates may be designed and issued
15 to any person as for personalized license plates. As provided in
16 this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned to
17 the OSU Extension Service License Plate Revolving Fund created in
18 Section 1104.4 of this title;

19 15. Agricultural Awareness License Plates - such plates shall
20 be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax
21 Commission, by the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and
22 Forestry in consultation with the Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued
23 to any person wishing to demonstrate support of the Department's Ag
24 in the Classroom Education Program. As provided in this section, an

1 amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in
2 Section 1104.3 of this title;

3 16. Oklahoma Statehood Centennial License Plates - such plates
4 shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to commemorate
5 the centennial of Oklahoma's admission to statehood in 1907. The
6 license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma
7 Capitol Complex and Centennial Commemoration Commission. As
8 provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
9 deposited in the Oklahoma Capitol Complex and Centennial
10 Commemoration Commission Revolving Fund created in Section 98.5 of
11 Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

12 17. Support Education License Plates - such plates shall be
13 designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission
14 by the State Department of Education in consultation with the
15 Oklahoma Arts Council, and issued to any person wishing to
16 demonstrate support for education in this state. All motor license
17 agents shall display a sample of the Support Education License plate
18 in the area of the business accessed by the public. Twenty-three
19 Dollars (\$23.00) of the fee collected shall be apportioned as
20 follows:

- 21 a. five percent (5%) shall be deposited to the Education
22 Reform Revolving Fund,
23 b. five percent (5%) shall be deposited to the Higher
24 Education Revolving Fund,

- 1 c. five percent (5%) shall be deposited to the State
2 Career Technology Fund, and
- 3 d. eighty-five percent (85%) of the fee shall be
4 deposited to the Teachers' Retirement Benefit Fund as
5 set forth in Section 17-108 of Title 70 of the
6 Oklahoma Statutes.

7 However, when the Teachers' Retirement Benefit Fund attains a
8 seventy percent (70%) funded ratio based on an annual actuarial
9 valuation as required by law, the amount of the fee shall be
10 apportioned equally pursuant to subparagraphs a, b and c of this
11 paragraph;

12 18. Retired Oklahoma Highway Patrol Officers License Plates -
13 such plates shall be designed and issued to any retired officer of
14 the Oklahoma Highway Patrol. The license plate shall have the
15 legend "Oklahoma" and shall contain, in the center of the plate, the
16 Highway Patrol Officers patch using the same colors and pattern as
17 used in the patch. Centered on the bottom of the license plate
18 shall be the word "Retired". The letters "TRP" shall be used in
19 combination with three numbers on either side of the insignia or
20 emblem. The color of the letters and numbers shall be brown.
21 Retirees who are eligible for such plates shall provide proof of
22 eligibility upon initial application, but shall not be required to
23 provide proof of eligibility annually. The surviving spouse of any
24 deceased retired officer of the Oklahoma Highway Patrol, if the

1 spouse has not since remarried, or if remarried, the remarriage is
2 terminated by death, divorce, or annulment, may apply for a Retired
3 Oklahoma Highway Patrol Officers license plate. As provided in this
4 section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited into the
5 Law Enforcement Retirement Fund;

6 19. Boy Scouts of America Supporter License Plates - such
7 plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to
8 demonstrate support for the Boy Scouts of America. The plates shall
9 be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters
10 from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized license plates.
11 The plate shall contain the official Boy Scouts of America logo.
12 The Tax Commission shall be authorized, if necessary, to enter into
13 a licensing agreement with the Boy Scouts of America for any
14 licensing fees which may be required in order to use the Boy Scouts
15 of America logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide
16 for a payment to the Boy Scouts of America of not more than Twenty
17 Dollars (\$20.00) for each license plate issued;

18 20. Urban Forestry and Beautification License Plates - such
19 plates shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the
20 Tax Commission, by the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and
21 Forestry in consultation with nonprofit organizations in this state
22 that develop and operate programs to encourage urban forestry and
23 beautification, and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
24 support of such programs. As provided in this section, an amount of

1 the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in Section 1104.5
2 of this title;

3 21. Oklahoma State Parks Supporter License Plates - such plates
4 shall be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax
5 Commission by the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department, and
6 issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma
7 state parks system. Twenty-three Dollars (\$23.00) of the fee
8 collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation
9 Department Revolving Fund. Such money shall be designated for and
10 may only be expended for the support of Oklahoma state parks;

