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HB0669

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-611.5

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the registration fee for fire chief vehicles owned by the fire chief is the same as the standard registration fee, and the registration fee for fire chief vehicles owned by a municipal fire department or fire protection district is the same as the reduced registration fee for units of local government. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

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AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing
Section 3-611.5 as follows:

6 (625 ILCS 5/3-611.5)

7 Sec. 3-611.5. Fire Chief license plates.

8 (a) The Secretary, upon receipt of a request from a 9 municipality or fire protection district that operates a fire department, accompanied by an application and the appropriate 10 fee, may issue, to a fire chief of each municipal fire 11 department or fire protection district, special registration 12 plates designated as Fire Chief license plates. The special 13 14 plates issued under this Section shall be affixed only to passenger vehicles of the first division or motor vehicles of 15 the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds, owned 16 17 by the fire department or the chief officer of the fire department. Plates issued under this Section shall expire 18 19 according to the multi-year procedure established by Section 3-414.1 of this Code. 20

(b) The design and color of the special plates shall be wholly within the discretion of the Secretary. The plates are not required to designate "Land of Lincoln" as prescribed in

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1 subsection (b) of Section 3-412 of this Code. The Secretary may prescribe rules governing the requirements and approval of the 2 3 special plates. The fee for this plate for a vehicle owned by the fire chief shall be the same as the fee prescribed for 4 5 first division vehicles in Section 3-806 of this Code. 6 Permanent license plates for fire chief vehicles owned by a 7 municipal fire department or fire protection district shall be issued at the fee prescribed in Section 3-808.1(b). 8

9 (Source: P.A. 95-556, eff. 6-1-08.)

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