

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 adding
5 Section 3-699.17 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.17 new)

7 Sec. 3-699.17. United Nations Protection Force license
8 plates.

9 (a) In addition to any other special license plate, the
10 Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and applications
11 made in the form prescribed by the Secretary of State, may
12 issue United Nations Protection Force license plates to
13 residents of this State who served in the United Nations
14 Protection Force in Yugoslavia. The special United Nations
15 Protection Force plate issued under this Section shall be
16 affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division and
17 motor vehicles of the second division weighing not more than
18 8,000 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire
19 according to the staggered multi-year procedure established by
20 Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

21 (b) The design, color, and format of the plates shall be
22 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary of State. The
23 Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be

1 issued as vanity plates or personalized in accordance with
2 Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The plates are not required to
3 designate "Land of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection (b) of
4 Section 3-412 of this Code. The Secretary shall approve and
5 prescribe stickers or decals as provided under Section 3-412.

6 (c) An applicant shall be charged a \$15 fee for original
7 issuance in addition to the applicable registration fee. This
8 additional fee shall be deposited into the Secretary of State
9 Special License Plate Fund. For each registration renewal
10 period, a \$2 fee, in addition to the appropriate registration
11 fee, shall be charged and shall be deposited into the Secretary
12 of State Special License Plate Fund.