

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 4630

(As amended June 11, 2014)

<<A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled
"Michigan vehicle code,"
by amending sections 217, 224, 226, 234, 255, 256, 312c, 312e,
801, 801b, 801e, 801g, 801j, 802, 803, 803a, 803b, 803e, 803g,
806, 807, 809, 811, and 812 (MCL 257.217, 257.224, 257.226,
257.234, 257.255, 257.256, 257.312c, 257.312e, 257.801, 257.801b,
257.801e, 257.801g, 257.801j, 257.802, 257.803, 257.803a,
257.803b, 257.803e, 257.803g, 257.806, 257.807, 257.809, 257.811,
and 257.812), sections 217 and 801 as amended and section 801j as
added by 2012 PA 498, section 224 as amended by 2013 PA 179,
section 226 as amended by 2004 PA 163, section 234 as amended by
2002 PA 552, section 255 as amended by 2003 PA 9, section 256 as
amended by 1987 PA 34, section 312c as amended by 2003 PA 103,

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 sections 312e, 801g, 802, 803b, 806, and 809 as amended by 2011
 PA 159, section 801b as amended by 1986 PA 311, section 801e as
 amended by 1983 PA 91, section 803 as amended by 2002 PA 490,
 section 803a as amended by 1996 PA 404, section 803e as amended
 by 2011 PA 46, section 803g as added by 1987 PA 151, section 807
 as amended by 2003 PA 152, section 811 as amended by 2006 PA 589,
 and section 812 as amended by 2005 PA 142; and to repeal acts and
 parts of acts.>>

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Sec. 217. (1) An owner of a vehicle that is subject to
 2 registration under this act shall apply to the secretary of
 3 state, upon an appropriate form furnished by the secretary of
 4 state, for the registration of the vehicle and issuance of a
 5 certificate of title for the vehicle. A vehicle brought into this
 6 state from another state or jurisdiction that has a rebuilt,
 7 salvage, scrap, flood, or comparable certificate of title issued
 8 by that other state or jurisdiction shall be issued a rebuilt,
 9 salvage, scrap, or flood certificate of title by the secretary of
 10 state. The application shall be accompanied by the required fee.
 11 An application for a certificate of title shall bear the
 12 signature or verification and certification of the owner. The
 13 application shall contain all of the following:
 14 (a) The owner's name, the owner's bona fide residence, and
 15 either of the following:
 16 (i) If the owner is an individual, the owner's mailing
 17 address.
 18 (ii) If the owner is a firm, association, partnership,

1 limited liability company, or corporation, the owner's business
2 address.

3 (b) A description of the vehicle including the make or name,
4 style of body, and model year; the number of miles, not including
5 the tenths of a mile, registered on the vehicle's odometer at the
6 time of transfer; whether the vehicle is a flood vehicle or
7 another state previously issued the vehicle a flood certificate
8 of title; whether the vehicle is to be or has been used as a taxi
9 or police vehicle, or by a political subdivision of this state,
10 unless the vehicle is owned by a dealer and loaned or leased to a
11 political subdivision of this state for use as a driver education
12 vehicle; whether the vehicle has previously been issued a salvage
13 or rebuilt certificate of title from this state or a comparable
14 certificate of title from any other state or jurisdiction;
15 vehicle identification number; and the vehicle's weight fully
16 equipped, if a passenger vehicle registered ~~in accordance with~~
17 **UNDER** section 801(1)(a), and, if a trailer coach or pickup
18 camper, in addition to the weight, the manufacturer's serial
19 number, or in the absence of the serial number, a number assigned
20 by the secretary of state. A number assigned by the secretary of
21 state shall be permanently placed on the trailer coach or pickup
22 camper in the manner and place designated by the secretary of
23 state.

24 (c) A statement of the applicant's title and the names and
25 addresses of the holders of security interests in the vehicle and
26 in an accessory to the vehicle, in the order of their priority.

27 (d) Further information that the secretary of state

1 reasonably requires to enable the secretary of state to determine
2 whether the vehicle is lawfully entitled to registration and the
3 owner entitled to a certificate of title. If the secretary of
4 state is not satisfied as to the ownership of a vehicle having a
5 value over \$2,500.00 or that is less than 10 years old, before
6 registering the vehicle and issuing a certificate of title, the
7 secretary of state may require the applicant to file a properly
8 executed surety bond in a form prescribed by the secretary of
9 state and executed by the applicant and a company authorized to
10 conduct a surety business in this state. The bond shall be in an
11 amount equal to twice the value of the vehicle as determined by
12 the secretary of state and shall be conditioned to indemnify or
13 reimburse the secretary of state, any prior owner, and any
14 subsequent purchaser or lessee of the vehicle and their
15 successors in interest against any expense, loss, or damage,
16 including reasonable attorney's fees, by reason of the issuance
17 of a certificate of title for the vehicle or on account of any
18 defect in the right, title, or interest of the applicant in the
19 vehicle. An interested person has a right of action to recover on
20 the bond for a breach of the conditions of the bond, but the
21 aggregate liability of the surety to all persons shall not exceed
22 the amount of the bond. If the secretary of state is not
23 satisfied as to the ownership of a vehicle that is valued at
24 \$2,500.00 or less and that is 10 years old or older, the
25 secretary of state shall require the applicant to certify that
26 the applicant is the owner of the vehicle and entitled to
27 register and title the vehicle.

