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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4170

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 4170 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The State Finance Act is amended by adding  
5 Section 5.1015 as follows:

6 (30 ILCS 105/5.1015 new)

7 Sec. 5.1015. The International Brotherhood of Electrical  
8 Workers Fund.

9 Section 10. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by  
10 changing Section 3-699.14 as follows:

11 (625 ILCS 5/3-699.14)

12 Sec. 3-699.14. Universal special license plates.

13 (a) In addition to any other special license plate, the  
14 Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and

1 applications made in the form prescribed by the Secretary, may  
2 issue Universal special license plates to residents of  
3 Illinois on behalf of organizations that have been authorized  
4 by the General Assembly to issue decals for Universal special  
5 license plates. Appropriate documentation, as determined by  
6 the Secretary, shall accompany each application. Authorized  
7 organizations shall be designated by amendment to this  
8 Section. When applying for a Universal special license plate  
9 the applicant shall inform the Secretary of the name of the  
10 authorized organization from which the applicant will obtain a  
11 decal to place on the plate. The Secretary shall make a record  
12 of that organization and that organization shall remain  
13 affiliated with that plate until the plate is surrendered,  
14 revoked, or otherwise cancelled. The authorized organization  
15 may charge a fee to offset the cost of producing and  
16 distributing the decal, but that fee shall be retained by the  
17 authorized organization and shall be separate and distinct  
18 from any registration fees charged by the Secretary. No decal,  
19 sticker, or other material may be affixed to a Universal  
20 special license plate other than a decal authorized by the  
21 General Assembly in this Section or a registration renewal  
22 sticker. The special plates issued under this Section shall be  
23 affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division,  
24 including motorcycles and autocycles, or motor vehicles of the  
25 second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds. Plates  
26 issued under this Section shall expire according to the

1 multi-year procedure under Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

2 (b) The design, color, and format of the Universal special  
3 license plate shall be wholly within the discretion of the  
4 Secretary. Universal special license plates are not required  
5 to designate "Land of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection  
6 (b) of Section 3-412 of this Code. The design shall allow for  
7 the application of a decal to the plate. Organizations  
8 authorized by the General Assembly to issue decals for  
9 Universal special license plates shall comply with rules  
10 adopted by the Secretary governing the requirements for and  
11 approval of Universal special license plate decals. The  
12 Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow Universal  
13 special license plates to be issued as vanity or personalized  
14 plates in accordance with Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The  
15 Secretary of State must make a version of the special  
16 registration plates authorized under this Section in a form  
17 appropriate for motorcycles and autocycles.

18 (c) When authorizing a Universal special license plate,  
19 the General Assembly shall set forth whether an additional fee  
20 is to be charged for the plate and, if a fee is to be charged,  
21 the amount of the fee and how the fee is to be distributed.  
22 When necessary, the authorizing language shall create a  
23 special fund in the State treasury into which fees may be  
24 deposited for an authorized Universal special license plate.  
25 Additional fees may only be charged if the fee is to be paid  
26 over to a State agency or to a charitable entity that is in

1 compliance with the registration and reporting requirements of  
2 the Charitable Trust Act and the Solicitation for Charity Act.  
3 Any charitable entity receiving fees for the sale of Universal  
4 special license plates shall annually provide the Secretary of  
5 State a letter of compliance issued by the Attorney General  
6 verifying that the entity is in compliance with the Charitable  
7 Trust Act and the Solicitation for Charity Act.

8 (d) Upon original issuance and for each registration  
9 renewal period, in addition to the appropriate registration  
10 fee, if applicable, the Secretary shall collect any additional  
11 fees, if required, for issuance of Universal special license  
12 plates. The fees shall be collected on behalf of the  
13 organization designated by the applicant when applying for the  
14 plate. All fees collected shall be transferred to the State  
15 agency on whose behalf the fees were collected, or paid into  
16 the special fund designated in the law authorizing the  
17 organization to issue decals for Universal special license  
18 plates. All money in the designated fund shall be distributed  
19 by the Secretary subject to appropriation by the General  
20 Assembly.

21 (e) The following organizations may issue decals for  
22 Universal special license plates with the original and renewal  
23 fees and fee distribution as follows:

24 (1) The Illinois Department of Natural Resources.

25 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
26 Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund and \$15 to the Secretary

1 of State Special License Plate Fund.

2 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Roadside Monarch  
3 Habitat Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State Special  
4 License Plate Fund.

5 (2) Illinois Veterans' Homes.

6 (A) Original issuance: \$26, which shall be  
7 deposited into the Illinois Veterans' Homes Fund.

8 (B) Renewal: \$26, which shall be deposited into  
9 the Illinois Veterans' Homes Fund.

