

HOUSE BILL No. 1145

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 9-18-21-1; IC 9-18-21-2; IC 9-18-25-8.

Synopsis: License plates for retired reserve members. Allows a person who has retired from active status in the Indiana Guard Reserve or another military reserve unit to receive specialized license plates. (Current law requires a person to be an active member of a reserve unit in order to receive the specialized license plates.)

Effective: July 1, 1998.

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January 8, 1998, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy, Ethics and Veterans Affairs.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 1996 General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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- 2 SECTION 1. IC 9-18-21-1 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 3 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 1. The bureau shall
- 4 design and issue a vehicle license plate that will designate the vehicle as
- 5 being registered by an active **or a retired** member of the Indiana Guard
- 6 Reserve.
- 7 SECTION 2. IC 9-18-21-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 8 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998]: Sec. 2. (a) A resident of
- 9 Indiana who is an active **or a retired** member of the Indiana Guard
- 10 Reserve may apply for and receive one (1) or more Indiana Guard
- 11 Reserve license plates.
- 12 (b) A person applying for an Indiana Guard Reserve license plate must
- 13 demonstrate the person's status as an active **or a retired** member of the
- 14 Indiana Guard Reserve by presenting ~~a current~~ **an** armed forces
- 15 identification card **or other evidence of active or retired membership**
- 16 **in the Indiana Guard Reserve.**
- 17 SECTION 3. IC 9-18-25-8 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 18 FOLLOWS: [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1998] Sec. 8. (a) Except as provided

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1 under subsection (b), a motor vehicle may be registered under this chapter
2 only by an owner who qualifies for a special group recognition license
3 plate.
4 (b) The bureau may register a vehicle under this chapter if the
5 applicant is:
6 (1) a former prisoner of war; or
7 (2) the surviving spouse of a former prisoner of war.
8 (c) **A retired member of a military reserve unit qualifies for a**
9 **special group recognition license plate for the military reserve unit**
10 **as if that member was an active member.**

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