# 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY <br> State of Illinois 2005 and 2006 

## SB2837

Introduced 1/20/2006, by Sen. Deanna Demuzio

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-664 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides for the issuance of Support Our Troopers license plates for an additional fee of $\$ 40$ at original issuance and $\$ 27$ at renewal. Provides that $\$ 25$ of these fees shall be deposited into the State Police Vehicle Fund, a special fund in the State treasury. Provides that $\$ 15$ of the original issuance fee and $\$ 2$ of the renewal fee shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund. Effective immediately.

AN ACT concerning transportation.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding Section 3-664 as follows:
(625 ILCS 5/3-664 new)
Sec. 3-664. Support Our Troopers license plates.
(a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may issue special registration plates designated as Support Our Troopers license plates. The special plates issued under this Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division or motor vehicles of the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire according to the multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of this Code.
(b) The design and color of the special plates shall be wholly within the discretion of the secretary, except that the phrase "Support Our Troopers" and an emblem of the state Police Seal shall be on the plates. The Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be issued as vanity or personalized plates in accordance with Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The plates are not required to designate "Land of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection (b) of Section 3-412 of this Code. The Secretary, in his or her discretion, shall approve and prescribe stickers or decals as provided under Section 3-412.
(c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a $\$ 40$ fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate registration fee. Of this fee, $\$ 25$ shall be deposited into the State Police Vehicle Fund, a special fund in the state treasury, and $\$ 15$ shall be deposited into the secretary of

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State Special License Plate Fund, to be used by the Secretary
to help defray the administrative processing costs. For each
registration renewal period, a $27 fee, in addition to the
appropriate registration fee, shall be charged. Of this fee,
$25 shall be deposited into the State Police Vehicle Fund and
$2 shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special
License Plate Fund.
    Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
becoming law.
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