11 22. Adoption Creates Families License Plates - such plates
12 shall be issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support of
13 pregnant women who are committed to placing their children for
14 adoption and wishing to provide assistance to guardians, adoptive
15 parents and other created families to assist in the adoption and
16 placement of children in permanent, safe homes. The license plates
17 shall be designed and final terminology delivered in consultation
18 with the Oklahoma Adoption Coalition and the Department of Human
19 Services. Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) of the fee collected shall
20 be deposited in a revolving fund established in the State Treasury
21 for and to be used by the Department of Human Services for the
22 implementation of the Investing in Stronger Oklahoma Families Act
23 specifically for created families;

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1 23. Choose Life License Plates - such plates shall be designed,
2 subject to criteria presented to the Tax Commission, by Choose Life,
3 Inc., and issued to any person who wishes to demonstrate support of
4 organizations that encourage adoption as a positive choice for women
5 with unplanned pregnancies. As provided in this section, an amount
6 of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Choose Life
7 Assistance Program Revolving Fund established in Section 1104.6 of
8 this title;

9 24. Future Farmers of America License Plate - such plates shall
10 be designed and issued to persons wishing to demonstrate support for
11 the Oklahoma FFA (formerly known as Future Farmers of America). The
12 license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma
13 FFA Foundation Board of Directors. As provided in this section, an
14 amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in
15 Section 1104.7 of this title;

16 25. Lions Club License Plates - such plates shall be designed
17 and issued to persons wishing to demonstrate support for the Lions
18 Club of Oklahoma. The plates shall be issued to any person in any
19 combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven,
20 as for personalized license plates. The license plates shall be
21 designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation
22 and shall contain the official logo of the International Association
23 of Lions Clubs. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter
24 into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma Lions Service

1 Foundation. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to
2 the Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation of not more than Ten Dollars
3 (\$10.00) for each license plate issued;

4 26. Color Oklahoma License Plates - such plates shall be
5 designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax Commission
6 by the Oklahoma Native Plant Society, and issued to any person
7 wishing to demonstrate support for preserving and planting
8 wildflowers and native plants in Oklahoma and to promote Oklahoma's
9 wildflower heritage through education. As provided in this section,
10 an amount of the fee collected shall be apportioned as provided in
11 Section 1104.8 of this title;

12 27. Girl Scouts of the United States of America Supporter
13 License Plates - such plates shall be designed and issued to any
14 person wishing to demonstrate support for the Girl Scouts of the
15 United States of America. The plates shall be issued to any person
16 in any combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of
17 seven, as for personalized license plates. The plate shall contain
18 the official Girl Scouts of the United States of America logo. The
19 Tax Commission shall be authorized, if necessary, to enter into a
20 licensing agreement with the Girl Scouts of the United States of
21 America for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use
22 the Girl Scouts of the United States of America logo or design. The
23 licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to the Girl Scouts
24 of Magic Empire Council, acting on behalf of all Oklahoma Girl Scout

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1 councils, of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license
2 plate issued;

3 28. Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon License Plates - such
4 plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to
5 demonstrate support for the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon. The
6 plate shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma City
7 Memorial Marathon. The Tax Commission shall be authorized to enter
8 into a licensing agreement with the Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon
9 for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the
10 Oklahoma City Memorial Marathon logo or design. The licensing
11 agreement shall provide for a payment to the Oklahoma City Memorial
12 Marathon of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license
13 plate issued;

14 29. Oklahoma Scenic Rivers License Plate - such plates shall be
15 designed to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Scenic Rivers. The
16 plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Scenic
17 Rivers Commission. Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) of the fee shall be
18 apportioned to the Oklahoma Scenic Rivers Commission;

19 30. Fight Cancer License Plate - such plates shall be designed
20 to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma Central Cancer Registry.
21 The plate shall contain the American Cancer Society logo. The
22 American Cancer Society logo shall be used in accordance with the
23 American Cancer Society's branding guidelines and shall only be
24 utilized to support the Oklahoma Central Cancer Registry. Twenty

1 Dollars (\$20.00) of the fee shall be apportioned to the Oklahoma
2 Central Cancer Registry Revolving Fund;

3 31. Animal Friendly License Plate - such plates shall be
4 designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for
5 controlling the overpopulation of dogs and cats through educational
6 and sterilization efforts. The plates shall be designed in
7 consultation with the Veterinary Medical Association. Twenty
8 Dollars (\$20.00) of the fee collected shall be designated by the
9 purchaser of the plate to be deposited in the Oklahoma Pet
10 Overpopulation Fund created in Section 2368.13 of Title 68 of the
11 Oklahoma Statutes or the Animal Friendly Revolving Fund created in
12 Section 1104.10 of this title;

