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AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1070

AMENDMENT NO. $\qquad$ . Amend House Bill 1070, AS AMENDED, by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:
"Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing Section 3-600 and adding Section 3-600.1 as follows:
(625 ILCS 5/3-600) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-600)
Sec. 3-600. Requirements for issuance of special plates.
(a) The Secretary of State shall issue only special plates that have been authorized by the General Assembly. The Secretary of State shall not issue a series of special plates unless applications, as prescribed by the Secretary, have been received for 10,000 plates of that series; except that the Secretary of State may prescribe some other required number of applications if that number is sufficient to pay for the total cost of designing, manufacturing and issuing the special
license plate.
(b) The Secretary of State, upon issuing a new series of special license plates, shall notify all law enforcement officials of the design, color and other special features of the special license plate series.
(c) This Section shall not apply to special license plate categories in existence on the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1990, or to the Secretary of State's discretion as established in Section 3-611.
(d) Beginning with the 2013 registration year, the provisions of Section 3-600.1 control the issuance and re-issuance of special plates. (Source: P.A. 95-359, eff. 1-1-08.)
(625 ILCS 5/3-600.1 new)
Sec. 3-600.1. Special plates; issuance and reissuance.
(a) Beginning with the 2013 registration year, an organization may apply to the Secretary of State and the Secretary may authorize the issuance of a new series of special plates. The Secretary shall not issue a series of special plates unless enough applications, as prescribed by the Secretary, have been received to pay for the total cost of designing, manufacturing, and issuing the special license plate.
(b) The Secretary of State, upon issuing a new series of special license plates, shall notify all law enforcement
officials of the design, color, and other special features of
the special license plate series.
(c) This Section shall not affect the issuance or
reissuance of special license plate categories in existence on
the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 97 th General
Assembly, or the Secretary of State's discretion under Section
3-611 of this Code.".

