# 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# State of Illinois

# 2013 and 2014

### HB2388

by Rep. John E. Bradley

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-699 new

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides for the issuance of In God We Trust license plates, for an additional charge of \$20 at initial issuance and at renewal. 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. Provides that \$5 of the original issuance fee and \$18 of the renewal fee shall be deposited into the Veterans Assistance Fund.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

HB2388

AN ACT concerning transportation.

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# 2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, 3 represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by adding
Section 3-699 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-699 new)

7 <u>Sec. 3-699. In God We Trust license plates.</u>

(a) The Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and 8 9 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may 10 issue special registration plates designated as In God We Trust license plates. The special plates issued under this Section 11 shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first 12 division or motor vehicles of the second division weighing not 13 14 more than 8,000 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire according to the multi-year procedure established by 15 16 Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

17 (b) The design and color of the special plates shall be 18 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. The Secretary 19 may, in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be issued as 20 vanity or personalized plates in accordance with Section 21 3-405.1 of this Code. The plates are not required to designate 22 "Land of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection (b) of Section 23 3-412 of this Code. The Secretary, in his or her discretion,

1	shall approve and prescribe stickers or decals as provided
2	under Section 3-412.
3	(c) An applicant for the special plate shall be charged a
4	\$20 fee for original issuance in addition to the appropriate
5	registration fee. Of this fee, \$5 shall be deposited into the
6	Veterans Assistance Fund and \$15 shall be deposited into the
7	Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund, to be used by
8	the Secretary to help defray the administrative processing
9	<u>costs.</u>
10	For each registration renewal period, a \$20 fee, in
11	addition to the appropriate registration fee, shall be charged.
12	Of this fee, \$18 shall be deposited into the Veterans
13	Assistance Fund and \$2 shall be deposited into the Secretary of
14	State Special License Plate Fund.