

AMENDMENTS TO LB53

(Amendments to E & R amendments, ER159)

Introduced by Kintner, 2.

1 1. Strike the original sections and all amendments thereto and
2 insert the following new sections:

3 Section 1. Section 18-1736, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
4 2014, is amended to read:

5 18-1736 (1) A city or village may designate parking spaces,
6 including access aisles, for the exclusive use of (a) handicapped or
7 disabled persons whose motor vehicles display the distinguishing license
8 plate ~~plates~~ issued to a handicapped or disabled person ~~persons~~ pursuant
9 to section 60-3,113, (b) handicapped or disabled persons whose motor
10 vehicles display a distinguishing license plate issued to a handicapped
11 or disabled person by another state, (c) such other handicapped or
12 disabled persons or temporarily handicapped or disabled persons whose
13 motor vehicles display a handicapped or disabled parking permit, and (d)
14 such other motor vehicles which display a handicapped or disabled parking
15 permit.

16 (2) If a city or village so designates a parking space or access
17 aisle, it shall be indicated by posting aboveground and immediately
18 adjacent to and visible from each space or access aisle a sign as
19 described in section 18-1737. In addition to such sign, the space or
20 access aisle may also be indicated by blue paint on the curb or edge of
21 the paved portion of the street adjacent to the space or access aisle.

22 (3) For purposes of sections 18-1736 to 18-1741.07:

23 (a) Access aisle has the same meaning as in section 60-302.01;

24 (b) Handicapped or disabled parking permit has the same meaning as
25 in section 60-331.01;

26 (c) Handicapped or disabled person has the same meaning as in

1 section 60-331.02; and

2 (d) Temporarily handicapped or disabled person has the same meaning
3 as in section 60-352.01.

4 Sec. 2. Section 18-1737, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
5 amended to read:

6 18-1737 (1) Any city or village, any state agency, and any person in
7 lawful possession of any offstreet parking facility may designate stalls
8 or spaces, including access aisles, in such facility owned or operated by
9 the city, village, state agency, or person for the exclusive use of
10 handicapped or disabled persons whose motor vehicles display the
11 distinguishing license plate ~~plates~~ issued to such individuals pursuant
12 to section 60-3,113, such other handicapped or disabled persons or
13 temporarily handicapped or disabled persons whose motor vehicles display
14 a handicapped or disabled parking permit, and such other motor vehicles
15 which display a handicapped or disabled parking permit. Such designation
16 shall be made by posting aboveground and immediately adjacent to and
17 visible from each stall or space, including access aisles, a sign which
18 is in conformance with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices
19 adopted pursuant to section 60-6,118 and the federal Americans with
20 Disabilities Act of 1990 and the federal regulations adopted in response
21 to the act, as the act and the regulations existed on January 1, 2011.

22 (2) The owner or person in lawful possession of an offstreet parking
23 facility, after notifying the police or sheriff's department, as the case
24 may be, and any city, village, or state agency providing onstreet parking
25 or owning, operating, or providing an offstreet parking facility may
26 cause the removal, from a stall or space, including access aisles,
27 designated exclusively for handicapped or disabled persons or temporarily
28 handicapped or disabled persons or motor vehicles for the transportation
29 of handicapped or disabled persons or temporarily handicapped or disabled
30 persons, of any vehicle not displaying the proper handicapped or disabled
31 parking permit or the distinguishing license plate ~~plates~~ specified in

1 this section if there is posted aboveground and immediately adjacent to
2 and visible from such stall or space, including access aisles, a sign
3 which clearly and conspicuously states the area so designated as a tow-in
4 zone.

5 (3) A person who parks a vehicle in any onstreet parking space or
6 access aisle which has been designated exclusively for handicapped or
7 disabled persons or temporarily handicapped or disabled persons or motor
8 vehicles for the transportation of handicapped or disabled persons or
9 temporarily handicapped or disabled persons, or in any so exclusively
10 designated parking space or access aisle in any offstreet parking
11 facility, without properly displaying the proper license plate ~~plates~~ or
12 handicapped or disabled parking permit or when the handicapped or
13 disabled person to whom or for whom, as the case may be, the license
14 plate or permit is issued will not enter or exit the vehicle while it is
15 parked in the designated space or access aisle shall be guilty of a
16 handicapped parking infraction as defined in section 18-1741.01 and shall
17 be subject to the penalties and procedures set forth in sections
18 18-1741.01 to 18-1741.07. The display on a motor vehicle of a
19 distinguishing license plate or permit issued to a handicapped or
20 disabled person by and under the duly constituted authority of another
21 state shall constitute a full and complete defense in any action for a
22 handicapped parking infraction as defined in section 18-1741.01. If the
23 identity of the person who parked the vehicle in violation of this
24 section cannot be readily determined, the owner or person in whose name
25 the vehicle is registered shall be held prima facie responsible for such
26 violation and shall be guilty and subject to the penalties and procedures
27 described in this section. In the case of a privately owned offstreet
28 parking facility, a city or village shall not require the owner or person
29 in lawful possession of such facility to inform the city or village of a
30 violation of this section prior to the city or village issuing the
31 violator a handicapped parking infraction citation.

1 (4) For purposes of this section and section 18-1741.01, state
2 agency means any division, department, board, bureau, commission, or
3 agency of the State of Nebraska created by the Constitution of Nebraska
4 or established by act of the Legislature, including the University of
5 Nebraska and the Nebraska state colleges, when the entity owns, leases,
6 controls, or manages property which includes offstreet parking
7 facilities.

8 Sec. 3. Section 60-163, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
9 2014, is amended to read:

10 60-163 (1) The department shall check with its records all duplicate
11 certificates of title received from a county treasurer. If it appears
12 that a certificate of title has been improperly issued, the department
13 shall cancel the same. Upon cancellation of any certificate of title, the
14 department shall notify the county treasurer who issued the same, and
15 such county treasurer shall thereupon enter the cancellation upon his or
16 her records. The department shall also notify the person to whom such
17 certificate of title was issued, as well as any lienholders appearing
18 thereon, of the cancellation and shall demand the surrender of such
19 certificate of title, but the cancellation shall not affect the validity
20 of any lien noted thereon. The holder of such certificate of title shall
21 return the same to the department forthwith.

22 (2) If a certificate of registration has been issued to the holder
23 of a certificate of title so canceled, the department shall immediately
24 cancel the same and demand the return of such certificate of registration
25 and license plate or tag ~~plates or tags~~, and the holder of such
26 certificate of registration and license plate or tag ~~plates or tags~~ shall
27 return the same to the department forthwith.

28 Sec. 4. Section 60-180, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
29 2014, is amended to read:

30 60-180 (1) A person who operates in this state a vehicle for which a
31 certificate of title is required without having such certificate in

1 accordance with the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act or upon which
2 the certificate of title has been canceled is guilty of a Class III
3 misdemeanor.

4 (2) A person who is a dealer or acting on behalf of a dealer and who
5 acquires, purchases, holds, or displays for sale a new vehicle without
6 having obtained a manufacturer's or importer's certificate or a
7 certificate of title therefor as provided for in the Motor Vehicle
8 Certificate of Title Act is guilty of a Class III misdemeanor.

9 (3) A person who fails to surrender any certificate of title or any
10 certificate of registration or license plate or tag ~~plates or tags~~ upon
11 cancellation of the same by the department and notice thereof as
12 prescribed in the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act is guilty of a
13 Class III misdemeanor.

14 (4) A person who fails to surrender the certificate of title to the
15 county treasurer or department as provided in section 60-169 in case of
16 the destruction or dismantling or change of a vehicle in such respect
17 that it is not the vehicle described in the certificate of title is
18 guilty of a Class III misdemeanor.

19 (5) A person who purports to sell or transfer a vehicle without
20 delivering to the purchaser or transferee thereof a certificate of title
21 or a manufacturer's or importer's certificate thereto duly assigned to
22 such purchaser as provided in the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act
23 is guilty of a Class III misdemeanor.

24 (6) A person who knowingly alters or defaces a certificate of title
25 or manufacturer's or importer's certificate is guilty of a Class III
26 misdemeanor.

27 (7) Except as otherwise provided in section 60-179, a person who
28 violates any of the other provisions of the Motor Vehicle Certificate of
29 Title Act or any rules or regulations adopted and promulgated pursuant to
30 the act is guilty of a Class III misdemeanor.

31 Sec. 5. Section 60-308, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is

1 amended to read:

2 60-308 (1) Apportionable vehicle means any motor vehicle or trailer
3 used or intended for use in two or more member jurisdictions that
4 allocate or proportionally register motor vehicles or trailers and used
5 for the transportation of persons for hire or designed, used, or
6 maintained primarily for the transportation of property.

7 (2) Apportionable vehicle does not include any recreational vehicle,
8 motor vehicle displaying a restricted plate ~~plates~~, city pickup and
9 delivery vehicle, bus used in the transportation of chartered parties, or
10 government-owned motor vehicle.

11 (3) An apportionable vehicle that is a power unit shall (a) have two
12 axles and a gross vehicle weight or registered gross vehicle weight in
13 excess of twenty-six thousand pounds or eleven thousand seven hundred
14 ninety-three and four hundred one thousandths kilograms, (b) have three
15 or more axles, regardless of weight, or (c) be used in combination when
16 the weight of such combination exceeds twenty-six thousand pounds or
17 eleven thousand seven hundred ninety-three and four hundred one
18 thousandths kilograms gross vehicle weight. Vehicles or combinations of
19 vehicles having a gross vehicle weight of twenty-six thousand pounds or
20 eleven thousand seven hundred ninety-three and four hundred one
21 thousandths kilograms or less and two-axle vehicles and buses used in the
22 transportation of chartered parties may be proportionally registered at
23 the option of the registrant.

24 Sec. 6. Section 60-366, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
25 amended to read:

26 60-366 (1) Any nonresident owner who desires to register a motor
27 vehicle or trailer in this state shall register in the county where the
28 motor vehicle or trailer is domiciled or where the owner conducts a bona
29 fide business.

30 (2) A nonresident owner, except as provided in subsections (3) and
31 (4) of this section, owning any motor vehicle or trailer which has been

1 properly registered in the state, country, or other place of which the
2 owner is a resident, and which at all times, when operated or towed in
3 this state, has displayed upon it the license plate ~~or plates~~ issued for
4 such motor vehicle or trailer in the place of residence of such owner,
5 may operate or permit the operation or tow or permit the towing of such
6 motor vehicle or trailer within the state without registering such motor
7 vehicle or trailer or paying any fees to this state.

8 (3)(a) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (c) of this
9 subsection, any nonresident owner gainfully employed or present in this
10 state, operating a motor vehicle or towing a trailer in this state, shall
11 register such motor vehicle or trailer in the same manner as a Nebraska
12 resident, after thirty days of continuous employment or presence in this
13 state, unless the state of his or her legal residence grants immunity
14 from such requirements to residents of this state operating a motor
15 vehicle or towing a trailer in that state.

16 (b) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (c) of this
17 subsection, any nonresident owner who operates a motor vehicle or tows a
18 trailer in this state for thirty or more continuous days shall register
19 such motor vehicle or trailer in the same manner as a Nebraska resident
20 unless the state of his or her legal residence grants immunity from such
21 requirements to residents of this state operating a motor vehicle or
22 towing a trailer in that state.

23 (c) Any nonresident owner of a film vehicle may operate the film
24 vehicle for up to one year without registering the vehicle in this state.

25 (4)(a) The Department of Motor Vehicles or the Department of Revenue
26 may determine (i) that a limited liability company, partnership,
27 corporation, or other business entity that is organized under the laws of
28 another state or country and that owns or holds title to a recreational
29 vehicle is a shell company used to avoid proper registration of the
30 recreational vehicle in this state and (ii) that the recreational vehicle
31 is controlled by a Nebraska resident.

1 (b) Factors that the Department of Motor Vehicles or the Department
2 of Revenue may consider to determine that the limited liability company,
3 partnership, corporation, or other business entity is a shell company
4 used to avoid proper registration of the recreational vehicle in this
5 state include, but are not limited to:

6 (i) The limited liability company, partnership, corporation, or
7 other business entity lacks a business activity or purpose;

8 (ii) The limited liability company, partnership, corporation, or
9 other business entity does not maintain a physical location in this
10 state;

11 (iii) The limited liability company, partnership, corporation, or
12 other business entity does not employ individual persons and provide
13 those persons with Internal Revenue Service Form W-2 wage and tax
14 statements; or

15 (iv) The limited liability company, partnership, corporation, or
16 other business entity fails to file federal tax returns or fails to file
17 a state tax return in this state.

18 (c) Factors that the Department of Motor Vehicles or the Department
19 of Revenue may consider to determine that the recreational vehicle is
20 controlled by a Nebraska resident include, but are not limited to:

21 (i) A Nebraska resident was the initial purchaser of the
22 recreational vehicle;

23 (ii) A Nebraska resident operated or stored the recreational vehicle
24 in this state for any period of time;

25 (iii) A Nebraska resident is a member, partner, or shareholder or is
26 otherwise affiliated with the limited liability company, partnership,
27 corporation, or other business entity purported to own the recreational
28 vehicle; or

29 (iv) A Nebraska resident is insured to operate the recreational
30 vehicle.

31 (d) If the Department of Motor Vehicles or the Department of Revenue

1 makes the determinations described in subdivision (4)(a) of this section,
2 there is a rebuttable presumption that:

3 (i) The Nebraska resident in control of the recreational vehicle is
4 the actual owner of the recreational vehicle;

5 (ii) Such Nebraska resident is required to register the recreational
6 vehicle in this state and is liable for all motor vehicle taxes, motor
7 vehicle fees, and registration fees as provided in the Motor Vehicle
8 Registration Act; and

9 (iii) The purchase of the recreational vehicle is subject to sales
10 or use tax under section 77-2703.

11 (e) The Department of Motor Vehicles or the Department of Revenue
12 shall notify the Nebraska resident who is presumed to be the owner of the
13 recreational vehicle that he or she is required to register the
14 recreational vehicle in this state, pay any applicable taxes and fees for
15 proper registration of the recreational vehicle under the Motor Vehicle
16 Registration Act, and pay any applicable sales or use tax due on the
17 purchase under the Nebraska Revenue Act of 1967 no later than thirty days
18 after the date of the notice.

19 (f)(i) For a determination made by the Department of Motor Vehicles
20 under this subsection, the Nebraska resident who is presumed to be the
21 owner of the recreational vehicle may accept the determination and pay
22 the county treasurer as shown in the notice, or he or she may dispute the
23 determination and appeal the matter. Such appeal shall be filed with the
24 Director of Motor Vehicles within thirty days after the date of the
25 notice or the determination will be final. The director shall appoint a
26 hearing officer who shall hear the appeal and issue a written decision.
27 Such appeal shall be in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act.
28 Following a final determination in the appeal in favor of the Department
29 of Motor Vehicles or if no further appeal is filed, the Nebraska resident
30 shall owe the taxes and fees determined to be due, together with any
31 costs for the appeal assessed against the owner.

1 (ii) For a determination made by the Department of Revenue under
2 this subsection, the Nebraska resident who is presumed to be the owner of
3 the recreational vehicle may appeal the determination made by the
4 Department of Revenue, and such appeal shall be in accordance with
5 section 77-2709.

6 (g) If the Nebraska resident who is presumed to be the owner of the
7 recreational vehicle fails to pay the motor vehicle taxes, motor vehicle
8 fees, registration fees, or sales or use tax required to be paid under
9 this subsection, he or she shall be assessed a penalty of fifty percent
10 of such unpaid taxes and fees. Such penalty shall be remitted by the
11 county treasurer or the Department of Revenue to the State Treasurer for
12 credit to the Highway Trust Fund.

