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2 HOUSE BILL NO. 380

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the designation of an Alaska  
7 National Guard registration plate."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 \* Section 1. AS 26.05 is amended by adding a new section to read:

10 Sec. 26.05.347. NATIONAL GUARD REGISTRATION PLATES. (a) When  
11 the Department of Revenue registers a motor vehicle owned by a member  
12 of the Alaska National Guard, it shall issue to the member, at no cost,  
13 registration plates with the inscription "National Guard" on them.  
14 This inscription is in addition to the regular items displayed on a  
15 registration plate under AS 28.10.120. No more than two National Guard  
16 registration plates a year may be issued to each member of the Alaska  
17 National Guard, but the Alaska National Guard registration plates may  
18 be used in substitution for the regular registration plates required  
19 under AS 28.10.120. The Alaska National Guard registration plates may  
20 not be used on another vehicle during the term for which the plates  
21 are issued.

22 (b) The Department of Revenue, subject to the approval of the  
23 Department of Military Affairs, shall determine the design for the  
24 National Guard registration plate.

25 \* Sec. 2. AS 28.10.110(a) is amended to read:

26 (a) When the department registers a vehicle, it shall issue a  
27 registration card to the owner. The registration card shall contain  
28 upon its face the following: the registration number assigned to the  
29 vehicle and date of issuance; the owner's name and post office address;

1 the make, model, and serial number of the vehicle; the engine serial  
2 number; lien, if any; certificate of ownership number; the designation  
3 of "National Guard" if the owner of the vehicle is a member of the  
4 Alaska National Guard; such other matter as the department requires.  
5 The registration card shall contain a space for the signature of the  
6 registered owner, and the owner shall sign it in ink immediately upon  
7 receipt.

8 \* Sec. 3. AS 28.10.120 is amended to read:

9       Sec. 28.10.120. ISSUANCE OF PLATES UPON REGISTRATION. When the  
10 department registers a vehicle, it shall issue to the owner one regis-  
11 tration plate for a motorcycle, trailer, or semi-trailer, and two  
12 registration plates for every other motor vehicle. The plates shall  
13 be issued to the vehicle registered and shall not be removed from it  
14 during the term for which the plates are issued and shall not be used  
15 upon another vehicle, except as otherwise provided in this chapter.  
16 Every registration plate shall have displayed on it the registration  
17 number assigned to the vehicle for which it is issued, the name of this  
18 state, and the year for which the plate is issued. Special plates for  
19 mobile amateur radio stations shall have the Federal Communications  
20 Commission call letters of the owner displayed on them in place of the  
21 registration number. Registration plates issued to members of the  
22 National Guard under AS 26.05.347 shall have the inscription "National  
23 Guard" on them.

24 \* Sec. 4. AS 28.10.200(b)(2) is amended to read:

25       (2) except as provided in (b)(7), (b)(8) and (b)(9) of this section  
26 and AS 26.05.347, for a motor vehicle not designed, used, or maintained  
27 primarily for the transportation of passengers or property for hire,  
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29 \* Sec. 5. AS 28.10.210 is amended to read:

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Sec. 28.10.210. VEHICLES EXEMPTED FROM ANNUAL LICENSE TAX. Motor vehicles owned by a municipality or other local government subdivision and motor vehicles covered under AS 26.05.347 are exempt from the annual license tax. However, municipalities and other local subdivisions of the state government shall pay the cost of registration plates, as determined by the department, at the time of applying for registration.

\* Sec. 6. AS 28.10.350(a) is amended to read:

(a) When the owner of a registered vehicle transfers or assigns his title or interest, the registration of the vehicle expires, but the registration plates shall remain on the vehicle except that, upon transfer or assignment of the title or interest, National Guard registration plates issued under AS 26.05.347 shall be returned to the Department of Revenue. The owner shall endorse an assignment and warranty of title upon the certificate of title for the vehicle with a statement of all liens or encumbrances, and he shall deliver the certificate of title and certificate of registration to the transferee at the time of delivering the vehicle, except as provided in sec. 380 of this chapter.

\* Sec. 7. AS 28.10.650 is amended by adding a new paragraph to read:

(21) "member of the Alaska National Guard" includes those persons placed on the retired list under AS 26.05.220.