1 (e) Except as provided in subdivision (f), **THE APPLICANT**
2 **SHALL ATTACH A SCALE WEIGHT RECEIPT OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE FULLY**
3 **EQUIPPED AS OF THE TIME THE APPLICATION IS MADE TO** an application
4 for a commercial vehicle. ~~shall also have attached a scale weight~~
5 ~~receipt of the motor vehicle fully equipped as of the time the~~
6 ~~application is made.~~ A scale weight receipt is not necessary if
7 ~~there is presented~~ **THE APPLICANT PRESENTS** with the application a
8 registration receipt of the previous year that shows on its face
9 the empty weight of the motor vehicle as registered with the
10 secretary of state ~~that is accompanied by~~ **AND** a statement of the
11 applicant that there has not been structural change in the motor
12 vehicle that has increased the empty weight and that the previous
13 registered weight is the true weight.

14 (f) An application for registration of a vehicle on the
15 basis of elected gross weight shall include a declaration by the
16 applicant specifying the elected gross weight for which **THE**
17 application is being made.

18 (g) If the application is for a certificate of title of a
19 motor vehicle registered ~~in accordance with~~ **UNDER** section
20 ~~801(1)(p),~~ **801(1)(I)**, the application shall include the
21 manufacturer's suggested base list price for the model year of
22 the vehicle. ~~Annually, the secretary of state shall publish a~~
23 ~~list of the manufacturer's suggested base list price for each~~
24 ~~vehicle being manufactured. Once a base list price is published~~
25 ~~by the secretary of state for a model year for a vehicle, the~~
26 ~~base list price shall not be affected by subsequent increases in~~
27 ~~the manufacturer's suggested base list price but shall remain the~~

1 ~~same throughout the model year unless changed in the annual list~~
2 ~~published by the secretary of state. If the secretary of state's~~
3 ~~list has not been published for that vehicle by the time of the~~
4 ~~application for registration, the base list price shall be the~~
5 ~~manufacturer's suggested retail price as shown on the label~~
6 ~~required to be affixed to the vehicle under 15 USC 1232. If the~~
7 ~~manufacturer's suggested retail price is unavailable, the~~
8 ~~application shall list the purchase price of the vehicle as~~
9 ~~defined in section 801.~~

10 (2) An applicant for registration of a leased pickup truck
11 or passenger vehicle that is subject to registration under this
12 act, except a vehicle that is subject to a registration fee under
13 section 801g, shall disclose in writing to the secretary of state
14 the lessee's name, the lessee's bona fide residence, and either
15 of the following:

16 (a) If the lessee is an individual, the lessee's Michigan
17 ~~driver-OPERATOR'S~~ license number or Michigan personal
18 identification number or, if the lessee does not have a Michigan
19 ~~driver-OPERATOR'S~~ license or Michigan personal identification
20 number, the lessee's mailing address.

21 (b) If the lessee is a firm, association, partnership,
22 limited liability company, or corporation, the lessee's business
23 address.

24 (3) The secretary of state shall maintain the information
25 described in subsection (2) on the secretary of state's computer
26 records.

27 (4) Except as provided in subsection (5), a dealer selling,

1 leasing, or exchanging vehicles required to be titled, within 15
2 days after delivering a vehicle to the purchaser or lessee, and a
3 person engaged in the sale of vessels required to be numbered by
4 part 801 of the natural resources and environmental protection
5 act, 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.80101 to 324.80199, within 15 days
6 after delivering a boat trailer weighing less than 2,500 pounds
7 to the purchaser or lessee, shall apply to the secretary of state
8 for a new title, if required, and transfer or secure registration
9 plates and secure a certificate of registration for the vehicle
10 or boat trailer, in the name of the purchaser or lessee. The
11 dealer's license may be suspended or revoked in accordance with
12 section 249 for failure to apply for a title when required or for
13 failure to transfer or secure registration plates and certificate
14 of registration within the 15 days required by this section. If
15 the dealer or person fails to apply for a title when required,
16 and to transfer or secure registration plates and secure a
17 certificate of registration and pay the required fees within 15
18 days of delivery of the vehicle or boat trailer, a title and
19 registration for the vehicle or boat trailer may subsequently be
20 acquired only upon the payment of a late transfer fee of \$15.00
21 for an individual or a dealer other than a dealer subject to
22 section 235b in addition to the fees specified in section 806.
23 For a used or secondhand vehicle dealer subject to section 235b,
24 the late transfer fee is \$100.00 in addition to the fees
25 specified in section 806. The purchaser or lessee of the vehicle
26 or the purchaser of the boat trailer shall sign the application,
27 including, if applicable, the declaration specifying the maximum

