

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2271

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE BASYE.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To amend chapter 301, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to a cancer awareness special license plate.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 301, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 301.3083, to read as follows:

**301.3083. 1. Any person may receive special license plates as prescribed by this
2 section, for any motor vehicle such person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an
3 apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of twenty-four
4 thousand pounds gross weight. Upon making a twenty-five dollar annual contribution to
5 support cancer awareness activities conducted by the department of health and senior
6 services, the vehicle owner may apply for a cancer awareness license plate. If the
7 contribution is made directly to the state treasurer, the state treasurer shall issue the
8 individual making the contribution a receipt verifying the contribution that may be used
9 to apply for the cancer awareness license plate. If the contribution is made directly to the
10 director of revenue, the director shall note the contribution and the owner may then apply
11 for the cancer awareness plate. The applicant for such plate shall pay a fifteen dollar fee
12 in addition to the regular registration fees and present any other documentation required
13 by law for each set of cancer awareness plates issued pursuant to this section. The state
14 treasurer or the director of revenue shall deposit the twenty-five dollar annual contribution
15 in the Missouri public health services fund. Funds in such account shall be used to support
16 cancer awareness activities conducted by the department of health and senior services.**

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

17 **2. Upon presentation of the annual statement or a twenty-five dollar annual**
18 **contribution, as applicable, and payment of a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the**
19 **registration fee and documents which may be required by law, the department of revenue**
20 **shall issue to the vehicle owner a personalized license plate which shall bear the words**
21 **"Cancer Awareness" at the bottom of the plate, in a manner prescribed by the director of**
22 **revenue. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common**
23 **color scheme and design of the standard license plate, shall be clearly visible at night, shall**
24 **have a reflective white background in the area of the plate configuration, and shall be**
25 **aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Notwithstanding the provisions**
26 **of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license**
27 **plates pursuant to this section.**

28 **3. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with a cancer awareness**
29 **emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization**
30 **statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not**
31 **bear the emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall make**
32 **necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section, and shall design all**
33 **necessary forms required by this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated**
34 **pursuant to the authority of this section shall become effective unless it has been**
35 **promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536.**

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