

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 HB4586

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-699.14 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Creates the United Nations Operation in Somalia license plate. Provides that the Secretary of State may issue United Nations Operation in Somalia license plates to residents of Illinois who meet eligibility requirements prescribed by the Secretary of State.

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding Section 3-699.14 as follows:
- 6 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.14 new)
- Sec. 3-699.14. United Nations Operation in Somalia License

 Plates.
- 9 (a) The Secretary of State, upon receipt of all applicable fees and applications made in the form prescribed by the 10 Secretary, may issue United Nations Operation in Somalia 11 license plates to residents of Illinois who meet eligibility 12 requirements prescribed by the Secretary of State. The special 13 14 United Nations Operation in Somalia plate issued under this Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the 15 first division, motorcycles, and motor vehicles of the second 16 division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds. Plates issued 17 under this Section shall expire according to the staggered 18 19 multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of this 20 Code.
 - (b) The design, color, and format of the plates shall be wholly within the discretion of the Secretary of State. The Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be

issued as vanity plates or personalized in accordance with

Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The plates are not required to

designate "Land Of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection (b) of

Section 3-412 of this Code. The Secretary shall prescribe the

eligibility requirements and, in his or her discretion, shall

approve and prescribe stickers or decals as provided under

Section 3-412.