- 1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1588
- 2 AMENDMENT NO. ____. Amend Senate Bill 1588 on page 1, by
- 3 replacing lines 4 through 8 with the following:
- 4 "Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by
- 5 changing Section 3-600 and adding Section 3-654 as follows:
- 6 (625 ILCS 5/3-600) (from Ch. 95 1/2, par. 3-600)
- 7 Sec. 3-600. Requirements for issuance of special plates.
- 8 (a) The Secretary of State shall not issue a series of
- 9 special plates that the General Assembly has authorized for
- 10 <u>issuance</u> before the effective date of this amendatory Act of
- 11 <u>the 92nd General Assembly</u> unless applications, as prescribed
- 12 by the Secretary, have been received for 10,000 plates of
- 13 that series; except that the Secretary of State may prescribe
- 14 some other required number of applications if that number is
- 15 sufficient to pay for the total cost of designing,
- 16 manufacturing and issuing the special license plate.
- 17 <u>(a-1) The Secretary of State may issue a series of</u>
- 18 special plates that the General Assembly has authorized for
- 19 <u>issuance on or after the effective date of this amendatory</u>
- 20 Act of the 92nd General Assembly only if the organization
- 21 <u>seeking issuance of the plates either has deposited with the</u>
- 22 <u>Secretary in cash an amount the Secretary has determined to</u>

- 1 <u>be sufficient to cover the cost of designing, manufacturing,</u>
- 2 and issuing 1,500 sets of the special plates or has provided
- 3 the Secretary with a performance bond quaranteeing payment of
- 4 the required amount if necessary. If no formal organization
- 5 <u>exists at the time that issuance of the special plates is</u>
- 6 proposed, the individual or individuals seeking issuance of
- 7 the plates must form an organization to deposit the required
- 8 moneys or post the required bond.
- 9 The amount deposited with the Secretary, or any proceeds
- 10 from redemption of the performance bond, shall be deposited
- into the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.
- 12 (a-2) Within 3 years after the date on which issuance of
- 13 special plates under subsection (a-1) is first authorized,
- 14 the Secretary of State must receive applications for at least
- 15 <u>1,500</u> sets of the special plates. If the required number of
- 16 applications is received within the 3-year period, the
- 17 <u>Secretary shall return the amount of any cash deposit and</u>
- 18 shall retain any interest realized on the principal. If the
- 19 <u>required number of applications is not received within the</u>
- 20 <u>3-year period, the Secretary shall recall the special plates.</u>
- 21 This subsection (a-2) does not apply to plates for which
- 22 <u>applicants must meet specified eligibility requirements.</u>
- 23 (a-3) Within 3 years after the effective date of this
- 24 <u>amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly, the Secretary of</u>
- 25 <u>State must have received applications for a total of at least</u>
- 26 1,500 sets of every series of special plates that were issued
- 27 <u>under subsection (a), except those special plates for which</u>
- 28 the applicant must meet specified eligibility requirements.
- 29 <u>If the required number of applications has not been received</u>
- 30 within the 3-year period, the Secretary shall recall the
- 31 <u>special plates.</u>
- 32 (b) The Secretary of State, upon issuing a new series of
- 33 special license plates, shall notify all law enforcement
- 34 officials of the design, color and other special features of

- 2 (c) This Section shall not apply to special license
- 3 plate categories in existence on the effective date of this
- 4 amendatory Act of 1990, or to the Secretary of State's
- 5 discretion as established in Section 3-611.
- 6 (Source: P.A. 86-1207.)
- 7 (625 ILCS 5/3-654 new)
- 8 <u>Sec. 3-654. Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics</u>
- 9 <u>license plates.</u>"; and
- on page 2, below line 7, by inserting the following:
- 11 "Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 12 becoming law.".