10 (3) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
11 volunteerism decals.

12 (A) Original issuance: \$25, which shall be  
13 deposited into the Secretary of State Special License  
14 Plate Fund.

15 (B) Renewal: \$25, which shall be deposited into  
16 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

17 (4) The Illinois Department of Public Health.

18 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
19 Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund and \$15 to the  
20 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

21 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Prostate Cancer  
22 Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
23 Special License Plate Fund.

24 (5) Horsemen's Council of Illinois.

25 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
26 Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund and \$15 to the

1 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

2 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Horsemen's  
3 Council of Illinois Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of  
4 State Special License Plate Fund.

5 (6) K9s for Veterans, NFP.

6 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
7 Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Fund and \$15  
8 to the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

9 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Post-Traumatic  
10 Stress Disorder Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary  
11 of State Special License Plate Fund.

12 (7) The International Association of Machinists and  
13 Aerospace Workers.

14 (A) Original issuance: \$35; with \$20 to the Guide  
15 Dogs of America Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State  
16 Special License Plate Fund.

17 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 going to the Guide Dogs  
18 of America Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
19 Special License Plate Fund.

20 (8) Local Lodge 701 of the International Association  
21 of Machinists and Aerospace Workers.

22 (A) Original issuance: \$35; with \$10 to the Guide  
23 Dogs of America Fund, \$10 to the Mechanics Training  
24 Fund, and \$15 to the Secretary of State Special  
25 License Plate Fund.

26 (B) Renewal: \$30; with \$13 to the Guide Dogs of

1 America Fund, \$15 to the Mechanics Training Fund, and  
2 \$2 to the Secretary of State Special License Plate  
3 Fund.

4 (9) Illinois Department of Human Services.

5 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
6 Theresa Tracy Trot - Illinois CancerCare Foundation  
7 Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State Special License  
8 Plate Fund.

9 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Theresa Tracy  
10 Trot - Illinois CancerCare Foundation Fund and \$2 to  
11 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

12 (10) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
13 developmental disabilities awareness decals.

14 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
15 Developmental Disabilities Awareness Fund and \$15 to  
16 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

17 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Developmental  
18 Disabilities Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of  
19 State Special License Plate Fund.

20 (11) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
21 pediatric cancer awareness decals.

22 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
23 Pediatric Cancer Awareness Fund and \$15 to the  
24 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

25 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Pediatric Cancer  
26 Awareness Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State

1 Special License Plate Fund.

2 (12) The Department of Veterans' Affairs for Fold of  
3 Honor decals.

4 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Folds  
5 of Honor Foundation Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of  
6 State Special License Plate Fund.

7 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Folds of Honor  
8 Foundation Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
9 Special License Plate Fund.

10 (13) The Illinois chapters of the Experimental  
11 Aircraft Association for aviation enthusiast decals.

12 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
13 Experimental Aircraft Association Fund and \$15 to the  
14 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

15 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Experimental  
16 Aircraft Association Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of  
17 State Special License Plate Fund.

18 (14) The Illinois Department of Human Services for  
19 Child Abuse Council of the Quad Cities decals.

20 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Child  
21 Abuse Council of the Quad Cities Fund and \$15 to the  
22 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

23 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Child Abuse  
24 Council of the Quad Cities Fund and \$2 to the Secretary  
25 of State Special License Plate Fund.

26 (15) The Illinois Department of Public Health for



1 health care worker decals.

2 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
3 Illinois Health Care Workers Benefit Fund, and \$15 to  
4 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

5 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Illinois Health  
6 Care Workers Benefit Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of  
7 State Special License Plate Fund.

8 (16) The Department of Agriculture for Future Farmers  
9 of America decals.

10 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Future  
11 Farmers of America Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of  
12 State Special License Plate Fund.

13 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Future Farmers  
14 of America Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State  
15 Special License Plate Fund.

16 (17) The Illinois Department of Public Health for  
17 autism awareness decals that are designed with input from  
18 autism advocacy organizations.

19 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Autism  
20 Awareness Fund and \$15 to the Secretary of State  
21 Special License Plate Fund.

22 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Autism Awareness  
23 Fund and \$2 to the Secretary of State Special License  
24 Plate Fund.

25 (18) ~~(17)~~ The Department of Natural Resources for Lyme  
26 disease research decals.

1 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the Tick  
2 Research, Education, and Evaluation Fund and \$15 to  
3 the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

4 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the Tick Research,  
5 Education, and Evaluation Fund and \$2 to the Secretary  
6 of State Special License Plate Fund.

7 (19) ~~(17)~~ The IBEW Thank a Line Worker decal.

8 (A) Original issuance: \$15, which shall be  
9 deposited into the Secretary of State Special License  
10 Plate Fund.

