

**§ 20-79.5. Special registration plates for elected and appointed State government officials.**

(a) Plates. – The State government officials listed in this section are eligible for a special registration plate under G.S. 20-79.4. The plate shall bear the number designated in the following table for the position held by the official.

| Position                                                                      | Number on Plate |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Governor                                                                      | 1               |
| Lieutenant Governor                                                           | 2               |
| Speaker of the House of Representatives                                       | 3               |
| President Pro Tempore of the Senate                                           | 4               |
| Secretary of State                                                            | 5               |
| State Auditor                                                                 | 6               |
| State Treasurer                                                               | 7               |
| Superintendent of Public Instruction                                          | 8               |
| Attorney General                                                              | 9               |
| Commissioner of Agriculture                                                   | 10              |
| Commissioner of Labor                                                         | 11              |
| Commissioner of Insurance                                                     | 12              |
| Speaker Pro Tempore of the House                                              | 13              |
| Legislative Services Officer                                                  | 14              |
| Secretary of Administration                                                   | 15              |
| Secretary of Environmental Quality                                            | 16              |
| Secretary of Revenue                                                          | 17              |
| Secretary of Health and Human Services                                        | 18              |
| Secretary of Commerce                                                         | 19              |
| Secretary of Public Safety                                                    | 20              |
| Secretary of Natural and Cultural Resources                                   | 21              |
| Secretary of Military and Veterans Affairs                                    | 22              |
| Governor's Staff                                                              | 23-29           |
| State Budget Officer                                                          | 30              |
| Director of the Office of State Human Resources                               | 31              |
| Chair of the State Board of Education                                         | 32              |
| President of the U.N.C. System                                                | 33              |
| President of the Community Colleges System                                    | 34              |
| State Board Member, Commission Member,<br>or State Employee Not Named in List | 35-43           |
| Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission                                         | 44-46           |
| Assistant Commissioners of Agriculture                                        | 47-48           |
| Deputy Secretary of State                                                     | 49              |
| Deputy State Treasurer                                                        | 50              |
| Assistant State Treasurer                                                     | 51              |
| Deputy Commissioner for the Department of Labor                               | 52              |
| Chief Deputy for the Department of Insurance                                  | 53              |
| Assistant Commissioner of Insurance                                           | 54              |
| Deputies and Assistant to the Attorney General                                | 55-65           |
| Board of Economic Development Nonlegislative Member                           | 66-88           |
| State Ports Authority Nonlegislative Member                                   | 89-96           |
| Utilities Commission Member                                                   | 97-103          |
| State Board Member, Commission Member,<br>or State Employee Not Named in List | 104             |

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| Post-Release Supervision and Parole Commission Member                         | 105-107 |
| State Board Member, Commission Member,<br>or State Employee Not Named in List | 108-200 |

(b) Designation. – When the table in subsection (a) designates a range of numbers for certain officials, the number given an official in that group shall be assigned. The Governor shall assign a number for members of the Governor's staff, nonlegislative members of the Board of Economic Development, nonlegislative members of the State Ports Authority, members of State boards and commissions, and for State employees. The Attorney General shall assign a number for the Attorney General's deputies and assistants.

The first number assigned to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission is reserved for the Chair of that Commission. The remaining numbers shall be assigned to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission members on the basis of seniority. The first number assigned to the Utilities Commission is reserved for the Chair of that Commission. The remaining numbers shall be assigned to the Utilities Commission members on the basis of seniority. The first number assigned to the Post-Release Supervision and Parole Commission is reserved for the Chair of that Commission. The remaining numbers shall be assigned to the Post-Release Supervision and Parole Commission members on the basis of seniority. (1991, c. 672, s. 2; c. 726, s. 23; 1991 (Reg. Sess., 1992), c. 959, s. 1; 1996, 2nd Ex. Sess., c. 18, s. 8(a); 1997-443, ss. 11A.118(a), 11A.119(a); 2000-137, s. 4.(e); 2006-203, s. 14; 2007-483, s. 3(a); 2011-145, s. 19.1(g), (i), (m); 2012-83, s. 4; 2013-382, s. 9.1(c); 2015-241, ss. 14.30(t), (v), 24.1(n); 2015-268, s. 7.3(a).)