13 32. Patriot License Plate - such plates shall be designed in
14 consultation with the Military Department of Oklahoma and issued to
15 any person wishing to demonstrate support for Oklahoma residents who
16 are members of the Oklahoma National Guard and deployed on active
17 duty. The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination
18 of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for
19 personalized license plates. As provided in this section, a portion
20 of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Patriot License Plate
21 Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.11 of this title;

22 33. Global War on Terrorism License Plate - such plate shall be
23 designed in consultation with the Military Department of Oklahoma
24 and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for Oklahoma

1 residents who are members of the Armed Forces of the United States
2 or Oklahoma National Guard that have served in the Global War on
3 Terrorism. The plate shall be issued to any person in any
4 combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six. As
5 provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected shall be
6 deposited in the 45th Infantry Division Museum Fund created in
7 Section 235.1 of Title 44 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

8 34. Boys and Girls Clubs of America Supporter License Plates -
9 such plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to
10 demonstrate support for the Boys and Girls Clubs of America. The
11 plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers
12 and letters from one to a maximum of seven, as for personalized
13 license plates. The plate shall contain the official Boys and Girls
14 Clubs of America logo. The Tax Commission, if necessary, may enter
15 into a licensing agreement with the Boys and Girls Clubs of America
16 for any licensing fees which may be required in order to use the
17 Boys and Girls Clubs of America logo or design. The licensing
18 agreement shall provide for a payment to the Boys and Girls Clubs of
19 America of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license
20 plate issued;

21 35. Oklahoma Quarter Horse License Plates - such plates shall
22 be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support
23 for the American Quarter Horse in Oklahoma. The plate shall be
24 designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Quarter Horse

1 Association. As provided in this section, a portion of the fee
2 collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Quarter Horse Revolving
3 Fund created in Section 1104.12 of this title;

4 36. Oklahoma Association for the Deaf License Plate - such
5 plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma
6 Association for the Deaf and issued to any person wishing to
7 demonstrate support for Oklahoma residents who are deaf. The plates
8 shall be issued to any person in any combination of numbers and
9 letters from one to maximum of seven, as for personalized license
10 plates. As provided in this section, a portion of the fee collected
11 shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Association for the Deaf License
12 Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.15 of this title;

13 37. Oklahoma City Zoo License Plate - such plates shall be
14 issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support for the Oklahoma
15 City Zoo. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with
16 the Oklahoma Zoological Society, Inc. As provided in this section,
17 an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma
18 Zoological Society Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.13 of this
19 title;

20 38. March of Dimes License Plate - such plates shall be issued
21 to persons wishing to demonstrate support for the March of Dimes
22 mission to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects,
23 premature birth and infant mortality. The license plates shall be
24 designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Chapter March of Dimes.

1 As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
2 deposited in the Oklahoma Prevent Birth Defects, Premature Birth and
3 Infant Mortality Fund established in Section 1104.14 of this title;

4 39. Support Our Troops Supporter License Plates - such plates
5 shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
6 support for Support Our Troops Incorporated. The plates shall be
7 issued to any person in any combination of numbers and letters from
8 one to a maximum of six. The plate shall contain the official
9 Support Our Troops Incorporated logo which includes the mark
10 "Support Our Troops" across the bottom of the plate. The Tax
11 Commission, if necessary, may enter into a licensing agreement with
12 Support Our Troops Incorporated for any licensing fees which may be
13 required in order to use the Support Our Troops Incorporated logo or
14 design. The licensing agreement shall provide for a payment to
15 Support Our Troops Incorporated of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for
16 each license plate issued;

17 40. Folds of Honor Supporter License Plate - such plates shall
18 be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support
19 for Folds of Honor Incorporated, a nonprofit charitable organization
20 exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of the Internal
21 Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), providing academic and
22 vocational training scholarships to dependents of military
23 servicemen and servicewomen who were either killed or wounded in
24 action due to military service in the war in Iraq or Afghanistan.

