

# HB4488



## 101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

2019 and 2020

**HB4488**

Introduced 2/4/2020, by Rep. Sue Scherer

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-664

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that no registration fee for gold star license plates shall be required from a surviving widow, widower, or parent of a person who served in the Armed Forces of the United States and lost his or her life while in service.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT  
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing  
5 Section 3-664 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-664)

7 Sec. 3-664. Gold Star license plates. Upon proper  
8 application, the Secretary of State shall issue registration  
9 plates designated as Gold Star license plates to any Illinois  
10 resident who is the surviving widow, widower, sibling,  
11 daughter, son, or parent of a person who served in the Armed  
12 Forces of the United States and lost his or her life while in  
13 service whether in peacetime or war. The surviving widow or  
14 widower and each surviving parent, daughter, son, and sibling  
15 shall be issued one or more sets of registration plates.  
16 Registration plates issued under this Section shall be for  
17 first division vehicles and second division vehicles of 8,000  
18 pounds or less. The Secretary may, in his or her discretion,  
19 allow the plates to be issued as vanity or personalized plates  
20 in accordance with Section 3-405.1 of this Code. An applicant  
21 shall be charged only the appropriate registration fee, except  
22 that no registration fee shall be required from a surviving  
23 widow, widower, or parent.

1 (Source: P.A. 97-723, eff. 1-1-13; 98-869, eff. 1-1-15.)