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HOUSE BILL NO. 55

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BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES: Creates a prestige license plate for the New Orleans Saints

AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 47:463.141, relative to motor vehicle special prestige license plates; to provide 3 for the creation and issuance of such plates; to provide for the design of such plates; 4 to provide relative to the fee for such plates; to authorize the promulgation of rules 5 and regulations; and to provide for related matters. 6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana: 7 Section 1. R.S. 47:463.141 is hereby enacted to read as follows: 8 §463.141. Special prestige license plate; "Who Dat Nation" 9 A. The secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall 10 establish a special prestige motor vehicle license plate to be known as the "Who Dat 11 Nation" plate, provided there is a minimum of one thousand applicants for such 12 plates. These license plates shall be restricted to use on passenger cars, pickup 13 trucks, recreational vehicles, and vans. 14 B. The special prestige license plate shall be known as the "Who Dat Nation" 15 license plate and shall bear the likeness of the Louisiana Superdome centered on 16 the left side of the license plate and shall display the words "Who Dat Nation" 17 centered on the bottom of the license plate. 18 C. The prestige license plate shall be issued, upon application, to any citizen of Louisiana in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate. 19

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D. The fee for the license plate shall be the standard registration license fee

and a handling fee of three dollars and fifty cents to be retained by the department

to offset a portion of administrative costs.

E. The secretary shall adopt rules and regulations as are necessary to

implement the provisions of this Section.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Creates the special prestige license plate to be known as the "Who Dat Nation" license plate. Provides for the fees, issuance, creation, and design of the license plate.

 $\frac{Proposed\ law}{requires\ the\ secretary\ for\ DPS\&C\ to\ issue\ special\ prestige\ license\ plates\ to\ be\ known\ as\ the\ "Who\ Dat\ Nation"\ license\ plate.}$

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the prestige license plate shall be issued, upon application, to any citizen of La. in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate.

<u>Proposed law provides</u> for the design of the "Who Dat Nation" license plate. The plate shall bear the likeness of the La. Superdome centered on the left side of the license plate and shall display the words "Who Dat Nation" centered on the bottom of the license plate.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the fee for the license plate shall be the standard registration license fee and a handling fee of \$3.50 to be retained by the department to offset a portion of administrative costs.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the secretary shall adopt rules and regulations to implement the provisions provided in <u>proposed law</u>.

(Adds R.S. 47:463.141)