

New law requires the secretary of the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections to establish a special prestige motor vehicle license plate to be known as the "Louisiana Cultural Economy" plate, provided there is a minimum of 1,000 applicants for such plate. This license plate is restricted to passenger cars, pickup trucks, recreational vehicles, and vans.

New law specifies that the color and design of the plate will be selected by the Board of Directors of the La. Cultural Economy Foundation.

New law provides that the prestige license plate shall be issued, upon application, to any citizens of La. in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate.

Proposed law establishes a royalty fee of \$25 for the "Louisiana Cultural Economy Foundation" license plate, authorizes a handling fee of \$3.50 to be retained by the department, and specifies that the recipient of the royalty fees shall be the La. Cultural Economy Foundation.

Proposed law requires the secretary to adopt rules and regulations to implement the provisions provided in proposed law.

Effective August 1, 2013.

(Adds R.S. 47:463.160)