13 Sec. 7. Section 60-370, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
14 amended to read:

15 60-370 (1)(a) Each county in the state shall use the county number
16 system except as otherwise provided in this section.

17 (b) Registration of motor vehicles or trailers as farm trucks or
18 farm trailers shall be by the county number system.

19 (2) Counties using the county number system shall show on motor
20 vehicles or trailers licensed therein a county number on the license
21 plate preceding a dash which shall then be followed by the registration
22 number assigned to the motor vehicle or trailer. The county numbers
23 assigned to the counties in Nebraska shall be as follows:

24	No.	Name of County	No.	Name of County
25	1	Douglas	2	Lancaster
26	3	Gage	4	Custer
27	5	Dodge	6	Saunders
28	7	Madison	8	Hall
29	9	Buffalo	10	Platte
30	11	Otoe	12	Knox

1	13	Cedar	14	Adams
2	15	Lincoln	16	Seward
3	17	York	18	Dawson
4	19	Richardson	20	Cass
5	21	Scotts Bluff	22	Saline
6	23	Boone	24	Cuming
7	25	Butler	26	Antelope
8	27	Wayne	28	Hamilton
9	29	Washington	30	Clay
10	31	Burt	32	Thayer
11	33	Jefferson	34	Fillmore
12	35	Dixon	36	Holt
13	37	Phelps	38	Furnas
14	39	Cheyenne	40	Pierce
15	41	Polk	42	Nuckolls
16	43	Colfax	44	Nemaha
17	45	Webster	46	Merrick
18	47	Valley	48	Red Willow
19	49	Howard	50	Franklin
20	51	Harlan	52	Kearney
21	53	Stanton	54	Pawnee
22	55	Thurston	56	Sherman
23	57	Johnson	58	Nance
24	59	Sarpy	60	Frontier
25	61	Sheridan	62	Greeley
26	63	Boyd	64	Morrill
27	65	Box Butte	66	Cherry
28	67	Hitchcock	68	Keith
29	69	Dawes	70	Dakota

1	71	Kimball	72	Chase
2	73	Gosper	74	Perkins
3	75	Brown	76	Dundy
4	77	Garden	78	Deuel
5	79	Hayes	80	Sioux
6	81	Rock	82	Keya Paha
7	83	Garfield	84	Wheeler
8	85	Banner	86	Blaine
9	87	Logan	88	Loup
10	89	Thomas	90	McPherson
11	91	Arthur	92	Grant
12	93	Hooker		

13 (3)(a) Except as provided in subdivision (1)(b) of this section,
14 registration of motor vehicles or trailers in counties having a
15 population of one hundred thousand inhabitants or more according to the
16 most recent federal decennial census shall be by an alphanumeric system
17 rather than by the county number system.

18 (b) Except as provided in subdivision (1)(b) of this section,
19 registration of motor vehicles or trailers in all other counties shall
20 be, at the option of each county board, by either the alphanumeric system
21 or the county number system.

22 (c) Counties using the alphanumeric system shall show on the license
23 plates of motor vehicles or trailers licensed therein a combination of
24 three letters followed by a combination of three numerals. The department
25 may adopt and promulgate rules and regulations creating alphanumeric
26 distinctions on the license plate plates based upon the registration of
27 the motor vehicle or trailer.

28 Sec. 8. Section 60-373, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
29 amended to read:

30 60-373 (1) Each licensed motor vehicle dealer or trailer dealer as

1 defined in sections 60-1401.26 and 60-1401.37, respectively, doing
2 business in this state, in lieu of registering each motor vehicle or
3 trailer which such dealer owns of a type otherwise required to be
4 registered, or any full-time or part-time employee or agent of such
5 dealer may, if the motor vehicle or trailer displays a dealer number
6 plate plates:

7 (a) Operate or tow the motor vehicle or trailer upon the highways of
8 this state solely for purposes of transporting, testing, demonstrating,
9 or use in the ordinary course and conduct of business as a motor vehicle
10 or trailer dealer. Such use may include personal or private use by the
11 dealer and personal or private use by any bona fide employee licensed
12 pursuant to the Motor Vehicle Industry Regulation Act, if the employee
13 can be verified by payroll records maintained at the dealership as
14 ordinarily working more than thirty hours per week or fifteen hundred
15 hours per year at the dealership;

16 (b) Operate or tow the motor vehicle or trailer upon the highways of
17 this state for transporting industrial equipment held by the licensee for
18 purposes of demonstration, sale, rental, or delivery; or

19 (c) Sell the motor vehicle or trailer.

20 (2) Each licensed manufacturer as defined in section 60-1401.24
21 which actually manufactures or assembles motor vehicles or trailers
22 within this state, in lieu of registering each motor vehicle or trailer
23 which such manufacturer owns of a type otherwise required to be
24 registered, or any employee of such manufacturer may operate or tow the
25 motor vehicle or trailer upon the highways of this state solely for
26 purposes of transporting, testing, demonstrating to prospective
27 customers, or use in the ordinary course and conduct of business as a
28 motor vehicle or trailer manufacturer, upon the condition that any such
29 motor vehicle or trailer display thereon, in the manner prescribed in
30 section 60-3,100, a dealer number plate plates as provided for in section
31 60-3,114.

1 (3) In no event shall such a plate ~~plates~~ be used on motor vehicles
2 or trailers hauling other than automotive or trailer equipment, complete
3 motor vehicles, or trailers which are inventory of such licensed dealer
4 or manufacturer unless there is issued by the department a special permit
5 specifying the hauling of other products. This section shall not be
6 construed to allow a dealer to operate a motor vehicle or trailer with a
7 dealer number plate ~~plates~~ for the delivery of parts inventory. A dealer
8 may use such motor vehicle or trailer to pick up parts to be used for the
9 motor vehicle or trailer inventory of the dealer.

10 Sec. 9. Section 60-374, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
11 amended to read:

12 60-374 Motor vehicles or trailers owned by a dealer and bearing a
13 dealer number plate ~~plates~~ may be operated or towed upon the highways for
14 demonstration purposes by any prospective buyer thereof for a period of
15 forty-eight hours. Motor vehicles or trailers owned and held for sale by
16 a dealer and bearing a ~~such~~ dealer number plate ~~plates~~ may be operated or
17 towed upon the highways for a period of forty-eight hours as service
18 loaner vehicles by customers having their vehicles repaired by the
19 dealer. Upon delivery of such motor vehicle or trailer to such
20 prospective buyer for demonstration purposes or to a service customer,
21 the dealer shall deliver to the prospective buyer or service customer a
22 card or certificate giving the name and address of the dealer, the name
23 and address of the prospective buyer or service customer, and the date
24 and hour of such delivery and the products to be hauled, if any, under a
25 special permit. The special permit and card or certificate shall be in
26 such form as shall be prescribed by the department and shall be carried
27 by such prospective buyer or service customer while operating such motor
28 vehicle or towing such trailer. The department shall charge ten dollars
29 for each special permit issued under this section.

30 Sec. 10. Section 60-376, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
31 amended to read:

1 60-376 Subject to all the provisions of law relating to motor
2 vehicles and trailers not inconsistent with this section, any motor
3 vehicle dealer or trailer dealer who is regularly engaged within this
4 state in the business of buying and selling motor vehicles and trailers,
5 who regularly maintains within this state an established place of
6 business, and who desires to effect delivery of any motor vehicle or
7 trailer bought or sold by him or her from the point where purchased or
8 sold to points within or outside this state may, solely for the purpose
9 of such delivery by himself or herself, his or her agent, or a bona fide
10 purchaser, operate such motor vehicle or tow such trailer on the highways
11 of this state without charge or registration of such motor vehicle or
12 trailer. A sticker shall be displayed on the rear window ~~front and rear~~
13 ~~windows~~ or the rear side window ~~windows~~ of such motor vehicle, except an
14 autocycle or a motorcycle, and displayed on the ~~front and rear~~ of each
15 such trailer. On the sticker shall be plainly printed in black letters
16 the words In Transit. One In Transit sticker shall be displayed on an
17 autocycle or a motorcycle, which sticker may be one-half the size
18 required for other motor vehicles. Such sticker ~~stickers~~ shall include a
19 registration number, which registration number shall be different for
20 each sticker ~~or pair of stickers~~ issued, and the contents of such sticker
21 and the numbering system shall be as prescribed by the department. Each
22 dealer issuing such a sticker ~~stickers~~ shall keep a record of the
23 registration number of each sticker ~~or pair of stickers~~ on the invoice of
24 such sale. Such sticker shall allow such owner to operate the motor
25 vehicle or tow such trailer for a period of thirty days in order to
26 effect proper registration of the new or used motor vehicle or trailer.
27 When any person, firm, or corporation has had a motor vehicle or trailer
28 previously registered and a license plate ~~plates~~ assigned to such person,
29 firm, or corporation, such owner may operate the motor vehicle or tow
30 such trailer for a period of thirty days in order to effect transfer of
31 the plate ~~plates~~ to the new or used motor vehicle or trailer. Upon demand

1 of proper authorities, there shall be presented by the person in charge
2 of such motor vehicle or trailer, for examination, a duly executed bill
3 of sale therefor or other satisfactory evidence of the right of
4 possession by such person of such motor vehicle or trailer.

5 Sec. 11. Section 60-378, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
6 amended to read:

7 60-378 (1) Any transporter doing business in this state may, in lieu
8 of registering each motor vehicle or trailer which such transporter is
9 transporting, upon payment of a fee of ten dollars, apply to the
10 department for a transporter's certificate and one transporter license
11 plate. Additional pairs of transporter certificates and transporter
12 license plates may be procured for a fee of ten dollars each. A
13 transporter license plate ~~Transporter license plates~~ shall be displayed
14 (a) upon the motor vehicle or trailer being transported or (b) upon a
15 properly registered truck or truck-tractor which is a work or service
16 vehicle in the process of towing a trailer which is itself being
17 delivered by the transporter, and such registered truck or truck-tractor
18 shall also display a transporter plate upon the front thereof. The
19 applicant for a transporter plate shall keep for six years a record of
20 each motor vehicle or trailer transported by him or her under this
21 section, and such record shall be available to the department for
22 inspection. Each applicant shall file with the department proof of his or
23 her status as a bona fide transporter.

24 (2) A transporter license plate ~~Transporter license plates~~ may be
25 the same size as the license plate ~~plates~~ issued for motorcycles, shall
26 bear thereon a mark to distinguish it as a ~~them as~~ transporter plate
27 ~~plates~~, and shall be serially numbered so as to distinguish the plate
28 ~~them~~ from each other plate. A transporter license plate ~~Such license~~
29 ~~plates~~ may only be displayed upon the front of a driven motor vehicle of
30 a lawful combination or upon the front of a motor vehicle driven singly
31 or upon the rear of a trailer being towed.

1 Sec. 12. Section 60-380, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
2 amended to read:

3 60-380 Any motor vehicle or trailer owned by a dealer licensed under
4 the Motor Vehicle Industry Regulation Act and bearing other than a dealer
5 license plate ~~plates~~ shall be conclusively presumed not to be a part of
6 the dealer's inventory and not for demonstration or sale and therefor not
7 eligible for any exemption from taxes or fees applicable to motor
8 vehicles or trailers with a dealer license plate ~~plates~~.

9 Sec. 13. Section 60-392, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
10 amended to read:

11 60-392 (1) Registration may be renewed annually in a manner
12 designated by the department and upon payment of the same fee as provided
13 for the original registration. On making an application for renewal, the
14 registration certificate for the preceding registration period or renewal
15 notice or other evidence designated by the department shall be presented
16 with the application. A person may renew his or her annual registration
17 up to thirty days prior to the date of expiration.

18 (2) The certificate of registration and license plate ~~plates~~ issued
19 by the department shall be valid during the registration period for which
20 they are issued, and when a validation decal ~~decal~~ issued pursuant to
21 section 60-3,101 has ~~have~~ been affixed to the license plate ~~plates~~, the
22 plate ~~plates~~ shall also be valid for the registration period designated
23 by such validation decal ~~decal~~. If a person renews his or her annual
24 registration up to thirty days prior to the date of expiration, the
25 registration shall be valid for such time period as well.

26 (3) The registration period for motor vehicles and trailers required
27 to be registered as provided in section 60-362 shall expire on the first
28 day of the month one year from the month of issuance, and renewal shall
29 become due on such day and shall become delinquent on the first day of
30 the following month.

31 (4) Subsections (1) through (3) of this section do not apply to

1 dealer's license plates, repossession plates, and transporter plates as
2 provided in sections 60-373, 60-375, 60-378, and 60-379, which plates
3 shall be issued for a calendar year.

4 (5) The registration period for apportioned vehicles as provided in
5 section 60-3,198 shall expire December 31 of each year and shall become
6 delinquent February 1 of the following year.

7 Sec. 14. Section 60-395, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
8 amended to read:

9 60-395 (1) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (2) of this
10 section and sections 60-3,121, 60-3,122.02, 60-3,122.04, 60-3,128, and
11 60-3,224, the registration shall expire and the registered owner or
12 lessee may, by returning the registration certificate, the license plate
13 plates, and, when appropriate, the validation decal ~~decals~~ and by either
14 making application on a form prescribed by the department to the county
15 treasurer of the occurrence of an event described in subdivisions (a)
16 through (e) of this subsection or, in the case of a change in situs,
17 displaying to the county treasurer the registration certificate of such
18 other state as evidence of a change in situs, receive a refund of that
19 part of the unused fees and taxes on motor vehicles or trailers based on
20 the number of unexpired months remaining in the registration period from
21 the date of any of the following events:

- 22 (a) Upon transfer of ownership of any motor vehicle or trailer;
23 (b) In case of loss of possession because of fire, theft,
24 dismantlement, or junking;
25 (c) When a salvage branded certificate of title is issued;
26 (d) Whenever a type or class of motor vehicle or trailer previously
27 registered is subsequently declared by legislative act or court decision
28 to be illegal or ineligible to be operated or towed on the public roads
29 and no longer subject to registration fees, the motor vehicle tax imposed
30 in section 60-3,185, the motor vehicle fee imposed in section 60-3,190,
31 and the alternative fuel fee imposed in section 60-3,191;

1 (e) Upon a trade-in or surrender of a motor vehicle under a lease;
2 or

3 (f) In case of a change in the situs of a motor vehicle or trailer
4 to a location outside of this state.

5 (2) If the date of the event falls within the same calendar month in
6 which the motor vehicle or trailer is acquired, no refund shall be
7 allowed for such month.

8 (3) If the transferor or lessee acquires another motor vehicle at
9 the time of the transfer, trade-in, or surrender, the transferor or
10 lessee shall have the credit provided for in this section applied toward
11 payment of the motor vehicle fees and taxes then owing. Otherwise, the
12 transferor or lessee shall file a claim for refund with the county
13 treasurer upon an application form prescribed by the department.

14 (4) The registered owner or lessee shall make a claim for refund or
15 credit of the fees and taxes for the unexpired months in the registration
16 period within sixty days after the date of the event or shall be deemed
17 to have forfeited his or her right to such refund or credit.

18 (5) For purposes of this section, the date of the event shall be:
19 (a) In the case of a transfer or loss, the date of the transfer or loss;
20 (b) in the case of a change in the situs, the date of registration in
21 another state; (c) in the case of a trade-in or surrender under a lease,
22 the date of trade-in or surrender; (d) in the case of a legislative act,
23 the effective date of the act; and (e) in the case of a court decision,
24 the date the decision is rendered.

25 (6) Application for registration or for reassignment of a license
26 plate ~~plates~~ and, when appropriate, a validation decal ~~decal~~s to another
27 motor vehicle or trailer shall be made within thirty days of the date of
28 purchase.