1 elected gross weight as required by subsection (1)(f), and other
2 necessary papers to enable the dealer or person to secure the
3 title, registration plates, and transfers from the secretary of
4 state. If the secretary of state mails or delivers a purchaser's
5 certificate of title to a dealer, the dealer shall mail or
6 deliver the certificate of title to the purchaser not more than 5
7 days after receiving the certificate of title from the secretary
8 of state.

9 (5) A dealer selling or exchanging an off lease or buy back
10 vehicle shall apply to the secretary of state for a new title for
11 the vehicle within 15 days after it receives the certificate of
12 title from the lessor or manufacturer under section 235 or
13 section 235b and transfer or secure registration plates and
14 secure a certificate of registration for the vehicle in the name
15 of the purchaser. The dealer's license may be suspended or
16 revoked in accordance with section 249 for failure to apply for a
17 title when required or for failure to transfer or secure
18 registration plates and certificate of registration within the
19 15-day period. If the dealer or person fails to apply for a title
20 when required, and to transfer or secure registration plates and
21 secure a certificate of registration and pay the required fees
22 within the 15-day time period, a title and registration for the
23 vehicle may subsequently be acquired only upon the payment of a
24 late transfer fee of \$15.00 for an individual or dealer other
25 than a used or secondhand vehicle dealer subject to section 235b
26 in addition to the fees specified in section 806. The late
27 transfer fee for a used or secondhand vehicle dealer subject to

1 section 235b is \$100.00 in addition to the fees specified in
2 section 806. The purchaser of the vehicle shall sign the
3 application, including, if applicable, the declaration specifying
4 the maximum elected gross weight as required by subsection
5 (1)(f), and other necessary papers to enable the dealer or person
6 to secure the title, registration plates, and transfers from the
7 secretary of state. If the secretary of state mails or delivers a
8 purchaser's certificate of title to a dealer, the dealer shall
9 mail or deliver the certificate of title to the purchaser not
10 more than 5 days after receiving the certificate of title from
11 the secretary of state.

12 (6) If a vehicle is delivered to a purchaser or lessee who
13 has valid Michigan registration plates that are to be transferred
14 to the vehicle, and an application for title, if required, and
15 registration for the vehicle is not made before delivery of the
16 vehicle to the purchaser or lessee, the registration plates shall
17 be affixed to the vehicle immediately, and the dealer shall
18 provide the purchaser or lessee with an instrument in writing, on
19 a form prescribed by the secretary of state, which shall serve as
20 a temporary registration for the vehicle for a period of 15 days
21 from the date the vehicle is delivered.

22 (7) An application for a certificate of title that indicates
23 the existence of a security interest in the vehicle or in an
24 accessory to the vehicle, if requested by the security interest
25 holder, shall be accompanied by a copy of the security agreement
26 that need not be signed. The request may be made of the seller on
27 an annual basis. The secretary of state shall indicate on the

1 copy the date and place of filing of the application and return
 2 the copy to the person submitting the application who shall
 3 forward it to the holder of the security interest named in the
 4 application.

5 (8) If the seller does not prepare the credit information,
 6 contract note, and mortgage, and the holder, finance company,
 7 credit union, or banking institution requires the installment
 8 seller to record the lien on the title, the holder, finance
 9 company, credit union, or banking institution shall pay the
 10 seller a service fee of not more than \$10.00. The service fee
 11 shall be paid from the finance charges and shall not be charged
 12 to the buyer in addition to the finance charges. The holder,
 13 finance company, credit union, or banking institution shall issue
 14 its check or bank draft for the principal amount financed,
 15 payable jointly to the buyer and seller, and ~~there shall be~~
 16 ~~imprinted on the back side of the check or bank draft~~ **SHALL BE**
 17 **IMPRINTED WITH** the following:

18 "Under Michigan law, the seller must record a first lien in
 19 favor of (name of lender) _____ on the vehicle with
 20 vehicle identification number _____ and title the
 21 vehicle only in the name(s) shown on the reverse side." On the
 22 front of the sales check or draft, the holder, finance company,
 23 credit union, or banking institution shall note the ~~name(s)~~ **NAME**
 24 **OR NAMES** of the prospective ~~owner(s)~~ **OWNER OR OWNERS**. Failure of
 25 the holder, finance company, credit union, or banking institution
 26 to comply with these requirements frees the seller from any
 27 obligation to record the lien or from any liability that may

1 arise as a result of the failure to record the lien. A service
2 fee shall not be charged to the buyer.

