

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 1668

Short Title: Autism Society of NC Registration Plate. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Gibson; Coleman, Dollar, and Glazier.

Referred to: Finance.

May 12, 2005

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE AN
3 AUTISM SOCIETY OF NORTH CAROLINA SPECIAL REGISTRATION
4 PLATE.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-79.4(b) reads as rewritten:

7 "(b) Types. – The Division shall issue the following types of special registration
8 plates:

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10 (3c) Autism Society of North Carolina. – Issuable to the registered owner
11 of a motor vehicle in accordance with G.S. 20-81.12. The plate shall
12 bear the phrase "Autism Society of North Carolina" and the phrase
13 "Providing Support, Promoting Opportunities" and the logo of the
14 Autism Society. The Division shall design the plate in conjunction
15 with the Autism Society of North Carolina. The Division may not
16 issue the plate authorized by this subdivision unless it receives at least
17 300 applications for the plate.

18 ~~(3e)~~(3d) Aviation Maintenance Technician. – Issuable to a person who is a
19 Federal Aviation Authority certified Aviation Maintenance
20 Technician. The plate shall bear the logo of the F.A.A. Airworthiness
21 Program and the initials "A.M.T." The Division may not issue the
22 plate authorized by this subdivision unless it receives at least 300
23 applications for the plate."

24 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 79.7(a) reads as rewritten:

25 "(a) Fees. – Upon request, the Division shall provide and issue free of charge one
26 registration plate to a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor, a 100% disabled
27 veteran, and an ex-prisoner of war. All other special registration plates, including
28 additional Congressional Medal of Honor, 100% Disabled Veteran, and Ex-Prisoner of

1	War plates, are subject to the regular motor vehicle registration fee in G.S. 20-87 or	
2	G.S. 20-88 plus an additional fee in the following amount:	
3	<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>Additional Fee Amount</u>
4	Crystal Coast	\$30.00
5	El Pueblo	\$30.00
6	Historical Attraction	\$30.00
7	HOMES4NC	\$30.00
8	In God We Trust	\$30.00
9	North Carolina 4-H Development Fund	\$30.00
10	Personalized	\$30.00
11	State Attraction	\$30.00
12	Buffalo Soldiers	\$25.00
13	Collegiate Insignia	\$25.00
14	Goodness Grows	\$25.00
15	High School Insignia	\$25.00
16	Kids First	\$25.00
17	Olympic Games	\$25.00
18	NC Agribusiness	\$25.00
19	NC Coastal Federation	\$25.00
20	Nurses	\$25.00
21	(Effective until June 30, 2006) Rocky Mountain	
22	Elk Foundation	\$25.00
23	Special Olympics	\$25.00
24	Surveyor Plate	\$25.00
25	The V Foundation for Cancer Research Division	\$25.00
26	University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina	\$25.00
27	Animal Lovers	\$20.00
28	Audubon North Carolina	\$20.00
29	<u>Autism Society of North Carolina</u>	<u>\$20.00</u>
30	Be Active NC	\$20.00
31	Daughters of the American Revolution	\$20.00
32	Ducks Unlimited	\$20.00
33	(Effective until June 30, 2006) First in Forestry	\$30.00
34	Harley Owners' Group	\$20.00
35	Litter Prevention	\$20.00
36	March of Dimes	\$20.00
37	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$20.00
38	Save the Sea Turtles	\$20.00
39	Scenic Rivers	\$20.00
40	School Technology	\$20.00
41	Soil and Water Conservation	\$20.00
42	Special Forces Association	\$20.00
43	Support Public Schools	\$20.00
44	Wildlife Resources	\$20.00

1	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$20.00
2	Active Member of the National Guard	None
3	100% Disabled Veteran	None
4	Ex-Prisoner of War	None
5	Legion of Valor	None
6	Purple Heart Recipient	None
7	Silver Star Recipient	None
8	All Other Special Plates	\$10.00."

SECTION 3. G.S. 20-79.7(b) reads as rewritten:

"(b) Distribution of Fees. – The Special Registration Plate Account and the Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account are established within the Highway Fund. The Division must credit the additional fee imposed for the special registration plates listed in subsection (a) among the Special Registration Plate Account (SRPA), the Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account (CCAPA), the Natural Heritage Trust Fund (NHTF), which is established under G.S. 113-77.7, and the Parks and Recreation Trust Fund, which is established under G.S. 113-44.15, as follows:

	<u>SRPA</u>	<u>CCAPA</u>	<u>NHTF</u>	<u>PRTF</u>
17 <u>Special Plate</u>				
18 Animal Lovers	\$10	\$10	0	0
19 Audubon North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
20 <u>Autism Society of North Carolina</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
21 Be Active NC	\$10	\$10	0	0
22 Buffalo Soldiers	\$10	\$15	0	0
23 Crystal Coast	\$10	\$20	0	0
24 Daughters of the American				
25 Revolution	\$10	\$10	0	0
26 Ducks Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
27 El Pueblo	\$10	\$20	0	0
28 First in Forestry	\$10	\$10	\$10	0
29 Goodness Grows	\$10	\$15	0	0
30 (Effective until June 30,				
31 2006) Harley Owners' Group	\$10	\$10	0	0
32 High School Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
33 Historical Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
34 HOMES4NC	\$10	\$20	0	0
35 In God We Trust	\$10	\$20	0	0
36 In-State Collegiate Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
37 Kids First	\$10	\$15	0	0
38 Litter Prevention	\$10	\$10	0	0
39 March of Dimes	\$10	\$10	0	0
40 NC Agribusiness	\$10	\$15	0	0
41 NC Coastal Federation	\$10	\$15	0	0
42 NC 4-H Development Fund	\$10	\$20	0	0
43 Nurses	\$10	\$15	0	0
44 Olympic Games	\$10	\$15	0	0

1	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
2	Out-of-state Collegiate Insignia	10	0	\$15	0
3	Personalized	\$10	0	\$15	\$5
4	(Effective until June 30,				
5	2006) Rocky Mountain Elk				
6	Foundation	\$10	\$15	0	0
7	Save the Sea Turtles	\$10	\$10	0	0
8	Scenic Rivers	\$10	\$10	0	0
9	School Technology	\$10	\$10	0	0
10	Soil and Water Conservation	\$10	\$10	0	0
11	Special Forces Association	\$10	\$10	0	0
12	Special Olympics	\$10	\$15	0	0
13	State Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
14	Stock Car Racing Theme	\$10	\$20	0	0
15	Support Public Schools	\$10	\$10	0	0
16	Surveyor Plate	\$10	\$15	0	0
17	The V Foundation for				
18	Cancer Research	\$10	\$15	0	0
19	University Health Systems of				
20	Eastern Carolina	\$10	\$15	0	0
21	Wildlife Resources	\$10	\$10	0	0
22	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$10	\$10	0	0
23	All other Special Plates	\$10	0	0	0."

24 **SECTION 4.** G.S. 20-81.12 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
 25 "(b39) Autism Society of North Carolina. – The Division must receive 300 or more
 26 applications for an Autism Society of North Carolina plate before the plate may be
 27 developed. The Division must transfer quarterly the money in the Collegiate and
 28 Cultural Attraction Plate Account derived from the sale of Autism Society of North
 29 Carolina plates to the Autism Society of North Carolina, Inc., for support services to
 30 individuals with autism and their families."

31 **SECTION 5.** This act is effective when it becomes law.