29 (7) If a motor vehicle or trailer was reported stolen under section
30 60-178, a refund under this section shall not be reduced for a lost plate
31 charge and a credit under this section may be reduced for a lost plate

1 charge but the applicant shall not be required to pay the plate fee for a
2 new plate ~~plates~~.

3 (8) The county treasurer shall refund the motor vehicle fee and
4 registration fee from the fees which have not been transferred to the
5 State Treasurer. The county treasurer shall make payment to the claimant
6 from the undistributed motor vehicle taxes of the taxing unit where the
7 tax money was originally distributed. No refund of less than two dollars
8 shall be paid.

9 Sec. 15. Section 60-396, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
10 amended to read:

11 60-396 Whenever the registered owner files an application with the
12 county treasurer showing that a motor vehicle or trailer is disabled and
13 has been removed from service, the registered owner may, by returning the
14 registration certificate, the license plate ~~plates~~, and, when
15 appropriate, the validation decal ~~decals~~ or, in the case of the
16 unavailability of such registration certificate ~~or certificates~~, license
17 plate ~~plates~~, or validation decal ~~decals~~, then by making an affidavit to
18 the county treasurer of such disablement and removal from service,
19 receive a credit for a portion of the registration fee from the fee
20 deposited with the State Treasurer at the time of registration based upon
21 the number of unexpired months remaining in the registration year except
22 as otherwise provided in sections 60-3,121, 60-3,122.02, 60-3,122.04,
23 60-3,128, and 60-3,224. The owner shall also receive a credit for the
24 unused portion of the motor vehicle tax and fee based upon the number of
25 unexpired months remaining in the registration year. When the owner
26 registers a replacement motor vehicle or trailer at the time of filing
27 such affidavit, the credit may be immediately applied against the
28 registration fee and the motor vehicle tax and fee for the replacement
29 motor vehicle or trailer. When no such replacement motor vehicle or
30 trailer is so registered, the county treasurer shall forward the
31 application and affidavit, if any, to the State Treasurer who shall

1 determine the amount, if any, of the allowable credit for the
2 registration fee and issue a credit certificate to the owner. For the
3 motor vehicle tax and fee, the county treasurer shall determine the
4 amount, if any, of the allowable credit and issue a credit certificate to
5 the owner. When such motor vehicle or trailer is removed from service
6 within the same month in which it was registered, no credits shall be
7 allowed for such month. The credits may be applied against taxes and fees
8 for new or replacement motor vehicles or trailers incurred within one
9 year after cancellation of registration of the motor vehicle or trailer
10 for which the credits were allowed. When any such motor vehicle or
11 trailer is reregistered within the same registration year in which its
12 registration has been canceled, the taxes and fees shall be that portion
13 of the registration fee and the motor vehicle tax and fee for the
14 remainder of the registration year.

15 Sec. 16. Section 60-397, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
16 2014, is amended to read:

17 60-397 If a motor vehicle or trailer has a salvage branded
18 certificate of title issued as a result of an insurance company acquiring
19 the motor vehicle or trailer through a total loss settlement, the prior
20 owner of the motor vehicle or trailer who is a party to the settlement
21 may receive a refund or credit of unused fees and taxes by (1) filing an
22 application with the county treasurer within sixty days after the date of
23 the settlement stating that title to the motor vehicle or trailer was
24 transferred as a result of the settlement and (2) returning the
25 registration certificate, the license plate ~~plates~~, and, when
26 appropriate, the validation decal ~~decals~~ or, in the case of the
27 unavailability of the registration certificate, license plate ~~plates~~, or
28 validation decal ~~decals~~, filing an affidavit with the county treasurer
29 regarding the transfer of title due to the settlement and the
30 unavailability of the certificate, license plate ~~plates~~, or validation
31 decal ~~decals~~. The owner may receive a refund or credit of the

1 registration fees and motor vehicle taxes and fees for the unexpired
2 months remaining in the registration year determined based on the date
3 when the motor vehicle or trailer was damaged and became unavailable for
4 service. When the owner registers a replacement motor vehicle or trailer
5 at the time of filing such affidavit, the credit may be immediately
6 applied against the registration fee and the motor vehicle tax and fee
7 for the replacement motor vehicle or trailer. When no such replacement
8 motor vehicle or trailer is so registered, the county treasurer shall
9 refund the unused registration fees. If the motor vehicle or trailer was
10 damaged and became unavailable for service during the same month in which
11 it was registered, no refund or credit shall be allowed for such month.
12 When any such motor vehicle or trailer is reregistered within the same
13 registration year in which its registration has been canceled, the taxes
14 and fees shall be that portion of the registration fee and the motor
15 vehicle tax and fee for the remainder of the registration year.

16 Sec. 17. Section 60-398, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
17 2014, is amended to read:

18 60-398 A nonresident may, if he or she applies within ninety days
19 from his or her original registration date and surrenders the
20 registration certificate and license plate ~~plates~~ ~~which~~ ~~were~~ assigned to
21 him or her, receive from the county treasurer, or the department if
22 registration was pursuant to section 60-3,198, a refund in the amount of
23 fifty percent of the original license fee, fifty percent of the motor
24 vehicle tax imposed in section 60-3,185, and fifty percent of the motor
25 vehicle fee imposed in section 60-3,190, except that no refunds shall be
26 made on any license surrendered after the ninth month of the registration
27 period for which the motor vehicle or trailer was registered.

28 Sec. 18. Section 60-399, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
29 amended to read:

30 60-399 (1) Except as otherwise specifically provided, no person
31 shall operate or park or cause to be operated or parked a motor vehicle

1 or tow or park or cause to be towed or parked a trailer on the highways
2 unless such motor vehicle or trailer has displayed the proper license
3 plate number of plates as required in the Motor Vehicle Registration Act.

4 In each registration period in which a new license plate is plates
5 are not issued, a previously issued license plate plates shall have
6 affixed thereto the validation decals ~~decals~~ issued pursuant to section
7 60-3,101. In all cases such license plate plates shall be securely
8 fastened in an upright position to the motor vehicle or trailer so as to
9 prevent such plate plates from swinging and at a minimum distance of
10 twelve inches from the ground to the bottom of the license plate. No
11 person shall attach to or display on such motor vehicle or trailer any
12 (a) license plate or registration certificate other than as assigned to
13 it for the current registration period, (b) fictitious or altered license
14 plate plates or registration certificate, (c) license plate plates or
15 registration certificate that has been canceled by the department, or (d)
16 license plate plates lacking a current validation decal ~~decals~~.

17 (2) All letters, numbers, printing, writing, and other
18 identification marks upon a license plate or registration ~~such plates and~~
19 certificate shall be kept clear and distinct and free from grease, dust,
20 or other blurring matter, so that they are ~~shall be~~ plainly visible at
21 all times during daylight and under artificial light in the nighttime.

22 Sec. 19. Section 60-3,100, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
23 amended to read:

24 60-3,100 (1) The department shall issue to every person whose motor
25 vehicle or trailer is registered a fully reflectorized license plate
26 plates upon which shall be displayed (a) the registration number
27 consisting of letters and numerals assigned to such motor vehicle or
28 trailer in figures not less than two and one-half inches nor more than
29 three inches in height and (b) also the word Nebraska suitably lettered
30 so as to be attractive. ~~Two license plates shall be issued for every~~
31 ~~motor vehicle, except that one plate shall be issued for dealers,~~

1 ~~autocycles, motorcycles, minitrucks, truck tractors, trailers, buses,~~
2 ~~apportionable vehicles, and special interest motor vehicles that use the~~
3 ~~special interest motor vehicle license plate authorized by and issued~~
4 ~~under section 60-3,135.01.~~ The license plate plates shall be of a color
5 designated by the director. The color of the plate plates shall be
6 changed each time the license plate is plates are changed. Each time the
7 license plate is plates are changed, the director shall secure
8 competitive bids for materials pursuant to sections 81-145 to 81-162.
9 Autocycle, motorcycle, minitruck, low-speed vehicle, and trailer license
10 plate letters and numerals may be one-half the size of those required in
11 this section.

12 (2) The license plate ~~When two license plates are issued, one shall~~
13 ~~be prominently displayed at all times on the front and one on the rear of~~
14 ~~the registered motor vehicle or trailer. When only one plate is issued,~~
15 ~~it shall be prominently displayed on the rear of the registered motor~~
16 ~~vehicle or trailer, except that . When only one plate is issued for motor~~
17 ~~vehicles registered pursuant to section 60-3,198 and truck tractors, the~~
18 license plate ~~it shall be prominently displayed on the front of the~~
19 ~~apportionable vehicle.~~

20 Sec. 20. Section 60-3,101, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
21 amended to read:

22 60-3,101 Except for permanent license plates issued pursuant to
23 section 60-3,203, license plates shall be issued every six years
24 beginning with the license plates issued in the year 2005. Except for
25 permanent plates issued pursuant to such section, in the years in which
26 plates are not issued, in lieu of issuing such license plates, the
27 department shall furnish to every person whose motor vehicle or trailer
28 is registered one ~~or two~~ validation decals ~~decals, as the case may be,~~
29 ~~which validation decals shall bear the year for which issued and be so~~
30 ~~constructed as to permit it them to be permanently affixed to the~~ plate
31 plates.

1 Sec. 21. Section 60-3,102, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
2 amended to read:

3 60-3,102 Whenever a new license plate ~~plates~~, including a duplicate
4 or replacement license plate, ~~is plates~~, are issued to any person, a fee
5 ~~per plate~~ fee shall be charged in addition to all other required fees.
6 The plate fee shall be determined by the department and shall only cover
7 the cost of the license plate and validation decal ~~decals~~ but shall not
8 exceed three dollars and fifty cents. All fees collected pursuant to this
9 section shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the
10 Highway Trust Fund.

11 Sec. 22. Section 60-3,104.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative
12 Supplement, 2014, is amended to read:

13 60-3,104.01 (1) A person may apply for a specialty license plate
14 ~~plates~~ in lieu of a regular license plate ~~plates~~ on an application
15 prescribed and provided by the department pursuant to section 60-3,104.02
16 for any motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer, except for
17 motor vehicles or trailers registered under section 60-3,198. An
18 applicant receiving a specialty license plate for a farm truck with a
19 gross weight of over sixteen tons or for a commercial motor vehicle
20 registered for a gross weight of five tons or over shall affix the
21 appropriate tonnage decal to the plate. The department shall make forms
22 available for such applications. Each application for initial issuance or
23 renewal of a specialty license plate ~~plates~~ shall be accompanied by a fee
24 of seventy dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection shall be
25 remitted to the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit fifteen
26 percent of the fee for initial issuance and renewal of specialty license
27 plates to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund and eighty-five
28 percent of the fee to the Highway Trust Fund.

29 (2) When the department receives an application for a specialty
30 license plate ~~plates~~, it shall deliver the plate ~~plates~~ to the county
31 treasurer of the county in which the motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer,

1 or cabin trailer is registered. The county treasurer shall issue a
2 specialty license plate ~~plates~~ in lieu of a regular license plate ~~plates~~
3 when the applicant complies with the other provisions of law for
4 registration of the motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin
5 trailer. If a specialty license plate ~~is~~ ~~plates~~ are lost, stolen, or
6 mutilated, the licensee shall be issued a replacement license plate
7 ~~plates~~ pursuant to section 60-3,157.

8 (3)(a) The owner of a motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin
9 trailer bearing a specialty license plate ~~plates~~ may make application to
10 the county treasurer to have such specialty license plate ~~plates~~
11 transferred to a motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer
12 other than the motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer for
13 which such plate ~~was~~ ~~plates~~ were originally purchased if such motor
14 vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer is owned by the owner of
15 the specialty license plate ~~plates~~.

16 (b) The owner may have the unused portion of the specialty license
17 plate fee credited to the other motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or
18 cabin trailer which will bear the specialty license plate ~~plates~~ at the
19 rate of eight and one-third percent per month for each full month left in
20 the registration period.

21 (c) Application for such transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of
22 three dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection shall be
23 remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor
24 Vehicles Cash Fund.

25 Sec. 23. Section 60-3,105, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
26 amended to read:

27 60-3,105 (1) The department may provide a distinctive license plate
28 for all motor vehicles owned or operated by the state, counties,
29 municipalities, or school districts. Motor vehicles owned or operated by
30 the state, counties, municipalities, or school districts shall display a
31 ~~such~~ distinctive license plate ~~plates~~ when the ~~such~~ license plate ~~is~~

1 ~~plates~~ are issued or shall display an undercover license plate ~~plates~~
2 when such a license plate is ~~plates~~ are issued under section 60-3,135.

3 (2) Any motor vehicle owned or leased and used by any city or
4 village of this state, any rural fire protection district, the Civil Air
5 Patrol, any public school district, any county, the state, the United
6 States Government, any entity formed pursuant to the Interlocal
7 Cooperation Act, the Integrated Solid Waste Management Act, or the Joint
8 Public Agency Act, or any municipal public body or authority used in
9 operating a public passenger transportation system, and exempt from a
10 distinct marking as provided in section 81-1021, may carry a license
11 plate of ~~plates~~ the same design and size as are provided in subsection
12 (1) of this section or an undercover license plate ~~plates~~ issued under
13 section 60-3,135.

14 Sec. 24. Section 60-3,106, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
15 amended to read:

16 60-3,106 (1) The department may provide a distinctive license plate
17 for all trailers owned or operated by the state, counties,
18 municipalities, or school districts. Trailers owned or operated by the
19 state, counties, municipalities, or school districts shall display a such
20 distinctive license plate ~~plates~~ when the such license plate is ~~plates~~
21 ~~are~~ issued or shall display an undercover license plate ~~plates~~ when such
22 a license plate is ~~plates~~ are issued under section 60-3,135.

23 (2) Any trailer owned or leased and used by any city or village of
24 this state, any rural fire protection district, the Civil Air Patrol, any
25 public school district, any county, the state, the United States
26 Government, any entity formed pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act,
27 the Integrated Solid Waste Management Act, or the Joint Public Agency
28 Act, or any municipal public body or authority used in operating a public
29 passenger transportation system, and exempt from a distinct marking as
30 provided in section 81-1021, may carry a license plate of ~~plates~~ the same
31 design and size as are provided in subsection (1) of this section or an

1 undercover license ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ issued under section 60-3,135.

2 Sec. 25. Section 60-3,107, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
3 amended to read:

4 60-3,107 The department may provide a distinctive license plate
5 ~~plates~~ issued for use on motor vehicles which are tax exempt pursuant to
6 subdivision (6) of section 60-3,185. A license plate ~~License plates~~ on
7 such motor vehicles shall display, in addition to the license number, the
8 words tax exempt.

9 Sec. 26. Section 60-3,108, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
10 amended to read:

11 60-3,108 The department may provide a distinctive license plate
12 ~~plates~~ issued for use on trailers exempt pursuant to subdivision (6) of
13 section 60-3,185. A license plate ~~License plates~~ on such trailers shall
14 display, in addition to the license number, the word exempt which shall
15 appear at the bottom of the license plate ~~plates~~.

16 Sec. 27. Section 60-3,109, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
17 2014, is amended to read:

18 60-3,109 (1) Any owner of well-boring apparatus and well-servicing
19 equipment may make application to the county treasurer for a license
20 ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~.

21 (2) A well-boring ~~Well-boring~~ apparatus and well-servicing equipment
22 license plate ~~plates~~ shall display thereon, in addition to the license
23 number, the words special equipment.

