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## DIGEST

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HB No. 96

**Abstract:** Creates the special prestige license plate to be known as "State Employee Retired" license plate. Provides for the fees, issuance, creation, and design of the license plate.

Proposed law requires the secretary for DPS&C to issue special prestige license plates for members of the La. State Employees Retirement System. The license plate shall be known as the "State Employee Retired" license plate.

Proposed law provides that the prestige license plate shall be issued, upon application, to any citizen of La. who can provide proof that the applicant is a member of the La. State Employees Retirement System and who is receiving retirement benefits payments.

Proposed law provides for the design of the La. State Employee Retired license plate. The plate shall bear the likeness of the shape of the state of La. centered on the left side of the license plate and shall display the state seal centered inside of the outline of the state shape and the words "State Employee Retired" shall be centered under the "Louisiana" name logo at the top of the plate. The center of the plate shall be display a number, with the first issued plate displaying number one and shall continue in consecutive numerical order for each plate. Centered at the bottom of the plate below the number shall be the words "Louisiana State Employees Retirement System".

Proposed law provides an initial fee of twenty-five dollars, which shall be disbursed in accordance with proposed law, in addition to the regular motor vehicle license fee provided in R.S. 47:463(A)(3). A handling fee of \$3.50 to be retained by the department to offset a portion of administrative costs. A renewal fee which shall be the same as the fee for renewing a regular motor vehicle license plate.

Proposed law provides that the secretary shall adopt rules and regulations to implement the provisions provided in proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 47:463.141)