11 (B) Renewal: \$2, which shall be deposited into the  
12 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

13 (20) An Illinois chapter of the International  
14 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers for International  
15 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers decal.

16 (A) Original issuance: \$25; with \$10 to the  
17 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Fund  
18 and \$15 to the Secretary of State Special License  
19 Plate Fund.

20 (B) Renewal: \$25; with \$23 to the International  
21 Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Fund and \$2 to the  
22 Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

23 (f) The following funds are created as special funds in  
24 the State treasury:

25 (1) The Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund. All money in  
26 the Roadside Monarch Habitat Fund shall be paid as grants

1 to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources to fund  
2 roadside monarch and other pollinator habitat development,  
3 enhancement, and restoration projects in this State.

4 (2) The Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund. All money in  
5 the Prostate Cancer Awareness Fund shall be paid as grants  
6 to the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Chicago.

7 (3) The Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund. All money  
8 in the Horsemen's Council of Illinois Fund shall be paid  
9 as grants to the Horsemen's Council of Illinois.

10 (4) The Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Fund.  
11 All money in the Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness  
12 Fund shall be paid as grants to K9s for Veterans, NFP for  
13 support, education, and awareness of veterans with  
14 post-traumatic stress disorder.

15 (5) The Guide Dogs of America Fund. All money in the  
16 Guide Dogs of America Fund shall be paid as grants to the  
17 International Guiding Eyes, Inc., doing business as Guide  
18 Dogs of America.

19 (6) The Mechanics Training Fund. All money in the  
20 Mechanics Training Fund shall be paid as grants to the  
21 Mechanics Local 701 Training Fund.

22 (7) The Theresa Tracy Trot - Illinois CancerCare  
23 Foundation Fund. All money in the Theresa Tracy Trot -  
24 Illinois CancerCare Foundation Fund shall be paid to the  
25 Illinois CancerCare Foundation for the purpose of  
26 furthering pancreatic cancer research.

1           (8) The Developmental Disabilities Awareness Fund. All  
2 money in the Developmental Disabilities Awareness Fund  
3 shall be paid as grants to the Illinois Department of  
4 Human Services to fund legal aid groups to assist with  
5 guardianship fees for private citizens willing to become  
6 guardians for individuals with developmental disabilities  
7 but who are unable to pay the legal fees associated with  
8 becoming a guardian.

9           (9) The Pediatric Cancer Awareness Fund. All money in  
10 the Pediatric Cancer Awareness Fund shall be paid as  
11 grants to the Cancer Center at Illinois for pediatric  
12 cancer treatment and research.

13           (10) The Folds of Honor Foundation Fund. All money in  
14 the Folds of Honor Foundation Fund shall be paid as grants  
15 to the Folds of Honor Foundation to aid in providing  
16 educational scholarships to military families.

17           (11) The Experimental Aircraft Association Fund. All  
18 money in the Experimental Aircraft Association Fund shall  
19 be paid, subject to appropriation by the General Assembly  
20 and distribution by the Secretary, as grants to promote  
21 recreational aviation.

22           (12) The Child Abuse Council of the Quad Cities Fund.  
23 All money in the Child Abuse Council of the Quad Cities  
24 Fund shall be paid as grants to benefit the Child Abuse  
25 Council of the Quad Cities.

26           (13) The Illinois Health Care Workers Benefit Fund.

1 All money in the Illinois Health Care Workers Benefit Fund  
2 shall be paid as grants to the Trinity Health Foundation  
3 for the benefit of health care workers, doctors, nurses,  
4 and others who work in the health care industry in this  
5 State.

6 (14) The Future Farmers of America Fund. All money in  
7 the Future Farmers of America Fund shall be paid as grants  
8 to the Illinois Association of Future Farmers of America.

9 (15) The Tick Research, Education, and Evaluation  
10 Fund. All money in the Tick Research, Education, and  
11 Evaluation Fund shall be paid as grants to the Illinois  
12 Lyme Association.

13 (16) The International Brotherhood of Electrical  
14 Workers Fund. All money in the International Brotherhood  
15 of Electrical Workers Fund shall be paid as grants to any  
16 local chapter of the International Brotherhood of  
17 Electrical Workers that is located in this State.

18 (Source: P.A. 102-383, eff. 1-1-22; 102-422, eff. 8-20-21;  
19 102-423, eff. 8-20-21; 102-515, eff. 1-1-22; 102-558, eff.  
20 8-20-21; 102-809, eff. 1-1-23; 102-813, eff. 5-13-22; 103-112,  
21 eff. 1-1-24; 103-163, eff. 1-1-24; 103-349, eff. 1-1-24;  
22 revised 12-15-23.)".