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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 2802

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend Senate Bill 2802 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by
5 changing Sections 3-413 and 3-701 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-413) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-413)

7 Sec. 3-413. Display of registration plates, registration
8 stickers, and drive-away permits; registration plate covers.

9 (a) Registration plates issued for a motor vehicle other
10 than a motorcycle, trailer, semitrailer, truck-tractor,
11 apportioned bus, or apportioned truck shall be attached
12 thereto, one in the front and one in the rear. The registration
13 plate issued for a motorcycle, trailer or semitrailer required
14 to be registered hereunder and any apportionment plate issued
15 to a bus under the provisions of this Code shall be attached to
16 the rear thereof. The registration plate issued for a

1 truck-tractor or an apportioned truck required to be registered
2 hereunder shall be attached to the front thereof.

3 (b) Every registration plate shall at all times be securely
4 fastened in a horizontal position to the vehicle for which it
5 is issued so as to prevent the plate from swinging and at a
6 height of not less than 5 inches from the ground, measuring
7 from the bottom of such plate, in a place and position to be
8 clearly visible and shall be maintained in a condition to be
9 clearly legible, free from any materials that would obstruct
10 the visibility of the plate. A registration plate on a
11 motorcycle may be mounted vertically as long as it is otherwise
12 clearly visible. Registration stickers issued as evidence of
13 renewed annual registration shall be attached to registration
14 plates as required by the Secretary of State, and be clearly
15 visible at all times.

16 (c) Every drive-away permit issued pursuant to this Code
17 shall be firmly attached to the motor vehicle in the manner
18 prescribed by the Secretary of State. If a drive-away permit is
19 affixed to a motor vehicle in any other manner the permit shall
20 be void and of no effect.

21 (d) The Illinois prorated decal issued to a foreign
22 registered vehicle part of a fleet prorated or apportioned with
23 Illinois, shall be displayed on a registration plate and
24 displayed on the front of such vehicle in the same manner as an
25 Illinois registration plate.

26 (e) The registration plate issued for a camper body mounted

1 on a truck displaying registration plates shall be attached to
2 the rear of the camper body.

3 (f) No person shall operate a vehicle, nor permit the
4 operation of a vehicle, upon which is displayed an Illinois
5 registration plate, plates or registration stickers, except as
6 provided for in subsection (b) of Section 3-701 of this Code,
7 after the termination of the registration period for which
8 issued or after the expiration date set pursuant to Sections
9 3-414 and 3-414.1 of this Code.

10 (g) A person may not operate any motor vehicle that is
11 equipped with registration plate covers. A violation of this
12 subsection (g) or a similar provision of a local ordinance is
13 an offense against laws and ordinances regulating the movement
14 of traffic.

15 (h) A person may not sell or offer for sale a registration
16 plate cover. A violation of this subsection (h) is a business
17 offense.

18 (i) A person may not advertise for the purpose of promoting
19 the sale of registration plate covers. A violation of this
20 subsection (i) is a business offense.

21 (j) A person may not modify the original manufacturer's
22 mounting location of the rear registration plate on any vehicle
23 so as to conceal the registration or to knowingly cause it to
24 be obstructed in an effort to hinder a peace officer from
25 obtaining the registration for the enforcement of a violation
26 of this Code, Section 27.1 of the Toll Highway Act concerning

1 toll evasion, or any municipal ordinance. Modifications
2 prohibited by this subsection (j) include but are not limited
3 to the use of an electronic device. A violation of this
4 subsection (j) is a Class A misdemeanor.

5 (Source: P.A. 97-743, eff. 1-1-13.)

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-701) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-701)

7 Sec. 3-701. Operation of vehicles without evidence of
8 registration - Operation under mileage plates when odometer
9 broken or disconnected.

10 (a) No person shall operate, nor shall an owner knowingly
11 permit to be operated, except as provided in subsection (b) of
12 this Section, upon any highway unless there shall be attached
13 thereto and displayed thereon when and as required by law,
14 proper evidence of registration in Illinois, as follows:

15 (1) A vehicle required to be registered in Illinois. A
16 current and valid Illinois registration sticker or
17 stickers and plate or plates, or an Illinois temporary
18 registration permit, or a drive-away or in-transit permit,
19 issued therefor by the Secretary of State; or

20 (2) A vehicle eligible for Reciprocity. A current and
21 valid reciprocal foreign registration plate or plates
22 properly issued to such vehicle or a temporary registration
23 issued therefor, by the reciprocal State, and, in addition,
24 when required by the Secretary, a current and valid
25 Illinois Reciprocity Permit or Prorate Decal issued

1 therefor by the Secretary of State; or except as otherwise
2 expressly provided for in this Chapter.

3 (b) A person may operate or permit operation of a vehicle,
4 upon any highway a vehicle that has been properly registered
5 but does not display a current and valid Illinois registration
6 sticker if he or she has proof, in the form of a printed
7 receipt from the Secretary, that he or she registered the
8 vehicle before the previous registration's expiration but has
9 not received a new registration sticker from the Secretary.
10 This printed proof of registration is valid for 30 days from
11 the expiration of the previous registration sticker's date.

12 (c) No person shall operate, nor shall any owner knowingly
13 permit to be operated, any vehicle of the second division for
14 which the owner has made an election to pay the mileage tax in
15 lieu of the annual flat weight tax, at any time when the
16 odometer of such vehicle is broken or disconnected, or is
17 inoperable or not operating.

18 (Source: P.A. 92-680, eff. 7-16-02.)".