3 (9) In the absence of actual malice proved independently and
4 not inferred from lack of probable cause, a person who in any
5 manner causes a prosecution for larceny of a motor vehicle; for
6 embezzlement of a motor vehicle; for any crime an element of
7 which is the taking of a motor vehicle without authority; or for
8 buying, receiving, possessing, leasing, or aiding in the
9 concealment of a stolen, embezzled, or converted motor vehicle
10 knowing that the motor vehicle has been stolen, embezzled, or
11 converted, is not liable for damages in a civil action for
12 causing the prosecution. This subsection does not relieve a
13 person from proving any other element necessary to sustain his or
14 her cause of action.

15 (10) Receipt by the secretary of state of a properly
16 tendered application for a certificate of title on which a
17 security interest in a vehicle is to be indicated is a condition
18 of perfection of a security interest in the vehicle and is
19 equivalent to filing a financing statement under the uniform
20 commercial code, 1962 PA 174, MCL 440.1101 to ~~440.11102,~~
21 **440.9994**, with respect to the vehicle. When a security interest
22 in a vehicle is perfected, it has priority over the rights of a
23 lien creditor as ~~lien creditor~~ **THAT TERM** is defined in section
24 9102 of the uniform commercial code, 1962 PA 174, MCL 440.9102.

25 **(11) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT A LATE TRANSFER**
26 **FEE COLLECTED UNDER SUBSECTION (4) OR (5) INTO THE TRANSPORTATION**
27 **ADMINISTRATION COLLECTION FUND CREATED IN SECTION 810B.**

1 Sec. 224. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this act
2 regarding tabs or stickers, upon registering a vehicle, the
3 secretary of state shall issue to the owner 1 registration plate.

4 (2) A registration plate shall display the registration
5 number assigned to the vehicle for which the registration plate
6 is issued; the name of this state, which may be abbreviated; and
7 when the registration plate expires, which may be shown by a tab
8 or sticker furnished by the secretary of state.

9 (3) A registration plate issued for motor vehicles owned and
10 operated by this state; a state institution; a municipality; a
11 privately incorporated, nonprofit volunteer fire department; or a
12 nonpublic, nonprofit college or university of this state shall
13 ~~not expire at any particular time but shall be renewed when ON~~
14 ~~JUNE 30 OF the YEAR IN WHICH NEW registration plate is worn out~~
15 ~~or is illegible. PLATES ARE ISSUED FOR ALL VEHICLES BY THE~~
16 **SECRETARY OF STATE.** This registration plate shall be assigned
17 upon proper application and payment of the applicable fee and may
18 be used on any eligible vehicle titled to the applicant if a
19 written record is kept of the vehicles upon which the
20 registration plate is used. The written record shall state the
21 time the registration plate is used on a particular vehicle. The
22 record shall be open to inspection by a law enforcement officer
23 or a representative of the secretary of state.

24 (4) A registration plate issued for a vehicle owned by the
25 civil air patrol as organized under 36 USC ~~201 to 208;~~ **40301 TO**
26 **40307;** a vehicle owned by a nonprofit organization and used to
27 transport equipment for providing dialysis treatment to children

1 at camp; an emergency support vehicle used exclusively for
2 emergencies and owned and operated by a federally recognized
3 nonprofit charitable organization; a vehicle owned and operated
4 by a nonprofit veterans center; a motor vehicle having a truck
5 chassis and a locomotive or ship's body which is owned by a
6 nonprofit veterans organization and used exclusively in parades
7 and civic events; a vehicle owned and operated by a nonprofit
8 recycling center or a federally recognized nonprofit conservation
9 organization until December 31, 2000; a motor vehicle owned and
10 operated by a senior citizen center; and a registration plate
11 issued for buses including station wagons, carryalls, or
12 similarly constructed vehicles owned and operated by a nonprofit
13 parents' transportation corporation used for school purposes,
14 parochial school, society, church Sunday school, or other grammar
15 school, or by a nonprofit youth organization or nonprofit
16 rehabilitation facility shall be issued upon proper application
17 and payment of the applicable tax provided in section ~~801(1)(g)~~
18 ~~or (h)~~ **801(1)(F)** to the applicant for the vehicle identified in
19 the application. The vehicle shall be used exclusively for
20 activities of the school or organization and shall be designated
21 by proper signs showing the school or organization operating the
22 vehicle. The registration plate shall expire on December 31 in
23 the fifth year following the date of issuance. ~~The registration~~
24 ~~plate may be transferred to another vehicle upon proper~~
25 ~~application and payment of a \$10.00 transfer fee.~~

26 (5) The department shall offer a standard design
27 registration plate that complies with the requirements of this

1 act. The standard design registration plate shall be of a common
2 color scheme and design that is made of fully reflectorized
3 material and shall be clearly visible at night.

