Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 1247

BY REPRESENTATIVE ABRAMSON

MTR VEHICLE/LICEN PLATES: Establishes a special prestige license plate for the Academy of the Sacred Heart in New Orleans

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 47:463.73(A), (C)(2), and (G), relative to special prestige license
3	plates; to provide for the creation and issuance of a special prestige license plate for
4	the Academy of the Sacred Heart; and to provide for related matters.
5	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6	Section 1. R.S. 47:463.73(A), (C)(2), and (G) are hereby amended and reenacted to
7	read as follows:
8	§463.73. Special prestige license plate; Louisiana public and private high schools
9	A. The secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall
10	establish a special prestige license plate for Louisiana parochial, public, and private
11	high schools which have a minimum of one hundred applicants for such plate. The
12	license plate shall be restricted to passenger cars, pickup trucks, vans, and
13	recreational vehicles. The license plate shall be of a color and design selected by the
14	respective high school student council subject to the approval of the respective high
15	school principal, provided that it is in compliance with R.S. 47:463(A)(3).
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CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.

1	(2) A royalty fee of twenty-five dollars for the use of the institution's design
2	by the department shall be paid to the institution for each license plate issued as
3	provided in this Section. At the option of any Louisiana parochial, public, or private
4	high school, this royalty fee shall be collected annually by the department.
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6	G. The secretary shall establish special prestige license plates for Archbishop
7	Hannan High School, and Jesuit High School, and the Academy of the Sacred Heart
8	and any other parochial, public or private Louisiana high school in accordance with
9	the provisions of this Section as it was enacted.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Creates a special prestige license plate for the Academy of the Sacred Heart in New Orleans.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the secretary of the Department of Public Safety and Corrections shall establish a special prestige license plate for Louisiana public and private high schools which have a minimum of one hundred applicants for such plate.

Proposed law adds parochial high schools to present law.

<u>Present law</u> provides that a royalty fee of twenty-five dollars for the use of the institution's design by the department shall be paid to the institution for each license plate issued as provided in this Section. At the option of any Louisiana public or private high school, this royalty fee shall be collected annually by the department.

Proposed law adds parochial high schools to present law.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the secretary of the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections shall establish special prestige license plates for Archbishop Hannan High School and Jesuit High School. <u>Proposed law</u> adds the Academy of the Sacred Heart and any other parochial, public, or private Louisiana high school to the list of high schools for which a prestige license plate shall be established.

(Amends R.S. 47:463.73(A), (C)(2), and (G))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

- Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Transportation, Highways</u> <u>and Public Works</u> to the <u>original</u> bill.
- 1. Made technical changes.

House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill.

- 1. Provided that any Louisiana parochial, public, or private high school can obtain a special prestige license plate with a minimum of 100 applicants.
- 2. Added parochial high schools to the list of high schools which have the option to have the \$25 royalty fee collected annually by the department.