1 The plates shall be issued to any person in any combination of
2 numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six. The plate shall
3 be designed in consultation with Folds of Honor Incorporated and
4 shall contain the official Folds of Honor Incorporated logo which
5 includes the mark "Folds of Honor" across the bottom of the plate.
6 The Tax Commission, if necessary, may enter into a licensing
7 agreement with Folds of Honor Incorporated for any licensing fees
8 which may be required in order to use the Folds of Honor
9 Incorporated logo or design. The licensing agreement shall provide
10 for a payment to Folds of Honor Incorporated of Twenty-five Dollars
11 (\$25.00) for each license plate issued;

12 41. Downed Bikers Association License Plate - such plates shall
13 be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support
14 for the Downed Bikers Association, a nonprofit charitable
15 organization exempt from taxation pursuant to the provisions of the
16 Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), which provides
17 emotional and financial support for downed bikers. The license
18 plate shall be designed in consultation with the Central Oklahoma
19 Chapter of the Downed Bikers Association and shall contain any
20 official logo or design of the organization. The Tax Commission, if
21 necessary, may enter into a licensing agreement with the Downed
22 Bikers Association for any licensing fees which may be required in
23 order to use the organization's logo or design. The licensing
24 agreement shall provide for a payment to the Downed Bikers

1 Association of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each
2 license plate;

3 42. Armed Forces Veterans Motorcycle License Plate - such
4 plates shall be designed for use on a motorcycle in consultation
5 with A Brotherhood Aiming Toward Education of Oklahoma, Inc.
6 (ABATE), and issued to any honorably discharged former member of the
7 United States Armed Forces wishing to demonstrate support for the
8 45th Infantry Division Museum. Persons applying for such license
9 plate must show proof of past military service. As provided in this
10 section, a portion of the fee collected shall be deposited in the
11 45th Infantry Division Museum Fund created in Section 235.1 of Title
12 44 of the Oklahoma Statutes;

13 43. Buffalo Soldier License Plate - such plates shall be issued
14 to any person wishing to honor and celebrate the history and
15 contribution of the Buffalo Soldiers. The license plates shall be
16 designed in consultation with the Lawton-Fort Sill Chapter of the
17 Buffalo Soldiers 9th and 10th (Horse) Cavalry Association. As
18 provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
19 deposited in the Buffalo Soldier License Plate Revolving Fund
20 created in Section 1104.16 of this title;

21 44. Prevent Blindness Oklahoma License Plate - such plates
22 shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support
23 for vision screening of school age children in this state. The
24 license plates shall be designed in consultation with Prevent

1 Blindness Oklahoma. As provided in this section, an amount of the
2 fee collected shall be deposited in the Prevent Blindness Oklahoma
3 License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.17 of this
4 title;

5 45. Oklahoma State Capitol Restoration License Plate - such
6 plates shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to
7 demonstrate support for restoration of the Oklahoma State Capitol
8 building. The license plates shall be designed in consultation with
9 the Friends of the Capitol corporation, created pursuant to Section
10 15.4 of Title 73 of the Oklahoma Statutes and the State Capitol
11 Preservation Commission created pursuant to Section 4102 of Title 74
12 of the Oklahoma Statutes. As provided in this section, an amount of
13 the fee collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Friends of the
14 Capitol License Plate Revolving Fund established in Section 1104.18
15 of this title;

16 46. Eastern Red Cedar Tree License Plates - such plates shall
17 be designed, subject to criteria to be presented to the Tax
18 Commission and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate support
19 for the removal of Eastern Red Cedar trees from lands in the state
20 and to develop marketable uses for the harvested trees. The license
21 plate shall be designed in consultation with the Eastern Red Cedar
22 Registry Board. Twenty-three Dollars (\$23.00) of the fee collected
23 shall be deposited in the Eastern Red Cedar Revolving Fund created
24 in Section 18-407 of Title 2 of the Oklahoma Statutes. The money

1 shall be designated for and may only be expended for the purposes as
2 set forth in the Eastern Red Cedar Registry Board Act;

3 47. Pancreatic Cancer Research License Plate - such plates
4 shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support
5 for the University of Oklahoma Foundation, Pancreatic Cancer
6 Research Fund. The plates shall be issued to any person in any
7 combination of numbers and letters from one to a maximum of six.
8 The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the
9 University of Oklahoma Foundation, Pancreatic Cancer Research Fund.
10 As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
11 deposited in the Pancreatic Cancer Research License Plate Revolving
12 Fund created in Section 1104.19 of this title;