4 (6) The department may use the Pure Michigan brand or a
5 successor or similar brand that is used in conjunction with this
6 state's promotion, travel, and tourism campaigns or marketing
7 efforts as part of the standard design for registration plates.

8 (7) The registration plate and the required letters and
9 numerals on the registration plate shall be of sufficient size to
10 be plainly readable from a distance of 100 feet during daylight.
11 The secretary of state may issue a tab or tabs designating the
12 month and year of expiration.

13 (8) The secretary of state shall issue for every passenger
14 motor vehicle rented without a driver the same type of
15 registration plate as the type of registration plate issued for
16 private passenger vehicles.

17 (9) A person shall not operate a vehicle on the public
18 highways or streets of this state displaying a registration plate
19 other than the registration plate issued for the vehicle by the
20 secretary of state, except as provided in this chapter for
21 nonresidents, or by assignment as provided in subsection (3).

22 (10) The registration plate displayed on a vehicle
23 registered on the basis of elected gross weight shall indicate
24 the elected gross weight for which the vehicle is registered.

25 (11) Beginning on January 1, 2015, a registration plate
26 issued by the department under this section shall not be renewed
27 10 years after the date that registration plate was issued. The

1 owner of a vehicle whose registration plate is no longer eligible
2 for renewal under this subsection shall obtain a replacement
3 registration plate upon payment of the fee required under section
4 804. For any alphanumeric series that the department has retired
5 from circulation, upon request of the owner of a vehicle whose
6 registration plate is no longer eligible for renewal under this
7 subsection, the department may issue a new registration plate
8 with the same registration number as was displayed on the expired
9 registration plate as provided under section 803b.

10 (12) The secretary of state, in conjunction with the
11 department of corrections, the Michigan state police, the
12 Michigan sheriffs' association, 1 individual appointed by the
13 speaker of the house of representatives, and 1 individual
14 appointed by the senate majority leader, shall prepare a report
15 analyzing the viability of moving from the current registration
16 plate production process to a digital printing of registration
17 plates. The secretary of state shall submit the report to the
18 standing committees of the senate and house of representatives
19 with primary responsibility for transportation issues no later
20 than December 31, 2013.

21 Sec. 226. (1) A vehicle registration issued by the secretary
22 of state expires on the owner's birthday, unless another
23 expiration date is provided for under this act or unless the
24 registration is for the following vehicles, in which case
25 registration expires on the last day of February:

26 (a) A commercial vehicle except for a commercial vehicle
27 issued a registration under the international registration plan

1 or a pickup truck or van owned by an individual.

2 (b) Except for a trailer or semitrailer issued a
3 registration under the international registration plan, a trailer
4 or semitrailer owned by a business, corporation, or person other
5 than an individual; or a pole trailer.

6 (2) ~~Until February 1, 2005, the expiration date for a~~
7 ~~registration issued for a motorcycle is March 31. Beginning~~
8 ~~February 1, 2005, the~~ **THE** expiration date for a registration
9 issued for a motorcycle is the motorcycle owner's birthday.

10 (3) The expiration date for a registration bearing the
11 letters "SEN" or "REP" is February 1.

12 (4) In the case of a vehicle owned by a business,
13 corporation, or an owner other than an individual, the secretary
14 of state may assign or reassign the expiration date of the
15 registration.

16 (5) The secretary of state shall do all of the following:

17 (a) After the October 1 immediately preceding the year
18 designated on the registration, issue a registration upon
19 application and payment of the proper fee for a commercial
20 vehicle, other than a pickup or van owned by an individual; or a
21 trailer owned by a business, corporation, or person other than an
22 individual.

23 (b) Beginning 60 days before the expiration date assigned on
24 an international registration plan registration plate, issue a
25 registration under section 801g upon application and payment of
26 the proper apportioned fee for a commercial vehicle engaged in
27 interstate commerce.

1 (c) Beginning 45 days before the owner's birthday and 120
2 days before the expiration date assigned by the secretary of
3 state, issue a registration for a vehicle other than those
4 designated in subsection (1)(a) or (b). However, if an owner
5 whose registration period begins 45 days before his or her
6 birthday will be out of the state during the 45 days immediately
7 preceding expiration of a registration or for other good cause
8 shown cannot apply for a renewal registration within the 45-day
9 period, application for a renewal registration may be made not
10 more than 6 months before expiration.

11 (6) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the
12 secretary of state, upon application and payment of the proper
13 fee, shall issue a registration for a vehicle or a motorcycle to
14 a resident that shall expire on the owner's birthday. If the
15 owner's next birthday is at least 6 months but not more than 12
16 months in the future, the owner shall receive a registration
17 valid until the owner's next birthday. If the owner's next
18 birthday is less than 6 months in the future, the owner shall
19 receive a registration valid until the owner's birthday following
20 the owner's next birthday. The tax required under this act for a
21 registration described in this subsection shall be either of the
22 following:

23 (a) For an original registration, the tax shall bear the
24 same relationship to the tax required under section 801 for a 12-
25 month registration as the length of the registration bears to 12
26 months.

