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Veterans Affairs Committee

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1	AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 4187
2	AMENDMENT NO Amend House Bill 4187 on page 1 by
3	replacing lines 4 and 5 with the following:
4	"Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by
5	changing Sections 3-638, 3-806, and 3-806.4 as follows:
6	(625 ILCS 5/3-638)
7	Sec. 3-638. U.S. Veteran License Plates.
8	(a) In addition to any other special license plate, the
9	Secretary, upon receipt of all applicable fees and applications
10	made in the form prescribed by the Secretary of State, may
11	issue U.S. Veteran license plates to residents of Illinois who
12	meet eligibility requirements prescribed by the Secretary of
13	State. Upon the Secretary's receipt of the proper application,
14	the surviving spouse of a person who was issued special
15	registration plates under this Section may keep the special
16	registration plates and may transfer the registration, if
17	necessary. If the surviving spouse remarries, however, the
18	special plates may not be renewed. The special U.S. Veteran
19	plate issued under this Section shall be affixed only to
20	passenger vehicles of the first division, motorcycles, and
21	motor vehicles of the second division weighing not more than
22	8,000 pounds. Plates issued under this Section shall expire
23	according to the staggered multi-year procedure established by
24	Section 3-414.1 of this Code.

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(b) The design, color, and format of the plates shall be 1 2 wholly within the discretion of the Secretary of State. The 3 Secretary may, in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be 4 issued as vanity plates or personalized in accordance with 5 Section 3-405.1 of this Code. The plates are not required to designate "Land Of Lincoln", as prescribed in subsection (b) of 6 7 Section 3-412 of this Code. The Secretary shall prescribe the eligibility requirements and, in his or her discretion, shall 8 approve and prescribe stickers or decals as provided under 9 10 Section 3-412.

(c) An applicant shall be charged a \$15 fee for original issuance in addition to the applicable registration fee. This additional fee shall be deposited into the Secretary of State Special License Plate Fund.

15 (Source: P.A. 92-545, eff. 6-12-02; 93-140, eff. 1-1-04.)"; and

16 on page 3, below line 15, by inserting the following:

17 "Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon 18 becoming law.".