

SENATE BILL NO. 2159

Introduced by

Transportation Committee

(At the request of the Department of Transportation)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 39-04-19 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to vehicle registration fees; and to provide an effective date.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 39-04-19 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **39-04-19. Motor vehicle registration fees and mile tax.** Motor vehicles required to
7 pay registration fees or a mile tax shall pay the following fees:

8 1. Nonresidents electing to pay mile tax in lieu of registration, when authorized to do
9 so by the department, shall pay a fee of twenty dollars for a trip permit which is
10 valid for a period of seventy-two hours. All fees collected under the provisions of
11 this subsection must be credited to the highway construction fund.

12 2. Motor vehicles required to be registered in this state must be furnished license
13 plates upon the payment of the following annual fees; however, if a motor vehicle,
14 including a motorcycle or trailer, first becomes subject to registration other than at
15 the beginning of the registration period, such fees must be prorated on a monthly
16 basis. The minimum fee charged hereunder must be five dollars:

17 a. Passenger motor vehicles:

	YEARS REGISTERED				
	1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Years	7th, 8th, and 9th Years	10th, 11th, and 12th Years	13th and Subsequent Years	
18 Gross Weights	\$50.00 <u>\$65.00</u>	\$42.00 <u>\$57.00</u>	\$34.00 <u>\$49.00</u>	\$26.00 <u>\$41.00</u>	
19 Less than 3,200	70.00 <u>85.00</u>	58.00 <u>73.00</u>	46.00 <u>61.00</u>	34.00 <u>50.00</u>	
20 3,200 - 4,499	88.00 <u>103.00</u>	71.00 <u>86.00</u>	56.00 <u>71.00</u>	40.00 <u>55.00</u>	
21 4,500 - 4,999					

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1	5,000 - 5,999	419.00 <u>134.00</u>	97.00 <u>112.00</u>	75.00 <u>90.00</u>	53.00 <u>68.00</u>
2	6,000 - 6,999	452.00 <u>167.00</u>	423.00 <u>138.00</u>	94.00 <u>109.00</u>	66.00 <u>81.00</u>
3	7,000 - 7,999	485.00 <u>200.00</u>	449.00 <u>164.00</u>	414.00 <u>129.00</u>	79.00 <u>94.00</u>
4	8,000 - 8,999	218.00 <u>233.00</u>	476.00 <u>191.00</u>	434.00 <u>149.00</u>	92.00 <u>107.00</u>
5	9,000 and over	254.00 <u>266.00</u>	202.00 <u>217.00</u>	454.00 <u>169.00</u>	405.00 <u>120.00</u>

6 A house car is subject to registration at the rates prescribed for other vehicles
7 under this subdivision modified by using the weight applicable to a vehicle
8 whose weight is forty percent of that of the house car, but not using a weight
9 of less than four thousand pounds [1814.35 kilograms].

10 b. Schoolbuses, buses for hire, buses owned and operated by religious,
11 charitable, or nonprofit organizations and used exclusively for religious,
12 charitable, or other public nonprofit purposes, and trucks or combination
13 trucks and trailers, including commercial and noncommercial trucks, except
14 those trucks or combinations of trucks and trailers which qualify for
15 registration under subsection 5:

		YEARS REGISTERED					
		1st	7th	10th	13th	20th and	
Gross		Through	Through	Through	Through	Subsequent	
Weights		6th Years	9th Years	12th Years	19th Years	Years	
20	Not over 4,000	\$48.00 <u>\$63.00</u>	\$35.00 <u>\$50.00</u>	\$30.00 <u>\$45.00</u>	\$27.00 <u>\$42.00</u>	\$26.00 <u>\$41.00</u>	
21	4,001 - 6,000	53.00 <u>68.00</u>	40.00 <u>55.00</u>	34.00 <u>49.00</u>	28.00 <u>43.00</u>	27.00 <u>42.00</u>	
22	6,001 - 8,000	58.00 <u>73.00</u>	45.00 <u>60.00</u>	38.00 <u>53.00</u>	29.00 <u>44.00</u>	28.00 <u>43.00</u>	
23	8,001 - 10,000	63.00 <u>78.00</u>	50.00 <u>65.00</u>	42.00 <u>57.00</u>	34.00 <u>46.00</u>	30.00 <u>45.00</u>	
24	10,001 - 12,000	68.00 <u>83.00</u>	55.00 <u>70.00</u>	46.00 <u>61.00</u>	33.00 <u>48.00</u>	32.00 <u>47.00</u>	
25	12,001 - 14,000	73.00 <u>88.00</u>	60.00 <u>75.00</u>	50.00 <u>65.00</u>	36.00 <u>51.00</u>	35.00 <u>50.00</u>	
26	14,001 - 16,000	78.00 <u>93.00</u>	65.00 <u>80.00</u>	54.00 <u>69.00</u>	39.00 <u>54.00</u>	38.00 <u>53.00</u>	
27	16,001 - 18,000	83.00 <u>98.00</u>	70.00 <u>85.00</u>	58.00 <u>73.00</u>	41.00 <u>56.00</u>	40.00 <u>55.00</u>	
28	18,001 - 20,000	86.00 <u>101.00</u>	73.00 <u>88.00</u>	60.00 <u>75.00</u>	42.00 <u>57.00</u>	41.00 <u>56.00</u>	