13 48. Alzheimer's Research License Plate - such plates shall be
14 issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the
15 Oklahoma Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association. The license plates
16 shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Chapter of the
17 Alzheimer's Association. As provided in this section, an amount of
18 the fee collected shall be deposited in the Alzheimer's Research
19 License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.20 of this
20 title;

21 49. Hospice and Palliative Care License Plate - such plates
22 shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support
23 for the Oklahoma Hospice and Palliative Care Association. The
24 license plates shall be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma

1 Hospice and Palliative Care Association. As provided in this
2 section, an amount of the fee collected shall be deposited in the
3 Hospice and Palliative Care License Plate Revolving Fund created in
4 Section 1104.21 of this title;

5 50. Juvenile Diabetes Research License Plate - such plates
6 shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support
7 for the Oklahoma Chapters of the Juvenile Diabetes Research
8 Foundation. The license plates shall be designed in consultation
9 with the Oklahoma Chapters of the Juvenile Diabetes Research
10 Foundation. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee
11 collected shall be deposited in the Juvenile Diabetes Research
12 License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.22 of this
13 title;

14 51. Deer Creek Schools Foundation License Plate - such plates
15 shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support
16 for the Deer Creek Schools Foundation. The license plates shall be
17 designed in consultation with the Deer Creek Schools Foundation. As
18 provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
19 deposited in the Deer Creek Schools Foundation License Plate
20 Revolving Fund created in Section 1104.23 of this title;

21 ~~52. Lupus Awareness and Education License Plate - such plates~~
22 ~~shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support~~
23 ~~for the Lupus Foundation of Oklahoma. The license plates shall be~~
24 ~~designed in consultation with the Lupus Foundation of Oklahoma. As~~

1 ~~provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be~~
2 ~~deposited in the Oklahoma Lupus License Plate Revolving Fund created~~
3 ~~in Section 1104.24 of this title~~

4 52. Lupus Awareness and Education License Plate - such plates
5 shall be issued to any person wishing to provide financial support
6 for the Lupus Foundation of Oklahoma. The license plates shall be
7 designed in consultation with the Lupus Foundation of Oklahoma. As
8 provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
9 deposited in the Oklahoma Lupus License Plate Revolving Fund created
10 in Section 1104.24 of this title;

11 53. Chiefs of Police License Plate - such plates shall be
12 issued to any person wishing to provide financial support for the
13 Oklahoma Association of Chiefs of Police. The license plates shall
14 be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs
15 of Police. As provided in this section, an amount of the fee
16 collected shall be deposited in the Oklahoma Association of Chiefs
17 of Police License Plate Revolving Fund created in Section 1 of this
18 act;

19 54. Crossings Christian School License Plate - such plates
20 shall be designed and issued to any person wishing to demonstrate
21 support for Crossings Christian School located in Oklahoma City.
22 The license plates shall be designed in consultation with the
23 administration of Crossings Christian School. The Tax Commission
24 shall be authorized to enter into a licensing agreement with

1 Crossings Christian School for any licensing fees which may be
2 required in order to use the school's logo or design. The licensing
3 agreement shall provide for a payment to the Crossings Christian
4 School of not more than Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) for each license
5 plate issued; and

6 55. Oklahoma Nurses License Plate - such plates shall be issued
7 to any person licensed pursuant to the Oklahoma Nursing Practice Act
8 and providing such documentation of current licensure as may be
9 required by the Oklahoma Tax Commission. The license plates shall
10 be designed in consultation with the Oklahoma Nurses Association.
11 As provided in this section, an amount of the fee collected shall be
12 deposited in the Oklahoma Nurses License Plate Revolving Fund
13 created in Section 4 of this act.

14 C. The fee for such plates shall be Thirty-five Dollars
15 (\$35.00) and shall be in addition to all other registration fees
16 provided by the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act. The
17 fee shall be apportioned as follows:

18 1. Twenty Dollars (\$20.00) or any other amount as provided in
19 this title of the fee shall be apportioned as provided or deposited
20 in a fund as specified within the paragraph authorizing the special
21 license plate;

22 2. Eight Dollars (\$8.00) of the fee shall be deposited in the
23 Oklahoma Tax Commission Reimbursement Fund to be used for the
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1 administration of the Oklahoma Vehicle License and Registration Act;
2 and

3 3. Any remaining amounts of the fee shall be apportioned as
4 provided in Section 1104 of this title.

5 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2015.

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7 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND BUDGET, dated
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