27 (b) For a renewal of a registration, either of the

1 following:

2 (i) For a registration that is for at least 6 months but not
3 more than 12 months, the same amount as for 12 months.

4 (ii) For a renewal of a registration that is for more than 12
5 months, 2 times the amount for 12 months.

6 Partial months shall be considered as whole months in the
7 calculation of the required tax and in the determination of the
8 length of time between the application for a registration and the
9 owner's next birthday. The tax required for that registration
10 shall be rounded off to whole dollars as provided in section 801.

11 (7) A certificate of title ~~shall remain~~ **REMAINS** valid until
12 canceled by the secretary of state for cause or upon a transfer
13 of an interest shown on the certificate of title.

14 (8) The secretary of state, upon request, shall issue
15 special registration for commercial vehicles, valid for 6 months
16 after the date of issue, if the full registration fee exceeds
17 \$50.00, on the payment of 1/2 the full registration fee and a
18 service charge as enumerated in section 802(1).

19 (9) The secretary of state may issue a special registration
20 for each of the following:

21 (a) A new vehicle purchased or leased outside of this state
22 and delivered in this state to the purchaser or lessee by the
23 manufacturer of that vehicle for removal to a place outside of
24 this state, if a certification is made that the vehicle will be
25 primarily used, stored, and registered outside of this state and
26 will not be returned to this state by the purchaser or lessee for
27 use or storage.

1 (b) A vehicle purchased or leased in this state and
2 delivered to the purchaser or lessee by a dealer or by the owner
3 of the vehicle for removal to a place outside of this state, if a
4 certification is made that the vehicle will be primarily used,
5 stored, and registered outside of this state and will not be
6 returned to this state by the purchaser or lessee for use or
7 storage.

8 (10) A special registration issued under subsection (9) is
9 valid for not more than 14 days after the date of issuance, and
10 **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT** a fee ~~shall be collected for~~
11 each special registration as provided in section 802(3). The
12 special registration may be in the form determined by the
13 secretary of state. If a dealer makes a retail sale or lease of a
14 vehicle to a purchaser or lessee who is qualified and eligible to
15 obtain a special registration, the dealer shall apply for the
16 special registration for the purchaser or lessee. If a person
17 other than a dealer sells or leases a vehicle to a purchaser or
18 lessee who is qualified and eligible to obtain a special
19 registration, the purchaser or lessee shall appear in person, or
20 by a person exercising the purchaser's or lessee's power of
21 attorney, at an office of the secretary of state and furnish a
22 certification that the person is the bona fide purchaser or
23 lessee or that the person has granted the power of attorney,
24 together with other forms required for the issuance of the
25 special registration and provide the secretary of state with
26 proof that the vehicle is covered by a Michigan no-fault
27 insurance policy issued ~~pursuant to~~ **UNDER** section 3101 of the

insurance code of 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.3101, or proof that the vehicle is covered by a policy of insurance issued by an insurer ~~pursuant to~~ **UNDER** section 3163 of the insurance code of 1956, 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.3163. The certification required in this subsection shall contain all of the following:

(a) The address of the purchaser or lessee.

(b) A statement that the vehicle is purchased or leased for registration outside of this state.

(c) A statement that the vehicle shall be primarily used, stored, and registered outside of this state.

(d) The name of the jurisdiction in which the vehicle is to be registered.

(e) Other information requested by the secretary of state.

~~—— (11) Upon request, the secretary of state may issue a registration valid for 6 months after the date of issuance for use on a trailer or semitrailer weighing 1,500 pounds or less and that is used for recreational purposes, upon payment of 1/2 the full registration fee imposed under section 801(1)(I). This subsection does not apply after October 1, 2003.~~

(11) ~~(12)~~ In the case of a commercial vehicle, trailer, or semitrailer issued a registration under the international registration plan, the secretary of state in mutual agreement with the owner may assign or reassign the expiration date of the registration. However, the expiration date agreed to shall be either March 31, June 30, September 30, or December 31. ~~Renewals~~ **A RENEWAL** expiring on or after September 30, 1993 shall be for a minimum of at least 12 months if there is a change in the

1 established expiration date.

2 (12) ~~(13)~~ The expiration date for a multiyear registration
3 issued for a leased vehicle shall be the date the lease expires
4 but shall not be for a period longer than 24 months.

