## **DIGEST**

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HB 924 Reengrossed

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**Abstract:** Creates the "Louisiana The Energy State" special prestige license plate. Provides for fees, distribution of fees, issuance, creation, and design of the license plate and promulgation of rules.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the secretary of the Dept. of Public Safety and Corrections to issue special prestige license plates to be known as the "Louisiana The Energy State" license plate.

<u>Proposed law</u> restricts use of the "Louisiana The Energy State" license plate to passenger cars, pickup trucks, recreational vehicles, motorcycles, and vans.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the secretary to work in conjunction with the Louisiana Oil and Gas Association to select the color and design of the plate.

<u>Proposed law</u> specifies that the license plate be issued, upon application, to any citizen of Louisiana in the same manner as any other motor vehicle license plate.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the department to collect an annual royalty fee of \$25 for each plate issued and specifies that such fees be collected by the department and forwarded to the treasurer for deposit into the Oilfield Site Restoration Fund.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the department to collect a handling fee of \$3.50 for each plate, to be retained by the department to offset a portion of administrative costs.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires the secretary to adopt rules and regulations to implement the provisions provided in proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 47:463.188)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

## The House Floor Amendments to the engrossed bill:

1. Extend use of the "Louisiana The Energy State" special prestige license plate to motorcycles.