		YEARS REGISTERED			
		1st, 2nd, 3rd,	8th, 9th, 10th,	13th and	
Gross		4th, 5th, 6th,	11th, and	Subsequent	

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	Weights	and 7th Years	12th Years	Years
2	20,001 - 22,000	\$116.00 <u>\$131.00</u>	\$90.00 <u>\$105.00</u>	\$77.00 <u>\$92.00</u>
3	22,001 - 26,000	168.00 <u>183.00</u>	138.00 <u>153.00</u>	122.00 <u>137.00</u>
4	26,001 - 30,000	229.00 <u>244.00</u>	187.00 <u>202.00</u>	165.00 <u>180.00</u>
5	30,001 - 34,000	295.00 <u>310.00</u>	240.00 <u>255.00</u>	212.00 <u>227.00</u>
6	34,001 - 38,000	356.00 <u>371.00</u>	289.00 <u>304.00</u>	255.00 <u>270.00</u>
7	38,001 - 42,000	417.00 <u>432.00</u>	338.00 <u>353.00</u>	297.00 <u>312.00</u>
8	42,001 - 46,000	478.00 <u>493.00</u>	386.00 <u>401.00</u>	340.00 <u>355.00</u>
9	46,001 - 50,000	539.00 <u>554.00</u>	435.00 <u>450.00</u>	383.00 <u>398.00</u>
10	50,001 - 54,000	609.00 <u>624.00</u>	493.00 <u>508.00</u>	434.00 <u>449.00</u>
11	54,001 - 58,000	670.00 <u>685.00</u>	542.00 <u>557.00</u>	477.00 <u>492.00</u>
12	58,001 - 62,000	731.00 <u>746.00</u>	591.00 <u>606.00</u>	520.00 <u>535.00</u>
13	62,001 - 66,000	792.00 <u>807.00</u>	639.00 <u>654.00</u>	563.00 <u>578.00</u>
14	66,001 - 70,000	853.00 <u>868.00</u>	688.00 <u>703.00</u>	605.00 <u>620.00</u>
15	70,001 - 74,000	914.00 <u>929.00</u>	737.00 <u>752.00</u>	648.00 <u>663.00</u>
16	74,001 - 78,000	975.00 <u>990.00</u>	786.00 <u>801.00</u>	691.00 <u>706.00</u>
17	78,001 - 82,000	1,036.00 <u>1,051.00</u>	835.00 <u>850.00</u>	734.00 <u>749.00</u>
18	82,001 - 86,000	1,159.00 <u>1,174.00</u>	940.00 <u>955.00</u>	821.00 <u>836.00</u>
19	86,001 - 90,000	1,281.00 <u>1,296.00</u>	1,044.00 <u>1,059.00</u>	908.00 <u>923.00</u>
20	90,001 - 94,000	1,403.00 <u>1,418.00</u>	1,149.00 <u>1,164.00</u>	995.00 <u>1,010.00</u>
21	94,001 - 98,000	1,525.00 <u>1,540.00</u>	1,254.00 <u>1,269.00</u>	1,083.00 <u>1,098.00</u>
22	98,001 - 102,000	1,647.00 <u>1,662.00</u>	1,358.00 <u>1,373.00</u>	1,170.00 <u>1,185.00</u>
23	102,001 - 105,500	1,769.00 <u>1,784.00</u>	1,463.00 <u>1,478.00</u>	1,257.00 <u>1,272.00</u>

24 c. Motorcycles, fifteen dollars.

25 3. Motor vehicles acquired by disabled veterans under the provisions of Public Law
 26 79-663 [38 U.S.C. 3901] are exempt from the payment of state sales or use tax
 27 and, if paid, such veterans are entitled to a refund. This exemption also applies to
 28 any passenger motor vehicle or pickup truck not exceeding ten thousand pounds
 29 [4535.92 kilograms] gross weight but shall apply to no more than two such motor
 30 vehicles owned by a disabled veteran at any one time.