5 Sec. 234. (1) ~~The~~ **A** purchaser or transferee, unless the
6 person is a licensed dealer, shall present ~~or cause to be~~
7 ~~presented~~ the certificate of title and registration certificate
8 if plates are being transferred to another vehicle, assigned as
9 provided in this act, to the secretary of state accompanied by
10 the fees as provided by law, ~~whereupon~~ **AND THE SECRETARY OF STATE**
11 **SHALL ISSUE** a new certificate of title and registration
12 certificate ~~shall be issued to the assignee~~. The certificate of
13 title shall be mailed or delivered to the owner or another person
14 the owner may direct in a separate instrument in a form
15 **PRESCRIBED BY** the secretary of state. ~~shall prescribe.~~

16 (2) If the secretary of state mails or delivers a
17 purchaser's or transferee's certificate of title to a dealer, the
18 dealer shall mail or deliver that certificate of title to the
19 purchaser or transferee not more than 5 days after receiving the
20 certificate of title from the secretary of state.

21 (3) Unless the transfer is made and the fee paid within 15
22 days, the vehicle is considered to be without registration, the
23 secretary of state may repossess the license plates, and transfer
24 of the vehicle ownership may be effected and a valid registration
25 acquired thereafter only upon payment of a transfer fee of \$15.00
26 in addition to the fee provided for in section 806. **THE SECRETARY**
27 **OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT A TRANSFER FEE COLLECTED UNDER THIS**

1 SUBSECTION INTO THE TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION COLLECTION FUND
2 CREATED IN SECTION 810B.

3 (4) If a security interest is reserved or created at the
4 time of the transfer, the parties shall comply with ~~the~~
5 ~~requirements of section 238.~~

6 Sec. 255. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter,
7 a person shall not operate, nor shall an owner knowingly permit
8 to be operated, upon any highway, a vehicle required to be
9 registered under this act unless there is attached to and
10 displayed on the vehicle, as required by this chapter, a valid
11 registration plate issued for the vehicle by the department for
12 the current registration year. A registration plate ~~shall~~ **IS** not
13 ~~be~~ required upon any wrecked or disabled vehicle, or vehicle
14 destined for repair or junking, ~~which~~ **THAT** is being transported
15 or drawn upon a highway by a wrecker or a registered motor
16 vehicle.

17 (2) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a person
18 who violates subsection (1) is responsible for a civil
19 infraction. However, if the vehicle is a commercial vehicle ~~which~~
20 **THAT** is required to be registered according to the schedule of
21 elected gross vehicle weights under section ~~801(1)(k),~~ **801(1)(G),**
22 the person is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment
23 for not more than 90 days or a fine of not more than \$500.00, or
24 both.

25 (3) A person who operates a vehicle licensed under the
26 international registration plan and does not have a valid
27 registration due to nonpayment of the apportioned fee is guilty

1 of a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90
 2 days, or by a fine of not more than \$100.00, or both. In
 3 addition, a police officer may impound the vehicle until a valid
 4 registration is obtained. If the vehicle is impounded, the towing
 5 and storage costs of the vehicle, and the care or preservation of
 6 the load in the vehicle shall be the owner's responsibility.

7 Vehicles impounded ~~shall be~~ **ARE** subject to a lien in the amount
 8 of the apportioned fee and any fine and costs incurred under this
 9 subsection, subject to a valid lien of prior record. If the
 10 apportioned fee, fine, and costs are not paid within 90 days
 11 after impoundment, then following a hearing before the judge or
 12 magistrate who imposed the fine and costs, the judge or
 13 magistrate shall certify the unpaid judgment to the prosecuting
 14 attorney of the county in which the violation occurred. The
 15 prosecuting attorney shall enforce the lien by foreclosure sale
 16 in accordance with the procedure authorized by law for chattel
 17 mortgage foreclosures.

18 Sec. 256. (1) A person shall not lend to another person, or
 19 knowingly permit the use of, any certificate of title,
 20 registration certificate, registration plate, special plate, or
 21 permit issued to him or her if the person receiving or using the
 22 certificate of title, registration certificate, registration
 23 plate, special plate, or permit would not be entitled to the use
 24 thereof. **OF THE CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE,**
 25 **REGISTRATION PLATE, SPECIAL PLATE, OR PERMIT.** A person shall not
 26 carry or display upon a vehicle any registration certificate or
 27 registration plate not issued for the vehicle or not otherwise

1 lawfully used under this act.

2 (2) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a person
3 who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable
4 by imprisonment for not more than 90 days, or by a fine of not
5 more than \$100.00, or both.

6 (3) A person who displays **A REGISTRATION PLATE NOT ISSUED**
7 **FOR THE VEHICLE OR THAT IS OTHERWISE UNLAWFUL UNDER THIS ACT** upon
8 a commercial vehicle ~~which~~ **THAT** is required to be registered
9 according to the schedule of elected gross vehicle weights under
10 section ~~801(1)(k) any registration plate not issued for the~~
11 ~~vehicle or not otherwise lawfully used under this act~~ **801(1)(G)**
12 is guilty of a misdemeanor ~~—~~ punishable by imprisonment for not
13 more than 90 days ~~—~~ or by a fine of not more than \$500.00, or
14 both.