24 Sec. 28. Section 60-3,113, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
25 amended to read:

26 60-3,113 (1) The department shall, without the payment of any fee
27 except the taxes and fees required by sections 60-3,102, 60-3,185,
28 60-3,190, and 60-3,191, issue a license plate ~~plates~~ for one motor
29 vehicle not used for hire and a license plate for one autocycle or
30 motorcycle not used for hire to:

31 (a) Any permanently handicapped or disabled person or his or her

1 parent, legal guardian, foster parent, or agent upon application and
2 proof of a permanent handicap or disability; or

3 (b) A trust which owns the motor vehicle, autocycle, or motorcycle
4 if a designated beneficiary of the trust qualifies under subdivision (a)
5 of this subsection.

6 An application and proof of disability in the form and with the
7 information required by section 60-3,113.02 shall be submitted before a
8 license ~~plate is~~ plates are issued or reissued.

9 (2) The license plate ~~or plates~~ shall carry the internationally
10 accepted wheelchair symbol, which symbol is a representation of a person
11 seated in a wheelchair surrounded by a border six units wide by seven
12 units high, and such other letters or numbers as the director prescribes.
13 Such license plate ~~or plates~~ shall be used by such person in lieu of the
14 usual license plate ~~or plates~~.

15 (3) The department shall compile and maintain a registry of the
16 names, addresses, and license numbers of all persons who obtain a special
17 license plate ~~plates~~ pursuant to this section and all persons who obtain
18 a handicapped or disabled parking permit.

19 Sec. 29. Section 60-3,119, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
20 2014, is amended to read:

21 60-3,119 (1) Application for a personalized message license plate
22 ~~plates~~ shall be made to the department. The department shall make
23 available through each county treasurer forms to be used for such
24 applications.

25 (2) Each initial application shall be accompanied by a fee of forty
26 dollars. The fees shall be remitted to the State Treasurer. The State
27 Treasurer shall credit twenty-five percent of the fee to the Highway
28 Trust Fund and seventy-five percent of the fee to the Department of Motor
29 Vehicles Cash Fund.

30 (3) An application for renewal of a license plate previously
31 approved and issued shall be accompanied by a fee of forty dollars.

1 County treasurers collecting fees pursuant to this subsection shall remit
2 them to the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit twenty-five
3 percent of the fee to the Highway Trust Fund and seventy-five percent of
4 the fee to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

5 Sec. 30. Section 60-3,120, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
6 2014, is amended to read:

7 60-3,120 When the department approves an application for a
8 personalized message license plate ~~plates~~, it shall notify the applicant
9 and deliver the license plate ~~plates~~ to the county treasurer of the
10 county in which the motor vehicle or cabin trailer is to be registered.
11 The county treasurer shall deliver the plate ~~such plates~~ to the
12 applicant, in lieu of a regular license plate ~~plates~~, when the applicant
13 complies with the other provisions of law for registration of the motor
14 vehicle or cabin trailer.

15 Sec. 31. Section 60-3,121, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
16 2014, is amended to read:

17 60-3,121 (1) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer bearing a
18 personalized message license plate ~~plates~~ may make application to the
19 county treasurer to have such license plate ~~plates~~ transferred to a motor
20 vehicle or cabin trailer other than the motor vehicle or cabin trailer
21 for which such license plate was ~~plates were~~ originally purchased if such
22 motor vehicle or cabin trailer is owned by the owner of the license plate
23 ~~plates~~.

24 (2) The owner may have the unused portion of the message plate fee
25 credited to the other motor vehicle or cabin trailer which will bear the
26 license plate at the rate of eight and one-third percent per month for
27 each full month left in the registration period.

28 (3) Application for such transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of
29 three dollars. The fees shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for
30 credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

31 Sec. 32. Section 60-3,122, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is

1 amended to read:

2 60-3,122 (1) Any person may, in addition to the application required
3 by section 60-385, apply to the department for a license plate ~~plates~~
4 designed by the department to indicate that he or she is a survivor of
5 the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor if he or she:

6 (a) Was a member of the United States Armed Forces on December 7,
7 1941;

8 (b) Was on station on December 7, 1941, during the hours of 7:55
9 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. Hawaii time at Pearl Harbor, the island of Oahu, or
10 offshore at a distance not to exceed three miles;

11 (c) Was discharged or otherwise separated with a characterization of
12 honorable from the United States Armed Forces; and

13 (d) Holds a current membership in a Nebraska Chapter of the Pearl
14 Harbor Survivors Association.

15 (2) The license plate ~~plates~~ shall be issued upon the applicant
16 paying the regular license fee and furnishing proof satisfactory to the
17 department that the applicant fulfills the requirements provided by
18 subsection (1) of this section. Any number of motor vehicles, trailers,
19 semitrailers, or cabin trailers owned by the applicant may be so licensed
20 at any one time. Motor vehicles and trailers registered under section
21 60-3,198 shall not be so licensed.

22 (3) If the license plate ~~plates~~ issued pursuant to this section is
23 are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plate ~~plates~~ shall
24 be issued a replacement license plate ~~plates~~ upon request and without
25 charge.

26 Sec. 33. Section 60-3,122.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative
27 Supplement, 2014, is amended to read:

28 60-3,122.02 (1) A person may apply to the department for a Gold Star
29 Family plate ~~plates~~ in lieu of a regular license plate ~~plates~~ on an
30 application prescribed and provided by the department for any motor
31 vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer, except for a motor

1 vehicle or trailer registered under section 60-3,198. An applicant
2 receiving a Gold Star Family plate for a farm truck with a gross weight
3 of over sixteen tons shall affix the appropriate tonnage decal to the
4 plate. The department shall make forms available for such applications
5 through the county treasurers. The license plate ~~plates~~ shall be issued
6 upon payment of the license fee described in subsection (2) of this
7 section and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department that the
8 applicant is a surviving spouse, whether remarried or not, or an
9 ancestor, including a stepparent, a descendant, including a stepchild, a
10 foster parent or a person in loco parentis, or a sibling of a person who
11 died while in good standing on active duty in the military service of the
12 United States.

13 (2)(a) Each application for initial issuance of a consecutively
14 numbered Gold Star Family plate ~~plates~~ shall be accompanied by a fee of
15 five dollars. An application for renewal of the plate ~~such plates~~ shall
16 be accompanied by a fee of five dollars. County treasurers collecting
17 fees for renewals pursuant to this subdivision shall remit them to the
18 State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit five dollars of the fee
19 for initial issuance and renewal of such plates to the Nebraska Veteran
20 Cemetery System Operation Fund.

21 (b) Each application for initial issuance of a personalized message
22 Gold Star Family plate ~~plates~~ shall be accompanied by a fee of forty
23 dollars. An application for renewal of the plate ~~such plates~~ shall be
24 accompanied by a fee of forty dollars. County treasurers collecting fees
25 for renewals pursuant to this subdivision shall remit them to the State
26 Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit twenty-five percent of the
27 fee for initial issuance and renewal of the plate ~~such plates~~ to the
28 Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund and seventy-five percent of the
29 fee to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund.

30 (3) When the department receives an application for a Gold Star
31 Family plate ~~plates~~, the department shall deliver the plate ~~plates~~ to the

1 county treasurer of the county in which the motor vehicle or cabin
2 trailer is registered. The county treasurer shall issue a Gold Star
3 Family plate ~~plates~~ in lieu of a regular license plate ~~plates~~ when the
4 applicant complies with the other provisions of the Motor Vehicle
5 Registration Act for registration of the motor vehicle or cabin trailer.
6 If a Gold Star Family plate ~~is~~ ~~plates~~ are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the
7 licensee shall be issued a replacement license plate ~~plates~~ upon request
8 and without charge.

9 (4) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer bearing a Gold
10 Star Family plate ~~plates~~ may apply to the county treasurer to have such
11 plate ~~plates~~ transferred to a motor vehicle other than the vehicle for
12 which such plate ~~was~~ ~~plates~~ were originally purchased if such vehicle is
13 owned by the owner of the plate ~~plates~~. The owner may have the unused
14 portion of the fee for the plate ~~plates~~ credited to the other vehicle
15 which will bear the plate ~~plates~~ at the rate of eight and one-third
16 percent per month for each full month left in the registration period.
17 Application for such transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of three
18 dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection shall be remitted to
19 the State Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash
20 Fund.

21 (5) If the cost of manufacturing Gold Star Family plates at any time
22 exceeds the amount charged for license plates pursuant to section
23 60-3,102, any money to be credited to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery
24 System Operation Fund shall instead be credited first to the Highway
25 Trust Fund in an amount equal to the difference between the manufacturing
26 costs of Gold Star Family plates and the amount charged pursuant to
27 section 60-3,102 with respect to such plates and the remainder shall be
28 credited to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund.

29 Sec. 34. Section 60-3,122.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative
30 Supplement, 2014, is amended to read:

31 60-3,122.04 (1) Beginning January 2, 2016, an eligible person may

1 apply to the department for a Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ in lieu of a
2 regular license plate ~~plates~~ on an application prescribed and provided by
3 the department for any motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin
4 trailer, except for a motor vehicle or trailer registered under section
5 60-3,198. An applicant receiving a Military Honor Plate for a farm truck
6 with a gross weight of over sixteen tons shall affix the appropriate
7 tonnage decal to the plate. The department shall make forms available for
8 such applications through the county treasurers. The license plate ~~plates~~
9 shall be issued upon payment of the license fee described in subsection
10 (2) of this section and verification by the department of an applicant's
11 eligibility using the registry established by the Department of Veterans'
12 Affairs pursuant to section 80-414. To be eligible an applicant shall be
13 (a) active duty armed forces personnel serving in any of the armed forces
14 listed in subsection (1) of section 60-3,122.03 or (b) a veteran of any
15 of such armed forces who was discharged or otherwise separated with a
16 characterization of honorable or general (under honorable conditions).
17 Any person using a Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ shall surrender the plate
18 ~~plates~~ to the county treasurer if such person is no longer eligible for
19 the plate ~~plates~~. A regular plate ~~Regular plates~~ shall be issued to any
20 such person upon surrender of the Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ for a
21 three-dollar transfer fee and forfeiture of any of the remaining annual
22 fee. The three-dollar transfer fee shall be remitted to the State
23 Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

24 (2)(a) In addition to all other fees required for registration under
25 the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, each application for initial issuance
26 or renewal of an alphanumeric Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ shall be
27 accompanied by a fee of five dollars. County treasurers collecting fees
28 pursuant to this subdivision shall remit them to the State Treasurer. The
29 State Treasurer shall credit five dollars of the fee to the Nebraska
30 Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund.

31 (b) In addition to all other fees required for registration under

1 the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, each application for initial issuance
2 or renewal of a personalized message Military Honor Plate Plates shall be
3 accompanied by a fee of forty dollars. County treasurers collecting fees
4 pursuant to this subdivision shall remit them to the State Treasurer. The
5 State Treasurer shall credit twenty-five percent of the fee for initial
6 issuance and renewal of such plates to the Department of Motor Vehicles
7 Cash Fund and seventy-five percent of the fee to the Nebraska Veteran
8 Cemetery System Operation Fund.

9 (3) When the Department of Motor Vehicles receives an application
10 for a Military Honor Plate Plates, the department shall deliver the plate
11 ~~plates~~ to the county treasurer of the county in which the motor vehicle
12 or cabin trailer is registered. The county treasurer shall issue a
13 Military Honor Plate Plates in lieu of a regular license plate plates
14 when the applicant complies with the other provisions of the Motor
15 Vehicle Registration Act for registration of the motor vehicle or cabin
16 trailer. If a Military Honor Plate is Plates ~~are~~ lost, stolen, or
17 mutilated, the licensee shall be issued a replacement license plate
18 ~~plates~~ upon request pursuant to section 60-3,157.

19 (4) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer bearing a Military
20 Honor Plate Plates may apply to the county treasurer to have such plate
21 ~~plates~~ transferred to a motor vehicle other than the vehicle for which
22 such plate was plates ~~were~~ originally purchased if such vehicle is owned
23 by the owner of the plate plates. The owner may have the unused portion
24 of the fee for the plate plates credited to the other vehicle which will
25 bear the plate plates at the rate of eight and one-third percent per
26 month for each full month left in the registration period. Application
27 for such transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of three dollars. Fees
28 collected pursuant to this subsection shall be remitted to the State
29 Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

30 (5) If the cost of manufacturing Military Honor Plates at any time
31 exceeds the amount charged for license plates pursuant to section

1 60-3,102, any money to be credited to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery
2 System Operation Fund shall instead be credited first to the Highway
3 Trust Fund in an amount equal to the difference between the manufacturing
4 costs of Military Honor Plates and the amount charged pursuant to section
5 60-3,102 with respect to such plates and the remainder shall be credited
6 to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund.

7 (6) If the director discovers evidence of fraud in an application
8 for a Military Honor Plate Plates or that the holder is no longer
9 eligible to have a Military Honor Plate Plates, the director may
10 summarily cancel the plate plates and registration and send notice of the
11 cancellation to the holder of the license plate plates.

12 Sec. 35. Section 60-3,123, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
13 2014, is amended to read:

14 60-3,123 (1) Any person who was captured and incarcerated by an
15 enemy of the United States during a period of conflict with such enemy
16 and who was discharged or otherwise separated with a characterization of
17 honorable from or is currently serving in the United States Armed Forces
18 may, in addition to the application required in section 60-385, apply to
19 the department for a license plate plates designed to indicate that he or
20 she is a former prisoner of war.

21 (2) The license plate plates shall be issued upon the applicant
22 paying the regular license fee and furnishing proof satisfactory to the
23 department that the applicant was formerly a prisoner of war. Any number
24 of motor vehicles, trailers, semitrailers, or cabin trailers owned by the
25 applicant may be so licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles and trailers
26 registered under section 60-3,198 shall not be so licensed.

27 (3) If the license plate plates issued under this section is are
28 lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the license plate plates
29 shall be issued a replacement license plate plates upon request and
30 without charge.

31 Sec. 36. Section 60-3,124, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is

1 amended to read:

2 60-3,124 (1) Any person who is a veteran of the United States Armed
3 Forces, who was discharged or otherwise separated with a characterization
4 of honorable or general (under honorable conditions), and who is
5 classified by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs as one
6 hundred percent service-connected disabled may, in addition to the
7 application required in section 60-385, apply to the Department of Motor
8 Vehicles for a license plate ~~plates~~ designed by the department to
9 indicate that the applicant is a disabled veteran. The inscription on the
10 license plate ~~plates~~ shall be D.A.V. immediately below the license plate
11 number to indicate that the holder of the license plate ~~plates~~ is a
12 disabled veteran.

13 (2) The plate ~~plates~~ shall be issued upon the applicant paying the
14 regular license fee and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department
15 that the applicant is a disabled veteran. Any number of motor vehicles,
16 trailers, semitrailers, or cabin trailers owned by the applicant may be
17 so licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles and trailers registered under
18 section 60-3,198 shall not be so licensed.

19 (3) If the license plate ~~plates~~ issued under this section is ~~are~~
20 lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plate ~~plates~~ shall be
21 issued a replacement license plate ~~plates~~ as provided in section
22 60-3,157.

23 Sec. 37. Section 60-3,125, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
24 2014, is amended to read:

25 60-3,125 (1) Any person may, in addition to the application required
26 by section 60-385, apply to the department for a license plate ~~plates~~
27 designed by the department to indicate that the applicant has received
28 from the federal government an award of a Purple Heart. The inscription
29 of the plate ~~plates~~ shall be designed so as to include a facsimile of the
30 award and beneath any numerical designation upon the plate ~~plates~~
31 pursuant to section 60-370 the words Purple Heart separately on one line

1 and the words Combat Wounded on the line below.

2 (2) The license plate ~~plates~~ shall be issued upon payment of the
3 regular license fee and furnishing proof satisfactory to the department
4 that the applicant was awarded the Purple Heart. Any number of motor
5 vehicles, trailers, semitrailers, or cabin trailers owned by the
6 applicant may be so licensed at any one time. Motor vehicles and trailers
7 registered under section 60-3,198 shall not be so licensed.

