



OHIO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE COMMISSION

Bill Analysis

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(As Introduced)

Rep. Patton

CONTENT AND OPERATION

"Line of Duty Sacrifice" license plate

The bill creates the following license plate:¹

Special License Plate	Line of Duty Sacrifice license plate, which is inscribed with a distinctive emblem and words that are designed by the Gold Star Family Committee and that are approved by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.
Recipients	Available to any person who is the immediate family member of a public safety officer who died while performing honorably in the line of duty. An immediate family member includes a spouse, a parent, a stepparent, a person who acted in loco parentis, a sibling, a child, a grandchild, a grandparent, a great-grandparent, and any other lineal descendent not otherwise listed.
Eligible Vehicles	Any passenger car, noncommercial motor vehicle, motor home, or other vehicle approved by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.
Contribution, Additional BMV Fee, and Use of Contribution	None.
Requirements for Issuance	(1) Submission of an application; (2) Payment of the regular license tax, any local tax, any special reserved license plate fee if necessary; and (3) Compliance with all other relevant laws relating to motor vehicle registration.

¹ R.C. 4503.435.

Combined with Special Reserved License Plate	May be combined with a special reserved license plate provided in current law.
Applicability of License Plate Termination Procedures	Procedures governing the termination of nonstandard license plates apply. ²

HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
Introduced	10-10-17

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² R.C. 4503.77 to 4503.78, not in the bill.

