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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6977**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1258

**NOTE PREPARED:** Feb 9, 2009

**BILL AMENDED:** Feb 5, 2009

**SUBJECT:** Parking with Former Prisoner of War or Disabled Veteran Plates.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Rep. Riecken

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading - 1<sup>st</sup> House

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**  GENERAL  
 DEDICATED  
 FEDERAL

**IMPACT:** State & Local

**Summary of Legislation:** (Amended) This bill provides that a person issued a Former Prisoner of War license plate may not be charged: (1) a fee for parking the vehicle displaying the license plate in a metered space; or (2) a penalty for parking the vehicle displaying the license plate in a metered space for longer than the time permitted. It amends a similar provision relating to parking with Disabled Veteran plates to make the statutes consistent.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2009.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:** The specific impact is indeterminable and will depend upon the number of drivers with Former Prisoner of War license plates who park in a metered parking space on state-owned property.

(Revised) **Background Information:** The following table shows the number of POW plates issued for CY 2007, CY 2008, and CY 2009 (through February 2, 2009).

CY	POW Plates Issued
2007	523
2008	463
2009	38 YTD

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:** The specific impact is indeterminable and will depend upon the number of drivers with Former Prisoner of War license plates who park in a metered parking space.

**State Agencies Affected:** Agencies with metered parking.

**Local Agencies Affected:** Cities, towns, and counties.

**Information Sources:**

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