8 (3) If a license plate ~~plates~~ issued pursuant to this section is ~~are~~
9 lost, stolen, or mutilated, the recipient of the plate ~~plates~~ shall be
10 issued a replacement license plate ~~plates~~ upon request and without
11 charge.

12 Sec. 38. Section 60-3,126, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
13 amended to read:

14 60-3,126 (1) Any person who holds an unrevoked and unexpired amateur
15 radio station license issued by the Federal Communications Commission and
16 is the owner of a motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer,
17 except for motor vehicles and trailers registered under section 60-3,198,
18 may, in addition to the application required by section 60-385, apply to
19 the department for a license plate ~~plates~~ upon which shall be inscribed
20 the official amateur radio call letters of such applicant.

21 (2) Such license plate ~~plates~~ shall be issued, in lieu of the usual
22 numbers and letters, to such an applicant upon payment of the regular
23 license fee and the payment of an additional fee of five dollars and
24 furnishing proof that the applicant holds such an unrevoked and unexpired
25 amateur radio station license. The additional fee shall be remitted to
26 the State Treasurer for credit to the Highway Trust Fund. Only one such
27 motor vehicle or trailer owned by an applicant shall be so registered at
28 any one time.

29 (3) An applicant applying for renewal of an amateur radio station
30 license plate ~~plates~~ shall again furnish proof that he or she holds an
31 unrevoked and unexpired amateur radio station license issued by the

1 Federal Communications Commission.

2 (4) The department shall prescribe the size and design of the
3 license ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ and furnish such ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ to the ~~person~~ ~~persons~~
4 applying for and entitled to the same upon the payment of the required
5 fee.

6 Sec. 39. Section 60-3,128, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
7 2014, is amended to read:

8 60-3,128 (1) A person may apply to the department for a Nebraska
9 Cornhusker Spirit Plate ~~Plates~~ in lieu of a regular license ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~
10 on an application prescribed and provided by the department for any motor
11 vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer, except for motor
12 vehicles or trailers registered under section 60-3,198. An applicant
13 receiving a spirit plate for a farm truck with a gross weight of over
14 sixteen tons or for a commercial motor vehicle registered for a gross
15 weight of five tons or over shall affix the appropriate tonnage decal to
16 the spirit plate. The department shall make forms available for such
17 applications through the county treasurers. Each application for initial
18 issuance or renewal of a spirit ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ shall be accompanied by a
19 fee of seventy dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection shall
20 be remitted to the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit
21 forty-three percent of the fees for initial issuance and renewal of
22 spirit plates to the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund. The State
23 Treasurer shall credit fifty-seven percent of the fees to the Spirit
24 Plate Proceeds Fund until the fund has been credited five million dollars
25 from such fees and thereafter to the Highway Trust Fund.

26 (2) When the department receives an application for a spirit ~~plate~~
27 ~~plates~~, it shall deliver the ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ to the county treasurer of the
28 county in which the motor vehicle or cabin trailer is registered. The
29 county treasurer shall issue a spirit ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ in lieu of a regular
30 license ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ when the applicant complies with the other
31 provisions of law for registration of the motor vehicle or cabin trailer.

1 If a spirit plate is ~~spirit plates~~ are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the
2 licensee shall be issued a replacement license plate ~~plates~~ pursuant to
3 section 60-3,157.

4 (3)(a) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer bearing a
5 spirit plate ~~plates~~ may make application to the county treasurer to have
6 such spirit plate ~~plates~~ transferred to a motor vehicle or cabin trailer
7 other than the motor vehicle or cabin trailer for which such plate was
8 ~~plates were~~ originally purchased if such motor vehicle or cabin trailer
9 is owned by the owner of the spirit plate ~~plates~~.

10 (b) The owner may have the unused portion of the spirit plate fee
11 credited to the other motor vehicle or cabin trailer which will bear the
12 spirit plate at the rate of eight and one-third percent per month for
13 each full month left in the registration period.

14 (c) Application for such transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of
15 three dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this subsection shall be
16 remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to the Department of Motor
17 Vehicles Cash Fund.

18 Sec. 40. Section 60-3,130, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
19 amended to read:

20 60-3,130 (1) Except as provided in section 60-3,134, a person
21 presenting a certificate of title issued pursuant to section 60-142.01 or
22 60-142.02 or a certificate of title indicating that the vehicle is thirty
23 or more years old may apply for a historical license plate ~~plates~~ or may
24 use a license plate ~~plates~~ of the year of manufacture in lieu of a
25 regular license plate ~~plates~~ as provided in sections 60-3,130 to
26 60-3,134.

27 (2) Each collector applying for a historical ~~such~~ license plate
28 ~~plates~~, other than a nonprofit organization described in sections 21-608
29 and 21-609, must own and have registered one or more motor vehicles with
30 a regular license plate ~~plates~~ which he or she uses for regular
31 transportation.

1 (3) A motor vehicle or trailer manufactured, assembled from a kit,
2 or otherwise assembled as a reproduction or facsimile of a historical
3 vehicle shall not be eligible for a historical license plate ~~plates~~
4 unless it has been in existence for thirty years or more. The age of the
5 motor vehicle or trailer shall be calculated from the year reflected on
6 the certificate of title.

7 Sec. 41. Section 60-3,130.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
8 is amended to read:

9 60-3,130.01 The application under section 60-3,130 shall be made on
10 a form prescribed and furnished by the department. The form shall contain
11 (1) a description of the vehicle owned and sought to be registered,
12 including the make, body type, model, vehicle identification number, and
13 year of manufacture, (2) a description of any vehicle owned by the
14 applicant and registered by him or her with a regular license plate
15 ~~plates~~ and used for regular transportation, which description shall
16 include make, body type, model, vehicle identification number, year of
17 manufacture, and the Nebraska registration number assigned to the
18 vehicle, and (3) an affidavit sworn to by the vehicle owner that the
19 historical vehicle is being collected, preserved, restored, and
20 maintained by the applicant as a hobby and not for the general use of the
21 vehicle for the same purposes and under the same circumstances as other
22 motor vehicles of the same type.

23 Sec. 42. Section 60-3,130.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
24 is amended to read:

25 60-3,130.02 (1) An initial processing fee of ten dollars shall be
26 submitted with an application under section 60-3,130 to defray the costs
27 of issuing the first historical license plate to each collector and to
28 establish a distinct identification number for each collector. A fee of
29 fifty dollars for each vehicle so registered shall also be submitted with
30 the application.

31 (2) For use of a license plate ~~plates~~ as provided in section

1 60-3,130.04, a fee of twenty-five dollars shall be submitted with the
2 application in addition to the fees specified in subsection (1) of this
3 section.

4 (3) The fees shall be remitted to the State Treasurer for credit to
5 the Highway Trust Fund.

6 Sec. 43. Section 60-3,130.04, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
7 amended to read:

8 60-3,130.04 (1) An owner of a historical vehicle eligible for
9 registration under section 60-3,130 may use a license plate ~~or plates~~
10 designed by this state in the year corresponding to the model year when
11 the vehicle was manufactured in lieu of the plate ~~plates~~ designed
12 pursuant to section 60-3,130.03 subject to the approval of the
13 department. The department shall inspect the plate ~~or plates~~ and may
14 approve the plate ~~or plates~~ if it is determined that the model-year
15 license plate is ~~or plates are~~ legible and serviceable and that the
16 license plate numbers do not conflict with or duplicate other numbers
17 assigned and in use. An original-issued license plate ~~or plates~~ that has
18 ~~have~~ been restored to original condition may be used when approved by the
19 department.

20 (2) The department may consult with a recognized car club in
21 determining whether the year of the license plate ~~or plates~~ to be used
22 corresponds to the model year when the vehicle was manufactured.

23 ~~(3) If only one license plate is used on the vehicle, the license~~
24 ~~plate shall be placed on the rear of the vehicle. The owner of a~~
25 ~~historical vehicle may use only one plate on the vehicle even for years~~
26 ~~in which two license plates were issued for vehicles in general.~~

27 (3 4) License plates used pursuant to this section corresponding to
28 the year of manufacture of the vehicle shall not be personalized message
29 license plates, Pearl Harbor license plates, prisoner-of-war license
30 plates, disabled veteran license plates, Purple Heart license plates,
31 amateur radio station license plates, Nebraska Cornhusker Spirit Plates,

1 handicapped or disabled person license plates, specialty license plates,
2 special interest motor vehicle license plates, Military Honor Plates, or
3 Nebraska 150 Sesquicentennial Plates.

4 Sec. 44. Section 60-3,130.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
5 is amended to read:

6 60-3,130.05 A license plate ~~License plates~~ issued or used pursuant
7 to section 60-3,130 or 60-3,130.04 shall be valid while the vehicle is
8 owned by the applicant without the payment of any additional fee, tax, or
9 license.

10 Sec. 45. Section 60-3,134, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
11 amended to read:

12 60-3,134 Any motor vehicle or trailer that qualifies as an
13 historical vehicle which is used for the same general purposes and under
14 the same conditions as a motor vehicle or trailer ~~vehicles or trailers~~
15 registered with a regular license plate ~~plates~~ shall be required to be
16 registered with a regular license plate ~~plates~~, regardless of its age,
17 and shall be subject to the payment of the same taxes and fees required
18 of a motor vehicle or trailer ~~vehicles or trailers~~ registered with a
19 regular license plate ~~plates~~.

20 Sec. 46. Section 60-3,135, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
21 amended to read:

22 60-3,135 (1)(a) Undercover license plates may be issued to federal,
23 state, county, city, or village law enforcement agencies and shall be
24 used only for legitimate criminal investigatory purposes. Undercover
25 license plates may also be issued to the Nebraska State Patrol, the Game
26 and Parks Commission, deputy state sheriffs employed by the Nebraska
27 Brand Committee and State Fire Marshal for state law enforcement
28 purposes, persons employed by the Tax Commissioner for state revenue
29 enforcement purposes, the Department of Health and Human Services for the
30 purposes of communicable disease control, the prevention and control of
31 those communicable diseases which endanger the public health, the

1 enforcement of drug control laws, or other investigation purposes, the
2 Department of Agriculture for special investigative purposes, and the
3 Insurance Fraud Prevention Division of the Department of Insurance for
4 investigative purposes. Undercover license plates shall not be used on
5 personally owned vehicles or for personal use of government-owned
6 vehicles.

7 (b) The director shall prescribe a form for agencies to apply for
8 undercover license plates. The form shall include a space for the name
9 and signature of the contact person for the requesting agency, a
10 statement that the undercover license plates are to be used only for
11 legitimate criminal investigatory purposes, and a statement that
12 undercover license plates are not to be used on personally owned vehicles
13 or for personal use of government-owned vehicles.

14 (2) The agency shall include the name and signature of the contact
15 person for the agency on the form and pay the fee prescribed in section
16 60-3,102. If ~~an~~ the undercover license plate ~~plates~~ will be used for the
17 investigation of a specific event rather than for ongoing investigations,
18 the agency shall designate on the form an estimate of the length of time
19 the undercover license plate ~~plates~~ will be needed. The contact person in
20 the agency shall sign the form and verify the information contained in
21 the form.

22 (3) Upon receipt of a completed form, the director shall determine
23 whether the undercover license plate ~~plates~~ will be used by an approved
24 agency for a legitimate purpose pursuant to subsection (1) of this
25 section. If the director determines that the undercover license plate
26 ~~plates~~ will be used for such a purpose, he or she may issue the
27 undercover license plate ~~plates~~ in the form and under the conditions he
28 or she determines to be necessary. The decision of the director regarding
29 issuance of ~~an~~ undercover license plate ~~plates~~ is final.

30 (4) The department shall keep records pertaining to undercover
31 license plates confidential, and such records shall not be subject to

1 public disclosure.

2 (5) The contact person shall return the undercover license plate
3 ~~plates~~ to the department if:

4 (a) The undercover license plate expires and is ~~plates expire and~~
5 ~~are~~ not renewed;

6 (b) The purpose for which the undercover license plate was ~~plates~~
7 ~~were~~ issued has been completed or terminated; or

8 (c) The director requests the their return of the undercover license
9 plate.

10 (6) A state agency, board, or commission that uses motor vehicles
11 from the transportation services bureau of the Department of
12 Administrative Services shall notify the bureau immediately after an
13 undercover license plate has ~~plates have~~ been assigned to the motor
14 vehicle and shall provide the equipment and license plate number and the
15 undercover license plate number to the bureau. The transportation
16 services bureau shall maintain a list of state-owned motor vehicles which
17 have been assigned undercover license plates. The list shall be
18 confidential and not be subject to public disclosure.

19 (7) The contact person shall be held accountable to keep proper
20 records of the number of undercover plates possessed by the agency, the
21 particular license plate number ~~numbers~~ for each motor vehicle, and the
22 person who is assigned to the motor vehicle. This record shall be
23 confidential and not be subject to public disclosure.

24 Sec. 47. Section 60-3,147, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
25 2014, is amended to read:

26 60-3,147 (1) The registration fee on commercial motor vehicles,
27 except those motor vehicles registered under section 60-3,198, shall be
28 based upon the gross vehicle weight, not to exceed the maximum authorized
29 by section 60-6,294.

30 (2) The registration fee on commercial motor vehicles, except for
31 motor vehicles and trailers registered under section 60-3,198, shall be

1 based on the gross vehicle weight on such commercial motor vehicles plus
2 the gross vehicle weight of any trailer or combination with which it is
3 operated, except that for the purpose of determining the registration
4 fee, the gross vehicle weight of a commercial motor vehicle towing or
5 hauling a disabled or wrecked motor vehicle properly registered for use
6 on the highways shall be only the gross vehicle weight of the towing
7 commercial motor vehicle fully equipped and not including the weight of
8 the motor vehicle being towed or hauled.

9 (3) Except as provided in subsection (4) of this section, the
10 registration fee on such commercial motor vehicles shall be at the
11 following rates:

12 (a) For a gross vehicle weight of three tons or less, eighteen
13 dollars;

14 (b) For a gross vehicle weight exceeding three tons and not
15 exceeding four tons, twenty-five dollars;

16 (c) For a gross vehicle weight exceeding four tons and not exceeding
17 five tons, thirty-five dollars;

18 (d) For a gross vehicle weight exceeding five tons and not exceeding
19 six tons, sixty dollars;

20 (e) For a gross vehicle weight exceeding six tons but not exceeding
21 seven tons, eighty-five dollars; and

22 (f) For a gross vehicle weight in excess of seven tons, the fee
23 shall be that for a commercial motor vehicle having a gross vehicle
24 weight of seven tons and, in addition thereto, twenty-five dollars for
25 each ton of gross vehicle weight over seven tons.

26 (4)(a) For fractional tons in excess of the twenty percent or the
27 tolerance of one thousand pounds, as provided in section 60-6,300, the
28 fee shall be computed on the basis of the next higher bracket.

29 (b) The fees provided by this section shall be reduced ten percent
30 for motor vehicles used exclusively for the transportation of
31 agricultural products.

1 (c) Fees for commercial motor vehicles with a gross vehicle weight
2 in excess of thirty-six tons shall be increased by twenty percent for all
3 such commercial motor vehicles operated on any highway not a part of the
4 National System of Interstate and Defense Highways.

5 (5)(a) Such fee may be paid one-half at the time of registration and
6 one-half on the first day of the seventh month of the registration period
7 when the license fee exceeds two hundred ten dollars. When the second
8 half is paid, the county treasurer shall furnish a registration
9 certificate and a license plate ~~plates~~ issued by the department which
10 shall be displayed on such commercial motor vehicle in the manner
11 provided by law. In addition to the registration fee, the department
12 shall collect a sufficient fee to cover the cost of issuing the
13 certificate and license plate ~~plates~~.

