

HOUSE No. 3128

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul A. Schmid, III

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to reduce the fee for motor vehicle veteran registration plates.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
<i>Paul A. Schmid, III</i>	<i>8th Bristol</i>
<i>Paul Brodeur</i>	<i>32nd Middlesex</i>
<i>Peter Capano</i>	<i>11th Essex</i>
<i>Shawn Dooley</i>	<i>9th Norfolk</i>
<i>Carole A. Fiola</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>
<i>Sheila C. Harrington</i>	<i>1st Middlesex</i>
<i>James K. Hawkins</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>
<i>Stephan Hay</i>	<i>3rd Worcester</i>
<i>Christopher Hendricks</i>	<i>11th Bristol</i>
<i>Steven S. Howitt</i>	<i>4th Bristol</i>
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>
<i>Patrick Joseph Kearney</i>	<i>4th Plymouth</i>
<i>Paul McMurtry</i>	<i>11th Norfolk</i>
<i>Mathew J. Muratore</i>	<i>1st Plymouth</i>
<i>Brian W. Murray</i>	<i>10th Worcester</i>

<i>Harold P. Naughton, Jr.</i>	<i>12th Worcester</i>
<i>Elizabeth A. Poirier</i>	<i>14th Bristol</i>
<i>Alan Silvia</i>	<i>7th Bristol</i>
<i>Todd M. Smola</i>	<i>1st Hampden</i>
<i>Michael J. Soter</i>	<i>8th Worcester</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>
<i>Donald H. Wong</i>	<i>9th Essex</i>

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By Mr. Schmid of Westport, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3128) of Paul A. Schmid, III and others for legislation to reduce registration fees on veteran plates. Transportation.

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 3437 OF 2017-2018.]

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In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)

An Act to reduce the fee for motor vehicle veteran registration plates.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The fifteenth paragraph of section 2 of said chapter 90 of the General Laws,
2 as appearing in the 2016 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines, 418
3 through 421, inclusive, the sentence “There shall be an annual \$20 fee for such "VETERAN"
4 plates in addition to the established registration fee for private passenger motor vehicles and
5 motorcycles.” and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:-

6 “The fee for such “VETERAN” plates shall be the established registration fee for private
7 passenger motor vehicles and motorcycles.”

8 SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other general or special law, or regulation to the
9 contrary, the fee for the issuance or renewal of distinctive motor vehicle registration plates

10 bearing the word “VETERAN” under the fifteenth paragraph of section 2 of chapter 90 of the
11 General Laws, as amended by section 1 of this act, shall not be increased by any additional
12 registration or special fees.

13 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect 270 days after its passage.