

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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HOUSE DRH10177-LK-55 (2/10)

Short Title: SHP Retiree Plate Modifications.

(Public)

Sponsors: Representative Steen.

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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2 AN ACT TO PERMIT UNMARRIED SPOUSES OF DECEASED RETIRED
3 HIGHWAY PATROLMEN TO OBTAIN RETIRED HIGHWAY PATROL
4 SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES.

5 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

6 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-79.4(b)(36a) reads as rewritten:

7 "(b) Types. – The Division shall issue the following types of special registration
8 plates:

9 ...

10 (36a) Retired Highway Patrol. – The plate authorized by this subdivision
11 shall bear the phrase "SHP, Retired." The Division may not issue the
12 plate authorized by this subdivision unless it receives at least 300
13 applications for the plate. The plate is issuable to ~~one~~any of the
14 following:

- 15 a. An individual who has retired from the North Carolina
16 Highway Patrol.
- 17 b. The surviving spouse of a person who retired from the North
18 Carolina Highway Patrol had a retired highway patrol plate at
19 the time of death so long as the surviving spouse ~~continues to~~
20 ~~renew the plate and~~ does not remarry.
- 21 c. The surviving spouse of a person who retired from the North
22 Carolina Highway Patrol so long as the surviving spouse does
23 not remarry."

24 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.