1 4. Every trailer, semitrailer, and farm trailer required to be registered under this
2 chapter must be furnished registration plates upon the payment of a twenty dollar
3 annual fee. Every trailer, semitrailer, or farm trailer not required to be registered
4 under this chapter must be furnished an identification plate upon the payment of a
5 fee of five dollars. Upon the request of a person with a trailer or farm trailer to
6 whom a registration or identification plate is provided under this subsection, the
7 department shall provide a plate of the same size as provided for a motorcycle.
8 The department shall provide notification of this option to the person before the
9 replacement or issuance of the plate.

10 5. Trucks or combinations of trucks and trailers weighing more than twenty thousand
11 but not more than one hundred five thousand five hundred pounds [more than
12 9071.84 but not more than 47854.00 kilograms] which are used as farm vehicles
13 only, are entitled to registration under the following fee schedule and the provisions
14 of this subsection. Farm vehicles are considered, for the purpose of this
15 subsection, as trucks or combinations of trucks and trailers weighing more than
16 twenty thousand but not more than one hundred five thousand five hundred
17 pounds [more than 9071.84 but not more than 47854.00 kilograms] owned, or
18 leased for at least one year by a bona fide resident farmer who uses the vehicles
19 exclusively for transporting the farmer's own property or other property on a farm
20 work exchange basis with other farmers between farms and the usual local trading
21 places but not in connection with any commercial retail or wholesale business
22 being conducted from those farms, nor otherwise for hire. In addition to the penalty
23 provided in section 39-04-41, any person violating this subsection shall license for
24 the entire license period the farm vehicle at the higher commercial vehicle rate in
25 accordance with the weight carried by the farm vehicle at the time of the violation.

26 YEARS REGISTERED

		1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Years	7th and 8th Years	9th and 10th Years	11th and Subsequent Years
27	Gross				
28	Weights				
29	20,001 - 22,000	\$88.00 <u>\$103.00</u>	\$74.00 <u>\$89.00</u>	\$60.00 <u>\$75.00</u>	\$42.00 <u>\$57.00</u>
30	22,001 - 24,000	93.00 <u>108.00</u>	78.00 <u>93.00</u>	63.00 <u>78.00</u>	44.00 <u>59.00</u>
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1	24,001 - 26,000	404.00 <u>116.00</u>	84.00 <u>99.00</u>	67.00 <u>82.00</u>	46.00 <u>61.00</u>
2	26,001 - 28,000	411.00 <u>126.00</u>	92.00 <u>107.00</u>	73.00 <u>88.00</u>	50.00 <u>65.00</u>
3	28,001 - 30,000	424.00 <u>136.00</u>	100.00 <u>115.00</u>	79.00 <u>94.00</u>	54.00 <u>69.00</u>
4	30,001 - 32,000	436.00 <u>151.00</u>	113.00 <u>128.00</u>	90.00 <u>105.00</u>	63.00 <u>78.00</u>
5	32,001 - 34,000	446.00 <u>161.00</u>	124.00 <u>136.00</u>	96.00 <u>111.00</u>	67.00 <u>82.00</u>
6	34,001 - 36,000	456.00 <u>171.00</u>	129.00 <u>144.00</u>	102.00 <u>117.00</u>	71.00 <u>86.00</u>
7	36,001 - 38,000	466.00 <u>181.00</u>	137.00 <u>152.00</u>	108.00 <u>123.00</u>	75.00 <u>90.00</u>
8	38,001 - 40,000	476.00 <u>191.00</u>	145.00 <u>160.00</u>	114.00 <u>129.00</u>	79.00 <u>94.00</u>
9	40,001 - 42,000	486.00 <u>201.00</u>	153.00 <u>168.00</u>	120.00 <u>135.00</u>	83.00 <u>98.00</u>
10	42,001 - 44,000	496.00 <u>211.00</u>	161.00 <u>176.00</u>	126.00 <u>141.00</u>	87.00 <u>102.00</u>
11	44,001 - 46,000	206.00 <u>221.00</u>	169.00 <u>184.00</u>	132.00 <u>147.00</u>	91.00 <u>106.00</u>
12	46,001 - 48,000	216.00 <u>231.00</u>	177.00 <u>192.00</u>	138.00 <u>153.00</u>	95.00 <u>110.00</u>
13	48,001 - 50,000	226.00 <u>241.00</u>	185.00 <u>200.00</u>	144.00 <u>159.00</u>	99.00 <u>114.00</u>
14	50,001 - 52,000	246.00 <u>261.00</u>	203.00 <u>218.00</u>	160.00 <u>175.00</u>	113.00 <u>128.00</u>
15	52,001 - 54,000	256.00 <u>271.00</u>	211.00 <u>226.00</u>	166.00 <u>181.00</u>	117.00 <u>132.00</u>
16	54,001 - 56,000	266.00 <u>281.00</u>	219.00 <u>234.00</u>	172.00 <u>187.00</u>	121.00 <u>136.00</u>
17	56,001 - 58,000	276.00 <u>291.00</u>	227.00 <u>242.00</u>	178.00 <u>193.00</u>	125.00 <u>140.00</u>
18	58,001 - 60,000	286.00 <u>301.00</u>	235.00 <u>250.00</u>	184.00 <u>199.00</u>	129.00 <u>144.00</u>
19	60,001 - 62,000	296.00 <u>311.00</u>	243.00 <u>258.00</u>	190.00 <u>205.00</u>	133.00 <u>148.00</u>
20	62,001 - 64,000	306.00 <u>321.00</u>	251.00 <u>266.00</u>	196.00 <u>211.00</u>	137.00 <u>152.00</u>
21	64,001 - 66,000	316.00 <u>331.00</u>	259.00 <u>274.00</u>	202.00 <u>217.00</u>	141.00 <u>156.00</u>
22	66,001 - 68,000	326.00 <u>341.00</u>	267.00 <u>282.00</u>	208.00 <u>223.00</u>	145.00 <u>160.00</u>
23	68,001 - 70,000	336.00 <u>351.00</u>	275.00 <u>290.00</u>	214.00 <u>229.00</u>	149.00 <u>164.00</u>
24	70,001 - 72,000	346.00 <u>361.00</u>	283.00 <u>298.00</u>	220.00 <u>235.00</u>	153.00 <u>168.00</u>
25	72,001 - 74,000	356.00 <u>371.00</u>	291.00 <u>306.00</u>	226.00 <u>241.00</u>	157.00 <u>172.00</u>
26	74,001 - 76,000	366.00 <u>381.00</u>	299.00 <u>314.00</u>	232.00 <u>247.00</u>	161.00 <u>176.00</u>
27	76,001 - 78,000	376.00 <u>391.00</u>	307.00 <u>322.00</u>	238.00 <u>253.00</u>	165.00 <u>180.00</u>
28	78,001 - 80,000	386.00 <u>401.00</u>	315.00 <u>330.00</u>	244.00 <u>259.00</u>	169.00 <u>184.00</u>
29	80,001 - 82,000	396.00 <u>411.00</u>	323.00 <u>338.00</u>	250.00 <u>265.00</u>	173.00 <u>188.00</u>
30	82,001 - 84,000	406.00 <u>421.00</u>	345.00 <u>360.00</u>	293.00 <u>308.00</u>	249.00 <u>264.00</u>
31	84,001 - 86,000	426.00 <u>441.00</u>	362.00 <u>377.00</u>	307.00 <u>322.00</u>	261.00 <u>276.00</u>

