OHIO LEGISLATIVE SERVICE COMMISSION

Bill Analysis   Carlen Zhang-D'Souza

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(As Introduced)

Reps.   Greenspan and Fedor, Antonio, Brenner, Lipps, Riedel, West, Boccieri, Ingram, Patterson, O'Brien, Sweeney, Carfagna, Lepore-Hagan, Brown

CONTENT AND OPERATION

"Stop Bullying" license plate

The bill creates the following license plate:[1]

Special License Plate	**Stop Bullying** license plate, which must display an appropriate logo and words selected by the Attorney General that are approved by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.
Recipients	Available to all applicants.
Eligible Vehicles	Any passenger car, noncommercial motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, or other vehicle approved by the Registrar.
Contribution, Additional BMV Fee, and Use of Contribution	$25 required contribution. $10 additional administrative BMV fee. Contributions must be deposited in the Stop Bullying License Plate Contribution Fund, which is created by the bill. The Attorney General or the Attorney General's designee must use the money in the Fund to issue grants to nonprofit organizations that provide bullying prevention training programs or educational opportunities. The Attorney General is required to approve the nonprofit organizations that will receive grants and the amounts paid to each nonprofit organization.[2]

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[1] R.C. 4503.723.

[2] R.C. 4503.723(C)(1) and (D).

Requirements for Issuance	(1) Submission of an application; (2) Payment of the regular license tax, any local tax, contribution, administrative fee, any special reserved license plate fee if necessary; and (3) Compliance with all other relevant laws relating to motor vehicle registration.
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.[3]

HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
Introduced	01-30-18

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[3] R.C. 4503.77 and 4503.78, not in the bill.