14 (b) If such second half is not paid within thirty days following the
15 first day of the seventh month, the registration of such commercial motor
16 vehicle shall be canceled and the registration certificate and license
17 plate ~~plates~~ shall be returned to the county treasurer.

18 (c) Such fee shall be paid prior to any subsequent registration or
19 renewal of registration.

20 (6) License plates issued under this section shall be the same size
21 and of the same basic design as regular license plates issued under
22 section 60-3,100.

23 (7) A license plate ~~or plates~~ issued to a commercial motor vehicle
24 with a gross weight of five tons or over shall display, in addition to
25 the registration number, the weight that the commercial motor vehicle is
26 licensed for, using a decal on the license plate ~~or plates~~ of the
27 commercial motor vehicle in letters and numerals of such size and design
28 as shall be determined and issued by the department.

29 Sec. 48. Section 60-3,150, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
30 amended to read:

31 60-3,150 For registration purposes, a truck-tractor and semitrailer

1 unit and a commercial trailer shall be considered as separate units. The
2 registration fee of the truck-tractor shall be the fee provided for
3 commercial motor vehicles. Each semitrailer and each commercial trailer
4 shall be registered upon the payment of a fee of one dollar. The
5 department shall provide an appropriate license plate or, when
6 appropriate, validation decal to identify such semitrailers. If any truck
7 or truck-tractor, operated under the classification designated as local,
8 farm, or A or with a plate ~~plates~~ issued under section 60-3,113 is
9 operated outside of the limits of its respective classification, it shall
10 thereupon come under the classification of commercial motor vehicle.

11 Sec. 49. Section 60-3,157, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
12 2014, is amended to read:

13 60-3,157 If a license plate or registration certificate is lost or
14 mutilated or has become illegible, the person to whom such license plate
15 and registration certificate has been issued shall immediately apply to
16 the county treasurer for a duplicate registration certificate or for a
17 new license plate ~~plates~~, accompanying his or her application with a fee
18 of one dollar for a duplicate registration certificate and a fee of two
19 dollars and fifty cents for a duplicate or replacement license plate. No
20 fee shall be required under this section if the vehicle or trailer was
21 reported stolen under section 60-178.

22 Sec. 50. Section 60-3,167, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
23 amended to read:

24 60-3,167 (1) It shall be unlawful for any owner of a motor vehicle
25 or trailer which is being operated or towed with an In Transit sticker
26 ~~stickers~~ pursuant to section 60-376, which is being operated or towed
27 pursuant to section 60-365 or 60-369, or which is required to be
28 registered in this state and which is operated or towed on a public
29 highway of this state to allow the operation or towing of the motor
30 vehicle or trailer on a public highway of this state without having a
31 current and effective automobile liability policy, evidence of insurance,

1 or proof of financial responsibility. The owner shall be presumed to know
2 of the operation or towing of his or her motor vehicle or trailer on a
3 highway of this state in violation of this section when the motor vehicle
4 or trailer is being operated or towed by a person other than the owner.
5 An owner of a motor vehicle or trailer who operates or tows the motor
6 vehicle or trailer or allows the operation or towing of the motor vehicle
7 or trailer in violation of this section shall be guilty of a Class II
8 misdemeanor and shall be advised by the court that his or her motor
9 vehicle operator's license, motor vehicle certificate of registration,
10 and license plate ~~plates~~ will be suspended by the department until he or
11 she complies with sections 60-505.02 and 60-528. Upon conviction the
12 owner shall have his or her motor vehicle operator's license, motor
13 vehicle certificate of registration, and license plate ~~plates~~ suspended
14 by the department until he or she complies with sections 60-505.02 and
15 60-528. The owner shall also be required to comply with section 60-528
16 for a continuous period of three years after the violation. This
17 subsection shall not apply to motor vehicles or trailers registered in
18 another state.

19 (2) An owner who is unable to produce a current and effective
20 automobile liability policy, evidence of insurance, or proof of financial
21 responsibility upon the request of a law enforcement officer shall be
22 allowed ten days after the date of the request to produce proof to the
23 appropriate prosecutor or county attorney that a current and effective
24 automobile liability policy or proof of financial responsibility was in
25 existence for the motor vehicle or trailer at the time of such request.
26 Upon presentation of such proof, the citation shall be dismissed by the
27 prosecutor or county attorney without cost to the owner and no
28 prosecution for the offense cited shall occur.

29 (3) The department shall, for any person convicted for a violation
30 of this section, reinstate such person's operator's license, motor
31 vehicle certificate of registration, and license plate ~~plates~~ and rescind

1 any order requiring such person to comply with section 60-528 without
2 cost to such person upon presentation to the director that, at the time
3 such person was cited for a violation of this section, a current and
4 effective automobile liability policy or proof of financial
5 responsibility was in existence for the motor vehicle or trailer at the
6 time the citation was issued.

7 Sec. 51. Section 60-3,175, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
8 amended to read:

9 60-3,175 It shall be unlawful to own or operate a motor vehicle or
10 trailer with a historical license plate ~~plates~~ in violation of section
11 60-3,130, 60-3,131, or 60-3,134. Upon conviction of a violation of any
12 provision of such sections, a person shall be guilty of a Class V
13 misdemeanor.

14 Sec. 52. Section 60-3,183, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
15 amended to read:

16 60-3,183 (1) The director may revoke, suspend, cancel, or refuse to
17 issue or renew a registration certificate under sections 60-3,198 to
18 60-3,203 upon receipt of notice under the federal Performance and
19 Registration Information Systems Management Program that the ability of
20 the applicant or registration certificate holder to operate has been
21 terminated or denied by a federal agency.

22 (2) Any person who receives notice from the director of action taken
23 pursuant to subsection (1) of this section shall, within three business
24 days, return such registration certificate and license plate ~~plates~~ to
25 the department. If any person fails to return the registration
26 certificate and license plate ~~plates~~ to the department, the department
27 shall notify the Nebraska State Patrol that any such person is in
28 violation of this section.

29 Sec. 53. Section 60-3,205, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
30 2014, is amended to read:

31 60-3,205 (1)(a) The director may suspend, revoke, cancel, or refuse

1 to issue or renew a registration certificate under the International
2 Registration Plan Act:

3 (i) If the applicant or certificate holder has had his or her
4 license issued under the International Fuel Tax Agreement Act revoked or
5 the director refused to issue or refused to renew such license; or

6 (ii) If the applicant or certificate holder is in violation of
7 sections 75-392 to 75-399.

8 (b) Prior to taking action under this section, the director shall
9 notify and advise the applicant or certificate holder of the proposed
10 action and the reasons for such action in writing, by regular United
11 States mail, to his or her last-known business address as shown on the
12 application for the certificate or renewal. The notice shall also include
13 an advisement of the procedures in subdivision (c) of this subsection.

14 (c) The applicant or certificate holder may, within thirty days
15 after the date of the mailing of the notice, petition the director for a
16 hearing to contest the proposed action. The hearing shall be commenced in
17 accordance with the rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the
18 department. If a petition is filed, the director shall, within twenty
19 days after receipt of the petition, set a hearing date at which the
20 applicant or certificate holder may show cause why the proposed action
21 should not be taken. The director shall give the applicant or certificate
22 holder reasonable notice of the time and place of the hearing. If the
23 director's decision is adverse to the applicant or certificate holder,
24 the applicant or certificate holder may appeal the decision in accordance
25 with the Administrative Procedure Act.

26 (d) Except as provided in subsections (2) and (3) of this section,
27 the filing of the petition shall stay any action by the director until a
28 hearing is held and a final decision and order is issued.

29 (e) Except as provided in subsections (2) and (3) of this section,
30 if no petition is filed at the expiration of thirty days after the date
31 on which the notification was mailed, the director may take the proposed

1 action described in the notice.

2 (f) If, in the judgment of the director, the applicant or
3 certificate holder has complied with or is no longer in violation of the
4 provisions for which the director took action under this subsection, the
5 director may reinstate the registration certificate without delay.

6 (2)(a) The director may suspend, revoke, cancel, or refuse to issue
7 or renew a registration certificate under the International Registration
8 Plan Act or a license under the International Fuel Tax Agreement Act if
9 the applicant, licensee, or certificate holder has issued to the
10 department a check or draft which has been returned because of
11 insufficient funds, no funds, or a stop-payment order. The director may
12 take such action no sooner than seven days after the written notice
13 required in subdivision (1)(b) of this section has been provided. Any
14 petition to contest such action filed pursuant to subdivision (1)(c) of
15 this section shall not stay such action of the director.

16 (b) If the director takes an action pursuant to this subsection, the
17 director shall reinstate the registration certificate or license without
18 delay upon the payment of certified funds by the applicant, licensee, or
19 certificate holder for any fees due and reasonable administrative costs,
20 not to exceed twenty-five dollars, incurred in taking such action.

21 (c) The rules, regulations, and orders of the director and the
22 department that pertain to hearings commenced in accordance with this
23 section and that are in effect prior to March 17, 2006, shall remain in
24 effect, unless changed or eliminated by the director or the department,
25 except for those portions involving a stay upon the filing of a petition
26 to contest any action taken pursuant to this subsection, in which case
27 this subsection shall supersede those provisions.

28 (3) Any person who receives notice from the director of action taken
29 pursuant to subsection (1) or (2) of this section shall, within three
30 business days, return such registration certificate and license plate
31 ~~plates~~ to the department as provided in this section. If any person fails

1 to return the registration certificate and license plate ~~plates~~ to the
2 department, the department shall notify the Nebraska State Patrol that
3 any such person is in violation of this section.

4 Sec. 54. Section 60-3,221, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
5 2014, is amended to read:

6 60-3,221 (1) Except as otherwise provided in the Motor Vehicle
7 Registration Act:

8 (a) A cabin trailer shall only be towed by a properly registered:

9 (i) Passenger car;

10 (ii) Commercial motor vehicle or apportionable vehicle;

11 (iii) Farm truck;

12 (iv) Local truck;

13 (v) Minitruck;

14 (vi) Recreational vehicle; or

15 (vii) Bus;

16 (b) A utility trailer shall only be towed by:

17 (i) A properly registered passenger car;

18 (ii) A properly registered commercial motor vehicle or apportionable
19 vehicle;

20 (iii) A properly registered farm truck;

21 (iv) A properly registered local truck;

22 (v) A properly registered minitruck;

23 (vi) A properly registered recreational vehicle;

24 (vii) A properly registered motor vehicle which is engaged in soil
25 and water conservation pursuant to section 60-3,149;

26 (viii) A properly registered well-boring apparatus;

27 (ix) A dealer-plated vehicle;

28 (x) A personal-use dealer-plated vehicle; or

29 (xi) A properly registered bus;

30 (c) A farm trailer shall only be towed by a properly registered:

31 (i) Passenger car;

- 1 (ii) Commercial motor vehicle;
- 2 (iii) Farm truck; or
- 3 (iv) Minitruck;
- 4 (d) A commercial trailer shall only be towed by:
- 5 (i) A properly registered motor vehicle which is engaged in soil and
- 6 water conservation pursuant to section 60-3,149;
- 7 (ii) A properly registered local truck;
- 8 (iii) A properly registered well-boring apparatus;
- 9 (iv) A properly registered commercial motor vehicle or apportionable
- 10 vehicle;
- 11 (v) A dealer-plated vehicle;
- 12 (vi) A personal-use dealer-plated vehicle;
- 13 (vii) A properly registered bus; or
- 14 (viii) A properly registered farm truck;
- 15 (e) A fertilizer trailer shall only be towed by a properly
- 16 registered:
- 17 (i) Passenger car;
- 18 (ii) Commercial motor vehicle or apportionable vehicle;
- 19 (iii) Farm truck; or
- 20 (iv) Local truck;
- 21 (f) A pole and cable reel trailer shall only be towed by a properly
- 22 registered:
- 23 (i) Commercial motor vehicle or apportionable vehicle; or
- 24 (ii) Local truck;
- 25 (g) A dealer-plated trailer shall only be towed by:
- 26 (i) A dealer-plated vehicle;
- 27 (ii) A properly registered passenger car;
- 28 (iii) A properly registered commercial motor vehicle or
- 29 apportionable vehicle;
- 30 (iv) A properly registered farm truck;
- 31 (v) A properly registered minitruck; or

1 (vi) A personal-use dealer-plated vehicle; and

2 (h) Trailers registered pursuant to section 60-3,198 as part of an
3 apportioned fleet shall only be towed by:

4 (i) A properly registered motor vehicle which is engaged in soil and
5 water conservation pursuant to section 60-3,149;

6 (ii) A properly registered local truck;

7 (iii) A properly registered well-boring apparatus;

8 (iv) A properly registered commercial motor vehicle or apportionable
9 vehicle;

10 (v) A dealer-plated vehicle;

11 (vi) A personal-use dealer-plated vehicle;

12 (vii) A properly registered bus; or

13 (viii) A properly registered farm truck.

14 (2) Nothing in this section shall be construed to waive compliance
15 with the Nebraska Rules of the Road or Chapter 75.

16 (3) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit any motor
17 vehicle or trailer from displaying a dealer license plate ~~plates~~ or In
18 Transit sticker ~~stickers~~ authorized by section 60-376.

19 Sec. 55. Section 60-3,222, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
20 amended to read:

21 60-3,222 (1) If a fee required under the Motor Vehicle Registration
22 Act or a tax required to be paid on any motor vehicle or trailer has been
23 paid by check, draft, or other financial transaction, including an
24 electronic financial transaction, and the check, draft, or financial
25 transaction has been returned or not honored because of insufficient
26 funds, no account, a stop-payment order, or any other reason, a county
27 treasurer may cancel or refuse to issue or renew registration under the
28 act.

29 (2) The county treasurer may take the action described in subsection
30 (1) of this section no sooner than seven days after the notice required
31 in subsection (3) of this section has been mailed.

1 (3) Prior to taking action described in subsection (1) of this
2 section, the county treasurer shall notify the applicant or registrant of
3 the proposed action and the reasons for such action in writing, by first-
4 class, registered, or certified mail, mailed to the applicant's or
5 registrant's last-known address as shown on the application for
6 registration or renewal.

7 (4) If the county treasurer takes action pursuant to this section,
8 the county treasurer shall reinstate the registration without delay upon
9 the payment of certified funds by the applicant or registrant for any
10 fees and taxes due and reasonable administrative costs, not to exceed
11 twenty-five dollars, incurred in taking such action.

12 (5) Any person who is sent a notice from the county treasurer
13 pursuant to subsection (1) of this section shall, within ten business
14 days after mailing of the notice, return to the county treasurer the
15 motor vehicle registration and license plate ~~plates~~ of the vehicle or
16 trailer regarding which the action has been taken. If the person fails to
17 return the registration and license plate ~~plates~~ to the county treasurer,
18 the county treasurer shall notify the sheriff of the county in which the
19 person resides that the person is in violation of this section. The
20 sheriff may recover the registration and license plate ~~plates~~ and return
21 them to the county treasurer.

22 Sec. 56. Section 60-3,224, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
23 amended to read:

24 60-3,224 (1) Beginning October 1, 2015, and ending December 31,
25 2022, a person may apply to the department for a Nebraska 150
26 Sesquicentennial Plate ~~Plates~~ in lieu of a regular license ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~
27 on an application prescribed and provided by the department for any motor
28 vehicle, trailer, semitrailer, or cabin trailer, except for a motor
29 vehicle or trailer registered under section 60-3,198. An applicant
30 receiving a plate under this section for a farm truck with a gross weight
31 of over sixteen tons shall affix the appropriate tonnage decal to the

1 plate. The department shall make forms available for such applications
2 through the county treasurers.