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1	86,001 - 88,000	446.00 <u>461.00</u>	379.00 <u>394.00</u>	321.00 <u>336.00</u>	273.00 <u>288.00</u>
2	88,001 - 90,000	466.00 <u>481.00</u>	396.00 <u>411.00</u>	335.00 <u>350.00</u>	285.00 <u>300.00</u>
3	90,001 - 92,000	486.00 <u>501.00</u>	413.00 <u>428.00</u>	349.00 <u>364.00</u>	297.00 <u>312.00</u>
4	92,001 - 94,000	506.00 <u>521.00</u>	430.00 <u>445.00</u>	363.00 <u>378.00</u>	309.00 <u>324.00</u>
5	94,001 - 96,000	526.00 <u>541.00</u>	447.00 <u>462.00</u>	377.00 <u>392.00</u>	324.00 <u>336.00</u>
6	96,001 - 98,000	546.00 <u>561.00</u>	464.00 <u>479.00</u>	391.00 <u>406.00</u>	333.00 <u>348.00</u>
7	98,001 - 100,000	566.00 <u>581.00</u>	481.00 <u>496.00</u>	405.00 <u>420.00</u>	345.00 <u>360.00</u>
8	100,001 - 102,000	586.00 <u>601.00</u>	498.00 <u>513.00</u>	419.00 <u>434.00</u>	357.00 <u>372.00</u>
9	102,001 - 104,000	606.00 <u>621.00</u>	515.00 <u>530.00</u>	433.00 <u>448.00</u>	369.00 <u>384.00</u>
10	104,001 - 105,500	626.00 <u>641.00</u>	532.00 <u>547.00</u>	447.00 <u>462.00</u>	381.00 <u>396.00</u>

11 6. A motor vehicle registered in subsection 5 may be used for custom combining
12 operations by displaying identification issued by the department and upon payment
13 of a fee of twenty-five dollars.

14 **SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Act is effective for registrations that are due
15 after June 30, 2001.