

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT DIGEST FOR HB 1145

Citations Affected: IC 4-23; IC 9.

Synopsis: Special group license plates. Requires the bureau of motor vehicles (bureau) to issue an Indiana retired armed forces member license plate. Requires the bureau of motor vehicles to adopt rules establishing the classification of antique car museum dealer license plates. Changes design requirements of certain license plates by requiring the design to be similar to the license plate issued to all other special groups except that an emblem indicating that the vehicle is registered to a member of a particular group shall be placed immediately to the left of an identification number on the license plate. Changes design requirements with respect to special group recognition license plates. Requires the sale or renewal of at least 2,000 special group license plates before January 1, 2000, for an organization that received a special group license plate before January 1, 1998, to remain qualified to participate in the special group license plate program. Requires an organization to submit a petition containing 500 signatures in order to participate in the special group license plate program for the first time. Requires the sale or renewal of at least 2,000 special group license plates in the first four years of a five year period beginning at the earlier of January 1, 2002, or January 1 of the year the special group license plate is first issued to the organization to remain eligible for the program. Provides that if at least 10,000 of an organization's special group license plates are sold, the representatives of a special group may petition the bureau to design a distinctive special group license plate. Allows a person who has served at least 20 years in the United States Armed Forces or their reserves and qualifies for a paid retirement to receive an Indiana retired armed forces member license plate. Requires the bureau to issue a drug free Indiana trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the drug free Indiana trust license plate to be deposited in a special account and distributed to Drug-Free Youth, Inc. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana FFA trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana FFA trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana FFA trust fund and distributed to the Indiana FFA foundation. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana firefighter license plate for which an Indiana firefighter is eligible. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana food bank trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana food bank trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana food bank trust fund. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana girl scouts trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana girl scouts trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana girl scouts trust fund. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana boy scouts trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana boy scouts trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana boy scouts trust fund. Requires the bureau to issue a D.A.R.E. license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the D.A.R.E. plate to be deposited in the D.A.R.E. Indiana trust fund and distributed to D.A.R.E. Indiana. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana antique car museum trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana antique car museum trust plate to be deposited in the Indiana antique car museum trust fund and distributed to the Association of Antique Car Museums of Indiana. Specifies that an individual eligible to receive certain license plates is also eligible to apply for a personalized license plate. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana arts trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana arts trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana arts commission trust fund. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana health trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana health trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana health trust fund. Requires the bureau to issue an Indiana mental health trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana mental health trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana mental health trust

fund and distributed to the Mental Health Association in Indiana, Inc. Requires the bureau to design the Indiana Native American trust license plate. Requires the additional fee required for the Indiana Native American trust license plate to be deposited in the Indiana Native American trust fund and distributed to the Museums at Prophetstown, Inc. (This conference committee report does the following: (1) changes certain effective dates; (2) changes certain deadlines concerning the sale of special group license plates; (3) changes the minimum sales amount for a special group recognition license plate issued between December 31, 1999, and January 1, 2001, from 1,000 to 500; (5) provides that a minimum of 2000 special group recognition license plates must be sold or renewed in the first four years of a five year period cycle period beginning at the earlier of January 1, 2002, or January 1 of the year the special group license plate is first issued to the organization in order for the special group to remain eligible for the special group recognition license plate program; (6) provides that renewals are counted towards a group's minimum sales amount.)

Effective: January 1, 2000.

Adopted

Rejected

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Conference Committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the Senate upon Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 1145 respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and agreed as follows to wit:

that the House recede from its dissent from all Senate amendments and that the House now concur in all Senate amendments to the bill and that the bill be further amended as follows:

- 1 Page 1, line 14, delete "IC 9-18-42" and insert "**IC 9-18-41**".
- 2 Page 2, line 6, delete the effective date "[EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
- 3 1998]" and insert the effective date "[EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1,
- 4 2000]".
- 5 Page 2, line 36, delete "9-18-32" and insert "**9-18-32.3**".
- 6 Page 3, line 15, delete the effective date "[EFFECTIVE JULY 1,
- 7 1998]" and insert the effective date "[EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1,
- 8 2000]".
- 9 Page 3, line 36, reset in roman "(a)".
- 10 Page 4, between lines 3 and 4, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 11 "**(b) A special group license plate must be treated with special**
- 12 **reflective material designed to increase the visibility and legibility**
- 13 **of the special group license plate.**".
- 14 Page 4, line 34, after "sold" insert "**or renewed**".
- 15 Page 4, line 34, delete "2001" and insert "**2000**".
- 16 Page 4, line 40, delete "beginning" and insert "**between**".
- 17 Page 4, line 41, delete "**ending**".
- 18 Page 4, line 41, delete "2001" and insert "**2000**".
- 19 Page 5, line 8, delete "JANUARY 1, 2000]" and insert"
- 20 JANUARY 1, 2002]".
- 21 Page 5, line 12, after "sold" insert "**or renewed**".
- 22 Page 5, line 13, delete "a" and insert "**the**".
- 23 Page 5, line 13, delete "plate cycle." and insert "**period beginning**
- 24 **the earlier of January 1, 2002, or January 1 of the year in which**
- 25 **the organization's special group license plate is first issued. The**
- 26 **bureau shall reevaluate the organization's qualification for the**
- 27 **special group license plate program every five (5) years thereafter.**

- 1 **The bureau shall terminate the organization's qualification for the**
 2 **special group license plate program and no further special group**
 3 **recognition license plates shall be issued for an organization if less**
 4 **than two thousand (2,000) of the organization's special group**
 5 **license plates are sold or renewed in the first four (4) years of a**
 6 **subsequent five (5) year period."**
 7 Page 5, line 19, delete "2002" and insert "**2001**".
 8 Page 5, line 23, delete "one thousand (1,000)" and insert "**five**
 9 **hundred (500)**".
 10 Page 5, line 24, after "sold" insert "**or renewed**".
 11 Page 5, line 24, delete "2002" and insert "**2001**".
 12 Page 5, line 33, delete "2002" and insert "**2001**".
 13 Page 6, line 30, delete "9-18-32" and insert "9-18-32.2".
 14 Page 6, line 33, delete "32." and insert "**32.2**".
 15 Page 10, line 1, delete "6" and insert "**5**".
 16 Page 10, line 11, delete "on" and insert "**On**".
 17 Page 13, line 32, delete "musuem" and insert "**museum**".
 18 Page 14, line 13, after "1" insert ",".
 19 Page 15, line 3, delete "IC 9-18-42" and insert "IC 9-18-41".
 20 Page 15, line 6, delete "42" and insert "**41**".
 21 Page 15, line 26, delete "IC 9-18-43" and insert "IC 9-18-42".
 22 Page 15, line 29, delete "43" and insert "**42**".
 23 Page 16, line 22, after "organizations" insert "**shall establish an**
 24 **organization that meets the requirements of subsection (b) for the**
 25 **purpose of receiving money from the Indiana health trust fund**".
 26 Page 16, delete lines 32 through 34.
 (Reference is to EHB 1145 as reprinted January 24, 1998-Printer's
 Error Version.)

Conference Committee Report
on
House Bill 1145

Signed by:

Senator Riegsecker

Representative Bailey

Senator Craycraft

Representative Frizzell

Senate Conferees

House Conferees