3 (2) Each application for initial issuance or renewal of a Nebraska
4 150 Sesquicentennial Plate Plates shall be accompanied by a fee of
5 seventy dollars. Fees collected pursuant to this section shall be
6 remitted to the State Treasurer. The State Treasurer shall credit fifteen
7 percent of the fee for initial issuance and renewal of plates under
8 subsection (3) of section 60-3,223 to the Department of Motor Vehicles
9 Cash Fund and eighty-five percent of such fee to the Nebraska 150
10 Sesquicentennial Plate Proceeds Fund. The State Treasurer shall credit
11 forty-three percent of the fee for initial issuance and renewal of plates
12 under subsection (4) of section 60-3,223 to the Department of Motor
13 Vehicles Cash Fund and fifty-seven percent of such fee to the Nebraska
14 150 Sesquicentennial Plate Proceeds Fund.

15 (3) When the department receives an application for a Nebraska 150
16 Sesquicentennial Plate Plates, the department shall deliver the plate
17 plates to the county treasurer of the county in which the motor vehicle
18 or cabin trailer is registered. The county treasurer shall issue a plate
19 plates under this section in lieu of a regular license plate plates when
20 the applicant complies with the other provisions of the Motor Vehicle
21 Registration Act for registration of the motor vehicle or cabin trailer.
22 If the plate is plates are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the licensee shall
23 be issued a replacement license plate plates pursuant to section
24 60-3,157.

25 (4) The owner of a motor vehicle or cabin trailer bearing a Nebraska
26 150 Sesquicentennial Plate Plates may apply to the county treasurer to
27 have such plate plates transferred to a motor vehicle or cabin trailer
28 other than the vehicle or trailer for which such plate was plates were
29 originally purchased if such vehicle or trailer is owned by the owner of
30 the plate plates. The owner may have the unused portion of the fee for
31 the plate plates credited to the other vehicle or trailer which will bear

1 the ~~plate~~ plates at the rate of eight and one-third percent per month for
2 each full month left in the registration period. Application for such
3 transfer shall be accompanied by a fee of three dollars. The State
4 Treasurer shall credit fees collected pursuant to this subsection to the
5 Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

6 (5) Nebraska 150 Sesquicentennial Plates shall not be issued or
7 renewed beginning on January 1, 2023.

8 Sec. 57. Section 60-501, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, is
9 amended to read:

10 60-501 For purposes of the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act,
11 unless the context otherwise requires:

12 (1) Department means Department of Motor Vehicles;

13 (2) Golf car vehicle means a vehicle that has at least four wheels,
14 has a maximum level ground speed of less than twenty miles per hour, has
15 a maximum payload capacity of one thousand two hundred pounds, has a
16 maximum gross vehicle weight of two thousand five hundred pounds, has a
17 maximum passenger capacity of not more than four persons, and is designed
18 and manufactured for operation on a golf course for sporting and
19 recreational purposes;

20 (3) Judgment means any judgment which shall have become final by the
21 expiration of the time within which an appeal might have been perfected
22 without being appealed, or by final affirmation on appeal, rendered by a
23 court of competent jurisdiction of any state or of the United States, (a)
24 upon a cause of action arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use
25 of any motor vehicle for damages, including damages for care and loss of
26 services, because of bodily injury to or death of any person or for
27 damages because of injury to or destruction of property, including the
28 loss of use thereof, or (b) upon a cause of action on an agreement of
29 settlement for such damages;

30 (4) License means any license issued to any person under the laws of
31 this state pertaining to operation of a motor vehicle within this state;

1 (5) Low-speed vehicle means a four-wheeled motor vehicle (a) whose
2 speed attainable in one mile is more than twenty miles per hour and not
3 more than twenty-five miles per hour on a paved, level surface, (b) whose
4 gross vehicle weight rating is less than three thousand pounds, and (c)
5 that complies with 49 C.F.R. part 571, as such part existed on January 1,
6 2011;

7 (6) Minitruck means a foreign-manufactured import vehicle or
8 domestic-manufactured vehicle which (a) is powered by an internal
9 combustion engine with a piston or rotor displacement of one thousand
10 five hundred cubic centimeters or less, (b) is sixty-seven inches or less
11 in width, (c) has a dry weight of four thousand two hundred pounds or
12 less, (d) travels on four or more tires, (e) has a top speed of
13 approximately fifty-five miles per hour, (f) is equipped with a bed or
14 compartment for hauling, (g) has an enclosed passenger cab, (h) is
15 equipped with headlights, taillights, turnsignals, windshield wipers, a
16 rearview mirror, and an occupant protection system, and (i) has a four-
17 speed, five-speed, or automatic transmission;

18 (7) Motor vehicle means any self-propelled vehicle which is designed
19 for use upon a highway, including trailers designed for use with such
20 vehicles, minitrucks, and low-speed vehicles. Motor vehicle does not
21 include (a) mopeds as defined in section 60-637, (b) traction engines,
22 (c) road rollers, (d) farm tractors, (e) tractor cranes, (f) power
23 shovels, (g) well drillers, (h) every vehicle which is propelled by
24 electric power obtained from overhead wires but not operated upon rails,
25 (i) electric personal assistive mobility devices as defined in section
26 60-618.02, (j) off-road designed vehicles, including, but not limited to,
27 golf car vehicles, go-carts, riding lawnmowers, garden tractors, all-
28 terrain vehicles and utility-type vehicles as defined in section
29 60-6,355, minibikes as defined in section 60-636, and snowmobiles as
30 defined in section 60-663, and (k) bicycles as defined in section 60-611;

31 (8) Nonresident means every person who is not a resident of this

1 state;

2 (9) Nonresident's operating privilege means the privilege conferred
3 upon a nonresident by the laws of this state pertaining to the operation
4 by him or her of a motor vehicle or the use of a motor vehicle owned by
5 him or her in this state;

6 (10) Operator means every person who is in actual physical control
7 of a motor vehicle;

8 (11) Owner means a person who holds the legal title of a motor
9 vehicle, or in the event (a) a motor vehicle is the subject of an
10 agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof with the right of
11 purchase upon performance of the conditions stated in the agreement and
12 with an immediate right of possession vested in the conditional vendee or
13 lessee or (b) a mortgagor of a vehicle is entitled to possession, then
14 such conditional vendee or lessee or mortgagor shall be deemed the owner
15 for the purposes of the act;

16 (12) Person means every natural person, firm, partnership, limited
17 liability company, association, or corporation;

18 (13) Proof of financial responsibility means evidence of ability to
19 respond in damages for liability, on account of accidents occurring
20 subsequent to the effective date of such proof, arising out of the
21 ownership, maintenance, or use of a motor vehicle, (a) in the amount of
22 twenty-five thousand dollars because of bodily injury to or death of one
23 person in any one accident, (b) subject to such limit for one person, in
24 the amount of fifty thousand dollars because of bodily injury to or death
25 of two or more persons in any one accident, and (c) in the amount of
26 twenty-five thousand dollars because of injury to or destruction of
27 property of others in any one accident;

28 (14) Registration means a registration certificate ~~or certificates~~
29 and license plate ~~registration plates~~ issued under the laws of this state
30 pertaining to the registration of motor vehicles;

31 (15) State means any state, territory, or possession of the United

1 States, the District of Columbia, or any province of the Dominion of
2 Canada; and

3 (16) The forfeiture of bail, not vacated, or of collateral deposited
4 to secure an appearance for trial shall be regarded as equivalent to
5 conviction of the offense charged.

6 Sec. 58. Section 60-653, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
7 amended to read:

8 60-653 Registration shall mean the registration certificate ~~or~~
9 ~~certificates~~ and license plate ~~plates~~ issued under the Motor Vehicle
10 Registration Act.

11 Sec. 59. Section 60-683, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
12 amended to read:

13 60-683 All peace officers are hereby specifically directed and
14 authorized and it shall be deemed and considered a part of the official
15 duties of each of such officers to enforce the provisions of the Nebraska
16 Rules of the Road, including the specific enforcement of maximum speed
17 limits, and any other law regulating the operation of vehicles or the use
18 of the highways. To perform the official duties imposed by this section,
19 the Superintendent of Law Enforcement and Public Safety and all officers
20 of the Nebraska State Patrol shall have the powers stated in section
21 81-2005. All other peace officers shall have the power:

22 (1) To make arrests upon view and without warrant for any violation
23 committed in their presence of any of the provisions of the Motor Vehicle
24 Operator's License Act or of any other law regulating the operation of
25 vehicles or the use of the highways, if and when designated or called
26 upon to do so as provided by law;

27 (2) To make arrests upon view and without warrant for any violation
28 committed in their presence of any provision of the laws of this state
29 relating to misdemeanors or felonies, if and when designated or called
30 upon to do so as provided by law;

31 (3) At all times to direct all traffic in conformity with law or, in

1 the event of a fire or other emergency or in order to expedite traffic or
2 ensure ~~insure~~ safety, to direct traffic as conditions may require;

3 (4) When in uniform, to require the driver of a vehicle to stop and
4 exhibit his or her operator's license and registration certificate issued
5 for the vehicle and submit to an inspection of such vehicle and the
6 license plate ~~plates~~ and registration certificate for the vehicle and to
7 require the driver of a motor vehicle to present the vehicle within five
8 days for correction of any defects revealed by such motor vehicle
9 inspection as may lead the inspecting officer to reasonably believe that
10 such motor vehicle is being operated in violation of the statutes of
11 Nebraska or the rules and regulations of the Director of Motor Vehicles;

12 (5) To inspect any vehicle of a type required to be registered
13 according to law in any public garage or repair shop or in any place
14 where such a vehicle is held for sale or wrecking;

15 (6) To serve warrants relating to the enforcement of the laws
16 regulating the operation of vehicles or the use of the highways; and

17 (7) To investigate traffic accidents for the purpose of carrying on
18 a study of traffic accidents and enforcing motor vehicle and highway
19 safety laws.

20 Sec. 60. Section 60-6,197.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative
21 Supplement, 2014, is amended to read:

22 60-6,197.01 (1) Upon conviction for a violation described in section
23 60-6,197.06 or a second or subsequent violation of section 60-6,196 or
24 60-6,197, the court shall impose either of the following restrictions:

25 (a)(i) The court shall order all motor vehicles owned by the person
26 so convicted immobilized at the owner's expense for a period of time not
27 less than five days and not more than eight months and shall notify the
28 Department of Motor Vehicles of the period of immobilization. Any
29 immobilized motor vehicle shall be released to the holder of a bona fide
30 lien on the motor vehicle executed prior to such immobilization when
31 possession of the motor vehicle is requested as provided by law by such

1 lienholder for purposes of foreclosing and satisfying such lien. If a
2 person tows and stores a motor vehicle pursuant to this subdivision at
3 the direction of a peace officer or the court and has a lien upon such
4 motor vehicle while it is in his or her possession for reasonable towing
5 and storage charges, the person towing the vehicle has the right to
6 retain such motor vehicle until such lien is paid. For purposes of this
7 subdivision, immobilized or immobilization means revocation or
8 suspension, at the discretion of the court, of the registration of such
9 motor vehicle or motor vehicles, including the license ~~plate~~ plates; and

10 (ii)(A) Any immobilized motor vehicle shall be released by the court
11 without any legal or physical restraints to any registered owner who is
12 not the registered owner convicted of a second or subsequent violation of
13 section 60-6,196 or 60-6,197 if an affidavit is submitted to the court by
14 such registered owner stating that the affiant is employed, that the
15 motor vehicle subject to immobilization is necessary to continue that
16 employment, that such employment is necessary for the well-being of the
17 affiant's dependent children or parents, that the affiant will not
18 authorize the use of the motor vehicle by any person known by the affiant
19 to have been convicted of a second or subsequent violation of section
20 60-6,196 or 60-6,197, that affiant will immediately report to a local law
21 enforcement agency any unauthorized use of the motor vehicle by any
22 person known by the affiant to have been convicted of a second or
23 subsequent conviction of section 60-6,196 or 60-6,197, and that failure
24 to release the motor vehicle would cause undue hardship to the affiant.

25 (B) A registered owner who executes an affidavit pursuant to
26 subdivision (1)(a)(ii)(A) of this section which is acted upon by the
27 court and who fails to immediately report an unauthorized use of the
28 motor vehicle which is the subject of the affidavit is guilty of a Class
29 IV misdemeanor and may not file any additional affidavits pursuant to
30 subdivision (1)(a)(ii)(A) of this section.

31 (C) The department shall adopt and promulgate rules and regulations

1 to implement the provisions of subdivision (1)(a) of this section; or

2 (b) As an alternative to subdivision (1)(a) of this section, the
3 court shall order the convicted person, in order to operate a motor
4 vehicle, to obtain an ignition interlock permit and install an ignition
5 interlock device on each motor vehicle owned or operated by the convicted
6 person if he or she was sentenced to an operator's license revocation of
7 at least one year. If the person's operator's license has been revoked
8 for at least a one-year period, after a minimum of a forty-five-day no
9 driving period, the person may operate a motor vehicle with an ignition
10 interlock permit and an ignition interlock device pursuant to this
11 subdivision and shall retain the ignition interlock permit and ignition
12 interlock device for not less than a one-year period or the period of
13 revocation ordered by the court, whichever is longer. No ignition
14 interlock permit may be issued until sufficient evidence is presented to
15 the department that an ignition interlock device is installed on each
16 vehicle and that the applicant is eligible for use of an ignition
17 interlock device. If the person has an ignition interlock device
18 installed as required under this subdivision, the person shall not be
19 eligible for reinstatement of his or her operator's license until he or
20 she has had the ignition interlock device installed for the period
21 ordered by the court.

22 (2) In addition to the restrictions required by subdivision (1)(b)
23 of this section, the court may require a person convicted of a second or
24 subsequent violation of section 60-6,196 or 60-6,197 to use a continuous
25 alcohol monitoring device and abstain from alcohol use for a period of
26 time not to exceed the maximum term of license revocation ordered by the
27 court. A continuous alcohol monitoring device shall not be ordered for a
28 person convicted of a second or subsequent violation unless the
29 installation of an ignition interlock device is also required.

30 Sec. 61. Section 60-1306, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
31 amended to read:

1 60-1306 The carrier enforcement officers shall have the power (1) of
2 peace officers solely for the purpose of enforcing the International Fuel
3 Tax Agreement Act and the provisions of law relating to the size, weight,
4 and load and the Motor Vehicle Registration Act pertaining to buses,
5 motor trucks, truck-tractors, semitrailers, trailers, and towed vehicles,
6 (2) when in uniform, to require the driver thereof to stop and exhibit
7 his or her operator's license and registration issued for the vehicle and
8 submit to an inspection of such vehicle, the license plate ~~plates~~, the
9 registration thereon, and licenses and permits required under the motor
10 fuel laws, (3) to make arrests upon view and without warrant for any
11 violation committed in their presence of the provisions of the Motor
12 Vehicle Operator's License Act or of any other law regulating the
13 operation of vehicles or the use of the highways while in the performance
14 of their duties referred to in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this section
15 and of sections 60-1308, 60-1309, and 75-362 to 75-369.07, (4) to make
16 arrests upon view and without warrant for any violation committed in
17 their presence which is a misdemeanor or felony under the laws of this
18 state while in the performance of their duties referred to in
19 subdivisions (1) and (2) of this section and of sections 60-1308,
20 60-1309, and 75-362 to 75-369.07, and (5) to make arrests on warrant for
21 any violation which is a misdemeanor or felony under the laws of this
22 state while in the performance of their duties referred to in
23 subdivisions (1) and (2) of this section and of sections 60-1308,
24 60-1309, and 75-362 to 75-369.07.

