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HOUSE BILL 544  
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Short Title: NCAMC/NCACC Special Regis. Plate.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

April 3, 2019

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE  
3 "NCAMC/NCACC" SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 SECTION 1. G.S. 20-79.4(b)(147) is reenacted as it existed immediately before its  
6 expiration and reads as rewritten:

7 "(147) NCAMC/NCACC Clerk. – Issuable to a clerk of a municipal governing board  
8 or a clerk of a county board of commissioners of a municipality or county in  
9 this State. ~~State upon furnishing to the Division proof that the applicant~~  
10 ~~currently holds the position.~~ For a municipal clerk, the plate shall bear the  
11 words "NCAMC Clerk" ~~followed by a number representing the municipal~~  
12 ~~clerk's city or town. The number of a city shall be the order of the city in an~~  
13 ~~alphabetical list of cities that assigns number one to the first city in the list.~~  
14 Clerk. For a county clerk, the plate shall bear the words "NCACC Clerk"  
15 ~~followed by a number representing the county clerk's county. The number of~~  
16 ~~a county shall be the order of the county in an alphabetical list of counties that~~  
17 ~~assigns number one to the first county in the list.~~ Clerk. The Division may  
18 not issue ~~the a~~ plate authorized by this subdivision unless it receives at least  
19 ~~300-50~~ applications for the plate."

20 SECTION 2. G.S. 20-79.7 reads as rewritten:

21 "§ 20-79.7. Fees for special registration plates and distribution of the fees.

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23 (a1) Fees. – All other special registration plates are subject to the regular motor vehicle  
24 registration fee in G.S. 20-87 or G.S. 20-88 plus an additional fee in the following amount:

<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>Additional Fee Amount</u>
25 ...	
26 <u>NCAMC/NCACC Clerk</u>	<u>\$30.00</u>

27 ...  
28 ...  
29 (b) Distribution of Fees. – The Special Registration Plate Account and the Collegiate and  
30 Cultural Attraction Plate Account are established within the Highway Fund. The Division must  
31 credit the additional fee imposed for the special registration plates listed in ~~subsection (a)~~  
32 subsection (a1) of this section among the Special Registration Plate Account (SRPA), the  
33 Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account (CCAPA), the Clean Water Management Trust  
34 Fund (CWMTF), which is established under G.S. 113A-253, and the Parks and Recreation Trust  
35 Fund, which is established under G.S. 113-44.15, as follows:

<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>SRPA</u>	<u>CCAPA</u>	<u>CWMTF</u>	<u>PRTF</u>
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2 NCAMC/NCACC Clerk \$10 \$20 0 0  
3 ...."

4 **SECTION 3.** G.S. 20-81.12 reads as rewritten:  
5 "**§ 20-81.12. Collegiate insignia plates and certain other special plates.**

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7 (b162) NCAMC/NCACC Clerk. – The Division shall transfer quarterly the money in the  
8 Collegiate and Cultural Attraction Plate Account derived from the sale of "NCAMC/NCACC  
9 Clerk" plates to the NC Kids digital library.

10 ...."  
11 **SECTION 4.** The Revisor of Statutes is authorized to alphabetize, number, and  
12 renumber the special registration plates listed in G.S. 20-79.4(b) to ensure that all the special  
13 registration plates are listed in alphabetical order and numbered accordingly.

14 **SECTION 5.** The plate authorized by this act is not subject to the requirements to  
15 establish a new special registration plate in G.S. 20-79.3A and the expiration of special  
16 registration plate authorization in G.S. 20-79.8.

17 **SECTION 6.** This act is effective when it becomes law.