

Introduced by

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1 A BILL for an Act to provide for the protection of the intellectual property rights in the design of  
2 vehicle number plates.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. Rights in number plate protected.** The department of transportation  
5 shall secure the intellectual property rights in the background design and depiction on motor  
6 vehicle number plates. The department shall collect royalties through public bidding for the use  
7 of the design or depiction and shall deposit the royalties collected with the state treasurer in the  
8 general fund.