

SB2494



97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Introduced 10/12/2011, by Sen. Larry K. Bomke

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-664

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that the Secretary of State shall issue Gold Star license plates to all siblings of a person who has lost his or her life while serving in the Armed Forces (instead of to only one surviving sibling in the absence of a surviving parent).

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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, or
11 parent of a person who served in the Armed Forces of the United
12 States and lost his or her life while in service whether in
13 peacetime or war. The surviving widow or widower and each
14 surviving parent and sibling ~~, or in the absence of a surviving~~
15 ~~parent, only one surviving sibling~~ shall be issued one set of
16 registration plates. Registration plates issued under this
17 Section shall be for first division vehicles and second
18 division vehicles of 8,000 pounds or less. The Secretary may,
19 in his or her discretion, allow the plates to be issued as
20 vanity or personalized plates in accordance with Section
21 3-405.1 of this Code. An applicant shall be charged only the
22 appropriate registration fee.

23 (Source: P.A. 94-311, eff. 1-1-06; 94-343, eff. 1-1-06; 95-34,

1 eff. 1-1-08; 95-331, eff. 8-21-07; 95-353, eff. 1-1-08; 95-876,
2 eff. 8-21-08.)