25 Any funds used to arm carrier enforcement officers shall be paid
26 solely from the Carrier Enforcement Cash Fund. The amount of funds shall
27 be determined by the Superintendent of Law Enforcement and Public Safety.

28 Sec. 62. Section 60-1901, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
29 2014, is amended to read:

30 60-1901 (1) A motor vehicle is an abandoned vehicle:

31 (a) If left unattended, with no license plate ~~plates~~ or valid In

1 Transit sticker stickers issued pursuant to the Motor Vehicle
2 Registration Act affixed thereto, for more than six hours on any public
3 property;

4 (b) If left unattended for more than twenty-four hours on any public
5 property, except a portion thereof on which parking is legally permitted;

6 (c) If left unattended for more than forty-eight hours, after the
7 parking of such vehicle has become illegal, if left on a portion of any
8 public property on which parking is legally permitted;

9 (d) If left unattended for more than seven days on private property
10 if left initially without permission of the owner, or after permission of
11 the owner is terminated;

12 (e) If left for more than thirty days in the custody of a law
13 enforcement agency after the agency has sent a letter to the last-
14 registered owner under section 60-1903.01; or

15 (f) If removed from private property by a municipality pursuant to a
16 municipal ordinance.

17 (2) An all-terrain vehicle, a utility-type vehicle, or a minibike is
18 an abandoned vehicle:

19 (a) If left unattended for more than twenty-four hours on any public
20 property, except a portion thereof on which parking is legally permitted;

21 (b) If left unattended for more than forty-eight hours, after the
22 parking of such vehicle has become illegal, if left on a portion of any
23 public property on which parking is legally permitted;

24 (c) If left unattended for more than seven days on private property
25 if left initially without permission of the owner, or after permission of
26 the owner is terminated;

27 (d) If left for more than thirty days in the custody of a law
28 enforcement agency after the agency has sent a letter to the last-
29 registered owner under section 60-1903.01; or

30 (e) If removed from private property by a municipality pursuant to a
31 municipal ordinance.

1 (3) A mobile home is an abandoned vehicle if left in place on
2 private property for more than thirty days after a local governmental
3 unit, pursuant to an ordinance or resolution, has sent a certified letter
4 to each of the last-registered owners and posted a notice on the mobile
5 home, stating that the mobile home is subject to sale or auction or
6 vesting of title as set forth in section 60-1903.

7 (4) For purposes of this section:

8 (a) Mobile home means a movable or portable dwelling constructed to
9 be towed on its own chassis, connected to utilities, and designed with or
10 without a permanent foundation for year-round living. It may consist of
11 one or more units that can be telescoped when towed and expanded later
12 for additional capacity, or of two or more units, separately towable but
13 designed to be joined into one integral unit, and shall include a
14 manufactured home as defined in section 71-4603. Mobile home does not
15 include a mobile home or manufactured home for which an affidavit of
16 affixture has been recorded pursuant to section 60-169;

17 (b) Public property means any public right-of-way, street, highway,
18 alley, or park or other state, county, or municipally owned property; and

19 (c) Private property means any privately owned property which is not
20 included within the definition of public property.

21 (5) No motor vehicle subject to forfeiture under section 28-431
22 shall be an abandoned vehicle under this section.

23 Sec. 63. Section 60-1902, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
24 amended to read:

25 60-1902 If an abandoned vehicle, at the time of abandonment, has no
26 license ~~plate~~ ~~plates~~ of the current year or valid In Transit sticker
27 ~~stickers~~ issued pursuant to section 60-376 affixed and is of a wholesale
28 value, taking into consideration the condition of the vehicle, of two
29 hundred fifty dollars or less, title shall immediately vest in the local
30 authority or state agency having jurisdiction thereof as provided in
31 section 60-1904. Any certificate of title issued under this section to

1 the local authority or state agency shall be issued at no cost to such
2 authority or agency.

3 Sec. 64. Section 60-1903, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
4 amended to read:

5 60-1903 (1) Except for vehicles governed by section 60-1902, the
6 local authority or state agency having custody of an abandoned vehicle
7 shall make an inquiry concerning the last-registered owner of such
8 vehicle as follows:

9 (a) Abandoned vehicle with license plate ~~plates~~ affixed, to the
10 jurisdiction which issued such license plate ~~plates~~; or

11 (b) Abandoned vehicle with no license plate ~~plates~~ affixed, to the
12 Department of Motor Vehicles.

13 (2) The local authority or state agency shall notify the last-
14 registered owner, if any, that the vehicle in question has been
15 determined to be an abandoned vehicle and that, if unclaimed, either (a)
16 it will be sold or will be offered at public auction after five days from
17 the date such notice was mailed or (b) title will vest in the local
18 authority or state agency thirty days after the date such notice was
19 mailed. If the agency described in subdivision (1)(a) or (b) of this
20 section also notifies the local authority or state agency that a lien or
21 mortgage exists, such notice shall also be sent to the lienholder or
22 mortgagee. Any person claiming such vehicle shall be required to pay the
23 cost of removal and storage of such vehicle.

24 (3) Title to an abandoned vehicle, if unclaimed, shall vest in the
25 local authority or state agency (a) five days after the date the notice
26 is mailed if the vehicle will be sold or offered at public auction under
27 subdivision (2)(a) of this section, (b) thirty days after the date the
28 notice is mailed if the local authority or state agency will retain the
29 vehicle, or (c) if the last-registered owner cannot be ascertained, when
30 notice of such fact is received.

31 (4) After title to the abandoned vehicle vests pursuant to

1 subsection (3) of this section, the local authority or state agency may
2 retain for use, sell, or auction the abandoned vehicle. If the local
3 authority or state agency has determined that the vehicle should be
4 retained for use, the local authority or state agency shall, at the same
5 time that the notice, if any, is mailed, publish in a newspaper of
6 general circulation in the jurisdiction an announcement that the local
7 authority or state agency intends to retain the abandoned vehicle for its
8 use and that title will vest in the local authority or state agency
9 thirty days after the publication.

10 Sec. 65. Section 60-1908, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
11 amended to read:

12 60-1908 No person other than one authorized by the appropriate local
13 authority or state agency shall destroy, deface, or remove any part of a
14 vehicle which is left unattended on a highway or other public place
15 without a license plate ~~plates~~ affixed or which is abandoned. Anyone
16 violating this section shall be guilty of a Class V misdemeanor.

17 Sec. 66. Section 66-1406.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
18 2014, is amended to read:

19 66-1406.02 (1) The director may suspend, revoke, cancel, or refuse
20 to issue or renew a license under the International Fuel Tax Agreement
21 Act:

22 (a) If the applicant's or licensee's registration certificate issued
23 pursuant to the International Registration Plan Act has been suspended,
24 revoked, or canceled or the director refused to issue or renew such
25 certificate;

26 (b) If the applicant or licensee is in violation of sections 75-392
27 to 75-399;

28 (c) If the applicant's or licensee's security has been canceled;

29 (d) If the applicant or licensee failed to provide additional
30 security as required;

31 (e) If the applicant or licensee failed to file any report or return

1 required by the motor fuel laws, filed an incomplete report or return
2 required by the motor fuel laws, did not file any report or return
3 required by the motor fuel laws electronically, or did not file a report
4 or return required by the motor fuel laws on time;

5 (f) If the applicant or licensee failed to pay taxes required by the
6 motor fuel laws due within the time provided;

7 (g) If the applicant or licensee filed any false report, return,
8 statement, or affidavit, required by the motor fuel laws, knowing it to
9 be false;

10 (h) If the applicant or licensee would no longer be eligible to
11 obtain a license; or

12 (i) If the applicant or licensee committed any other violation of
13 the International Fuel Tax Agreement Act or the rules and regulations
14 adopted and promulgated under the act.

15 (2) Prior to taking any action pursuant to subsection (1) of this
16 section, the director shall notify and advise the applicant or licensee
17 of the proposed action and the reasons for such action in writing, by
18 regular United States mail, to his or her last-known business address as
19 shown on the application or license. The notice shall also include an
20 advisement of the procedures in subsection (3) of this section.

21 (3) The applicant or licensee may, within thirty days after the
22 mailing of the notice, petition the director in writing for a hearing to
23 contest the proposed action. The hearing shall be commenced in accordance
24 with the rules and regulations adopted and promulgated by the Department
25 of Motor Vehicles. If a petition is filed, the director shall, within
26 twenty days after receipt of the petition, set a hearing date at which
27 the applicant or licensee may show cause why the proposed action should
28 not be taken. The director shall give the applicant or licensee
29 reasonable notice of the time and place of the hearing. If the director's
30 decision is adverse to the applicant or licensee, the applicant or
31 licensee may appeal the decision in accordance with the Administrative

1 Procedure Act.

2 (4) Except as provided in subsection (2) of section 60-3,205 and
3 subsection (8) of this section, the filing of the petition shall stay any
4 action by the director until a hearing is held and a final decision and
5 order is issued.

6 (5) Except as provided in subsection (2) of section 60-3,205 and
7 subsection (8) of this section, if no petition is filed at the expiration
8 of thirty days after the date on which the notification was mailed, the
9 director may take the proposed action described in the notice.

10 (6) Except as provided in subsection (2) of section 60-3,205 and
11 subsection (8) of this section, if, in the judgment of the director, the
12 applicant or licensee has complied with or is no longer in violation of
13 the provisions for which the director took action under this section, the
14 director may reinstate the license without delay. An applicant for
15 reinstatement, issuance, or renewal of a license within three years after
16 the date of suspension, revocation, cancellation, or refusal to issue or
17 renew shall submit a fee of one hundred dollars to the director. The
18 director shall remit the fee to the State Treasurer for credit to the
19 Highway Cash Fund.

20 (7) Suspension of, revocation of, cancellation of, or refusal to
21 issue or renew a license by the director shall not relieve any person
22 from making or filing the reports or returns required by the motor fuel
23 laws in the manner or within the time required.

24 (8) Any person who receives notice from the director of action taken
25 pursuant to subsection (1) of this section shall, within three business
26 days, return such registration certificate and license plate ~~plates~~
27 issued pursuant to section 60-3,198 to the department. If any person
28 fails to return the registration certificate and license plate ~~plates~~ to
29 the department, the department shall notify the Nebraska State Patrol
30 that any such person is in violation of this section.

31 Sec. 67. Section 80-414, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is

1 amended to read:

2 80-414 (1) The Department of Veterans' Affairs shall create and
3 maintain a registry of residents of Nebraska who meet the requirements of
4 subdivision (1)(a) or (b) of section 60-3,122.04 or subsection (1) of
5 section 60-4,189. The Department of Veterans' Affairs may adopt and
6 promulgate rules and regulations governing the establishment and
7 maintenance of the registry. The registry may be used to assist the
8 department in carrying out the duties of the department and shall provide
9 for the collection of sufficient information to identify an individual
10 who qualifies for a Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ or a notation of
11 "veteran" on his or her operator's license or state identification card
12 issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles. The registry may include
13 information such as identifying information on an individual, an
14 individual's records on active duty in the armed forces of the United
15 States, or an individual's status of active duty, retired, discharged, or
16 other.

17 (2) Any resident of Nebraska who meets the requirements of
18 subdivision (1)(a) or (b) of section 60-3,122.04 or subsection (1) of
19 section 60-4,189 shall register with the Department of Veterans' Affairs
20 using the registry created by this section before being eligible for a
21 Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ or a notation of "veteran" on his or her
22 operator's license or state identification card issued by the Department
23 of Motor Vehicles. No person shall be deemed eligible until his or her
24 status has been verified on the registry.

25 (3) The Department of Motor Vehicles may adopt and promulgate rules
26 and regulations governing use of the registry of the Department of
27 Veterans' Affairs for determination of eligibility for the issuance of a
28 Military Honor Plate ~~Plates~~ or the notation of "veteran" on operators'
29 licenses and state identification cards.

30 Sec. 68. Section 81-2005, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
31 amended to read:

1 81-2005 ~~The On and after July 20, 2002,~~ the Superintendent of Law
2 Enforcement and Public Safety and all officers of the Nebraska State
3 Patrol, except all carrier enforcement officers assigned to the carrier
4 enforcement division, shall have the power:

5 (1) Of peace officers for the purpose of enforcing the Motor Vehicle
6 Operator's License Act, the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, the Nebraska
7 Rules of the Road, and any other law regulating the registration or
8 operation of vehicles or the use of the highways;

9 (2) To make arrests upon view and without warrant for any violation
10 committed in their presence of any of the provisions of the Motor Vehicle
11 Operator's License Act, the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, the Nebraska
12 Rules of the Road, or any other law regulating the operation of vehicles
13 or the use of the highways, if and when designated or called upon to do
14 so as provided by law;

15 (3) To make arrests upon view and without warrant for any violation
16 committed in their presence of any provision of the laws of the state
17 relating to misdemeanors or felonies, if and when designated or called
18 upon to do so as provided by law;

19 (4) At all times to direct all traffic in conformity with law or, in
20 the event of a fire or other emergency or in order to expedite traffic or
21 ensure ~~insure~~ safety, to direct traffic as conditions may require
22 notwithstanding the provisions of law;

23 (5) When in uniform, to require the driver of a vehicle to stop and
24 exhibit his or her operator's license and registration card issued for
25 the vehicle and submit to an inspection of such vehicle and the license
26 plate ~~plates~~ and registration card thereon and to require the drivers of
27 motor vehicles to present such vehicles within five days for correction
28 of any defects revealed by such motor vehicle inspection as may lead the
29 inspecting officer to reasonably believe that such motor vehicle is being
30 operated in violation of the statutes of Nebraska or the rules and
31 regulations of the Director of Motor Vehicles;

1 (6) To inspect any vehicle of a type required to be registered under
2 the Motor Vehicle Registration Act in any public garage or repair shop or
3 in any place where such vehicles are held for sale or wrecking;

4 (7) To serve warrants relating to the enforcement of the laws
5 regulating the operation of vehicles or the use of the highways;

6 (8) To investigate traffic accidents for the purpose of carrying on
7 a study of traffic accidents and enforcing motor vehicle and highway
8 safety laws; and

9 (9) To operate weighing stations and portable scales and to perform
10 carrier enforcement powers and duties prescribed in sections 60-1301 to
11 60-1309.

12 Carrier enforcement officers appointed to the carrier enforcement
13 division before July 20, 2002, shall have the powers and duties
14 prescribed in sections 60-1301 to 60-1309.

15 Sec. 69. This act becomes operative on January 1, 2017.

16 Sec. 70. Original sections 18-1737, 60-308, 60-370, 60-373, 60-374,
17 60-378, 60-380, 60-392, 60-399, 60-3,101, 60-3,102, 60-3,105, 60-3,106,
18 60-3,107, 60-3,108, 60-3,126, 60-3,130, 60-3,130.01, 60-3,130.02,
19 60-3,130.05, 60-3,134, 60-3,135, 60-3,150, 60-3,167, 60-3,175, 60-3,183,
20 60-3,222, 60-653, 60-683, 60-1306, 60-1902, 60-1903, 60-1908, 80-414, and
21 81-2005, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 18-1736, 60-163,
22 60-180, 60-397, 60-398, 60-3,104.01, 60-3,109, 60-3,119, 60-3,120,
23 60-3,121, 60-3,122.02, 60-3,122.04, 60-3,123, 60-3,125, 60-3,128,
24 60-3,147, 60-3,157, 60-3,205, 60-3,221, 60-6,197.01, 60-1901, and
25 66-1406.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014, and sections
26 60-366, 60-376, 60-395, 60-396, 60-3,100, 60-3,113, 60-3,122, 60-3,124,
27 60-3,130.04, 60-3,224, and 60-501, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015, are
28 repealed.