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SENATE BILL 285

52ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2016

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AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES; PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL
REGISTRATION PLATE TO HONOR POLICE OFFICERS WHO HAVE DIED IN
THE LINE OF DUTY; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. A new section of the Motor Vehicle Code is
enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] SPECIAL HONORING FALLEN OFFICERS
REGISTRATION PLATE.--

A. The division shall issue a standardized special
registration plate with a logo designed in accordance with
Subsection C of Section 66-3-424 NMSA 1978 to commemorate
police officers who have died in the line of duty. The plate
shall include the words "Honoring Fallen Officers".

B. A fee of ten dollars (\$10.00), which is in

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1 addition to the regular motor vehicle registration fee, shall
2 be collected by the division for the original issuance of the
3 special "Honoring Fallen Officers" registration plate. The fee
4 shall be retained by the division and is appropriated to the
5 division to defray the cost of making and issuing special
6 registration plates pursuant to this section."