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SENATE DRS35350-ME-137 (03/14)

Short Title: Correct Animal Lovers Special Plate Shortfall. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator McKissick (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to:

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO TRANSFER FUNDS FROM THE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE  
3 ACCOUNT TO THE SPAY/NEUTER ACCOUNT.

4 Whereas, effective October 1, 2010, the annual fee for the Animal Lovers special  
5 plate was increased in S.L. 2011-31 from \$20.00 to \$30.00, with the full amount of the increase  
6 going to the Spay/Neuter Account established under G.S. 19A-62(a); and

7 Whereas, the Division of Motor Vehicles did not begin collecting the increased fee  
8 until May 25, 2011; and

9 Whereas, the Division of Motor Vehicles estimates that, assuming the same number  
10 of plates would have been sold in that time period, the lost revenue to the Spay/Neuter Account  
11 was \$54,160; Now, therefore,

12 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

13 **SECTION 1.** There is hereby transferred from the Special Registration Plate  
14 Account established under G.S. 20-79.7(b) to the Spay/Neuter Account established under  
15 G.S. 19A-62(a) the sum of fifty-four thousand one hundred sixty dollars (\$54,160) to be used  
16 for the purposes provided in G.S. 19A-62(b).

17 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.

