

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 245(FIN) am

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE

Amended: 2/27/06

Offered: 2/10/06

Sponsor(s): HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON MILITARY AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

A BILL

FOR AN ACT ENTITLED

1 "An Act relating to motor vehicle registration plates and fees for Purple Heart
2 recipients and Medal of Honor recipients; and providing for an effective date."

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 * **Section 1.** AS 28.10.181(l) is amended to read:

5 (l) Vehicles owned by Pearl Harbor survivors, [AND] former prisoners of war,
6 **and Medal of Honor recipients.** The department, upon receipt of written proof, shall
7 issue without charge special registration plates for one noncommercial motor vehicle
8 to a person who was on active military duty in Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941,
9 [OR] who has been a prisoner of war during a declared war or other conflict, as
10 determined by the Department of Defense under federal regulations, **or who is the**
11 **recipient of the Medal of Honor awarded by the President of the United States in**
12 **the name of the United States Congress.** The design and color of the Pearl Harbor
13 survivor, [OR] prisoner of war, **or Medal of Honor awarded by the President of the**
14 **United States in the name of the United States Congress recipient** plates shall be

solely within the discretion of the commissioner.

* **Sec. 2.** AS 28.10.421(d)(2) is amended to read:

(2) special request plates for

- (A) Alaska National Guard personnel \$30;
- (B) veterans or retired veterans \$30;
- (C) recipients of the Purple Heart **none** [\$30];
- (D) owners of custom collector vehicles \$50;
- (E) other special request plates \$30;

plus the fee required for that vehicle under (b) of this section; the fee required by this paragraph shall be collected only on the first issuance and on the replacement of special request plates;

* **Sec. 3.** AS 28.10.421(d)(11) is amended to read:

(11) a vehicle owned by a Pearl Harbor survivor, [OR] a former prisoner of war, **or a recipient of the Medal of Honor awarded by the President of the United States in the name of the United States Congress** none;

* **Sec. 4.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).