

HB 229 -- SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE (McCaherty)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Standing Committee on Transportation

This bill allows any person who has received the Korea Defense Service Medal to apply for special motor vehicle license plates bearing the words "KOREA DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL." To obtain the plates, a person must submit an application to the Director of the Department of Revenue, furnish proof of eligibility for the plates as the department director may require, and pay a \$15 fee in addition to the regular registration fee. There must not be any additional fee for the personalization of the license plates.

The plates are not transferable to any other person, but in the event of the death of a qualified person, a registered co-owner of the vehicle must be entitled to operate the vehicle with the plates until they expire.