

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE BILL 1731

Short Title: Share the Road Special Registration Plate. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Stiller; and Carney.

Referred to: Finance.

May 12, 2005

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE
3 SHARE THE ROAD SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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

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

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9 (38a) Share the Road. – Issuable to the registered owner of a motor vehicle
10 in accordance with G.S. 20-81.12. The plate shall bear a representation
11 of the standard Department of Transportation "Share the Road" traffic
12 warning sign showing the bicycle (MUTCD W11-1) and the subplate
13 including the text "Share the Road" (MUTCD W28-1) will be placed
14 on the left side of the plate. The plate shall be developed with the
15 assistance of the Division of Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation.
16 The Division may not issue the plate authorized by this subdivision
17 unless it receives at least 300 applications for the plate."

18 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 20-79.7(a) reads as rewritten:

19 "(a) Fees. – Upon request, the Division shall provide and issue free of charge one
20 registration plate to a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor, a 100% disabled
21 veteran, and an ex-prisoner of war. All other special registration plates, including
22 additional Congressional Medal of Honor, 100% Disabled Veteran, and Ex-Prisoner of
23 War plates, are subject to the regular motor vehicle registration fee in G.S. 20-87 or
24 G.S. 20-88 plus an additional fee in the following amount:

<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>Additional Fee Amount</u>
25 Crystal Coast	\$30.00
26 El Pueblo	\$30.00
27 Historical Attraction	\$30.00
28 HOMES4NC	\$30.00

1	In God We Trust	\$30.00
2	North Carolina 4-H Development Fund	\$30.00
3	Personalized	\$30.00
4	<u>Share the Road</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>
5	State Attraction	\$30.00
6	Buffalo Soldiers	\$25.00
7	Collegiate Insignia	\$25.00
8	Goodness Grows	\$25.00
9	High School Insignia	\$25.00
10	Kids First	\$25.00
11	Olympic Games	\$25.00
12	NC Agribusiness	\$25.00
13	NC Coastal Federation	\$25.00
14	Nurses	\$25.00
15	(Effective until June 30, 2006) Rocky Mountain	
16	Elk Foundation	\$25.00
17	Special Olympics	\$25.00
18	Surveyor Plate	\$25.00
19	The V Foundation for Cancer Research Division	\$25.00
20	University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina	\$25.00
21	Animal Lovers	\$20.00
22	Audubon North Carolina	\$20.00
23	Be Active NC	\$20.00
24	Daughters of the American Revolution	\$20.00
25	Ducks Unlimited	\$20.00
26	(Effective until June 30, 2006) First in Forestry	\$30.00
27	Harley Owners' Group	\$20.00
28	Litter Prevention	\$20.00
29	March of Dimes	\$20.00
30	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$20.00
31	Save the Sea Turtles	\$20.00
32	Scenic Rivers	\$20.00
33	School Technology	\$20.00
34	Soil and Water Conservation	\$20.00
35	Special Forces Association	\$20.00
36	Support Public Schools	\$20.00
37	Wildlife Resources	\$20.00
38	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$20.00
39	Active Member of the National Guard	None
40	100% Disabled Veteran	None
41	Ex-Prisoner of War	None
42	Legion of Valor	None
43	Purple Heart Recipient	None
44	Silver Star Recipient	None

1 All Other Special Plates \$10.00."

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

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

10	<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>SRPA</u>	<u>CCAPA</u>	<u>NHTF</u>	<u>PRTF</u>
11	Animal Lovers	\$10	\$10	0	0
12	Audubon North Carolina	\$10	\$10	0	0
13	Be Active NC	\$10	\$10	0	0
14	Buffalo Soldiers	\$10	\$15	0	0
15	Crystal Coast	\$10	\$20	0	0
16	Daughters of the American				
17	Revolution	\$10	\$10	0	0
18	Ducks Unlimited	\$10	\$10	0	0
19	El Pueblo	\$10	\$20	0	0
20	First in Forestry	\$10	\$10	\$10	0
21	Goodness Grows	\$10	\$15	0	0
22	(Effective until June 30,				
23	2006) Harley Owners' Group	\$10	\$10	0	0
24	High School Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
25	Historical Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
26	HOMES4NC	\$10	\$20	0	0
27	In God We Trust	\$10	\$20	0	0
28	In-State Collegiate Insignia	\$10	\$15	0	0
29	Kids First	\$10	\$15	0	0
30	Litter Prevention	\$10	\$10	0	0
31	March of Dimes	\$10	\$10	0	0
32	NC Agribusiness	\$10	\$15	0	0
33	NC Coastal Federation	\$10	\$15	0	0
34	NC 4-H Development Fund	\$10	\$20	0	0
35	Nurses	\$10	\$15	0	0
36	Olympic Games	\$10	\$15	0	0
37	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$10	\$10	0	0
38	Out-of-state Collegiate Insignia	10	0	\$15	0
39	Personalized	\$10	0	\$15	\$5
40	(Effective until June 30,				
41	2006) Rocky Mountain Elk				
42	Foundation	\$10	\$15	0	0
43	Save the Sea Turtles	\$10	\$10	0	0
44	Scenic Rivers	\$10	\$10	0	0

1	School Technology	\$10	\$10	0	0
2	<u>Share the Road</u>	<u>\$10</u>	<u>\$20</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
3	Soil and Water Conservation	\$10	\$10	0	0
4	Special Forces Association	\$10	\$10	0	0
5	Special Olympics	\$10	\$15	0	0
6	State Attraction	\$10	\$20	0	0
7	Stock Car Racing Theme	\$10	\$20	0	0
8	Support Public Schools	\$10	\$10	0	0
9	Surveyor Plate	\$10	\$15	0	0
10	The V Foundation for				
11	Cancer Research	\$10	\$15	0	0
12	University Health Systems of				
13	Eastern Carolina	\$10	\$15	0	0
14	Wildlife Resources	\$10	\$10	0	0
15	Zeta Phi Beta Sorority	\$10	\$10	0	0
16	All other Special Plates	\$10	0	0	0."

17 **SECTION 4.** G.S. 20-81.12 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:
18 "(b39) Share the Road. – The Division must receive 300 or more applications
19 for the Share the Road plate before the plate may be developed. The Division shall
20 transfer quarterly the money in the Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account
21 derived from the sale of the Share the Road plates to the Department of Transportation,
22 Division of Bicycle and Pedestrian Transportation for its programs."

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