15 Sec. 312c. (1) Every application for a motorcycle
16 endorsement on an operator's or chauffeur's license for operation
17 of motorcycles as provided in section 312a shall be accompanied
18 by the following fees, which shall be in addition to any other
19 original or renewal operator or chauffeur license fee:

20	Original motorcycle endorsement.....	\$	13.50
21	Renewal of motorcycle endorsement.....	\$	5.00

22 (2) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the
23 money received and collected under this section shall be
24 deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the general
25 fund. The secretary of state shall refund out of the fees

collected to each county or municipality ~~—acting as an examining officer or examining bureau, \$3.00 for each applicant examined for a first endorsement to a 3- or 4-year operator's or chauffeur's license, \$2.50 for each original endorsement to a 2-year operator's or chauffeur's license, \$1.50 for each renewal endorsement to a 2-year operator's or chauffeur's license, and \$1.50 for every other applicant examined whose application is not denied.~~ ~~—on the condition, however, that the money~~ **MONEY**

refunded TO A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY ACTING AS AN EXAMINING OFFICER OR EXAMINING BUREAU shall be paid to the county or local treasurer and is appropriated to the county, municipality, or officer or bureau receiving the money for the purpose of carrying out this act. Ten dollars of each original motorcycle endorsement and \$3.00 of each renewal motorcycle endorsement shall be placed in a motorcycle safety fund in the state treasury and shall be used only by the secretary of state for the motorcycle safety education program as provided under section 811a. **MONEY IN THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FUND AT THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEAR SHALL REMAIN IN THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FUND AND SHALL NOT LAPSE TO THE GENERAL FUND.**

Sec. 312e. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a person, before operating a commercial motor vehicle, shall obtain the required vehicle group designation as follows:

(a) A person, before operating a combination of vehicles with a gross combination weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more including a towed vehicle with a gross vehicle weight rating of more than 10,000 pounds, shall procure a group A vehicle

1 designation on his or her operator's or chauffeur's license.
2 Unless an indorsement or the removal of restrictions is required,
3 a person licensed to operate a group A vehicle may operate a
4 group B or C vehicle without taking another test.

5 (b) A person, before operating a vehicle having a gross
6 vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or more, shall procure a
7 group B vehicle designation on his or her operator's or
8 chauffeur's license. Unless an indorsement or the removal of
9 restrictions is required, a person licensed to operate a group B
10 vehicle may operate a group C vehicle without taking another
11 test.

12 (c) A person, before operating a single vehicle or a
13 combination of vehicles that fits the definition of small vehicle
14 (group C) under 49 CFR 383.91(a)(3) shall procure a group C
15 vehicle designation and a hazardous material or passenger vehicle
16 indorsement on his or her operator's or chauffeur's license.

17 (2) An applicant for a vehicle group designation shall take
18 knowledge and driving skills tests that comply with minimum
19 federal standards prescribed in 49 CFR part 383 as required under
20 this act.

21 (3) The license shall be issued, suspended, revoked,
22 canceled, or renewed in accordance with this act.

23 (4) Except as provided in this subsection, all of the
24 following apply:

25 (a) If a person operates a group B passenger vehicle while
26 taking his or her driving skills test for a P indorsement, he or
27 she is restricted to operating only group B or C passenger

1 vehicles under that P indorsement. If a person operates a group B
2 school bus while taking his or her driving skills test for an S
3 indorsement, he or she is restricted to operating only group B or
4 C school buses under that S indorsement.

5 (b) If a person operates a group C passenger vehicle while
6 taking his or her driving skills test for a P indorsement, he or
7 she is restricted to operating only group C passenger vehicles
8 under that P indorsement. If a person operates a group C school
9 bus while taking his or her driving skills test for an S
10 indorsement, he or she is restricted to operating only group C
11 school buses under that S indorsement.

12 (c) A person who fails the air brake portion of the written
13 or driving skills test provided under section 312f or who takes
14 the driving skills test provided under that section in a
15 commercial motor vehicle that is not equipped with air brakes
16 shall not operate a commercial motor vehicle equipped with air
17 brakes.

18 (5) A person, before operating a commercial motor vehicle,
19 shall obtain required vehicle indorsements as follows:

20 (a) A person, before operating a commercial motor vehicle
21 pulling double trailers, shall procure the appropriate vehicle
22 group designation and a T vehicle indorsement under this act.

23 (b) A person, before operating a commercial motor vehicle
24 that is a tank vehicle, shall procure the appropriate vehicle
25 group designation and an N vehicle indorsement under this act.

26 (c) A person, before operating a commercial motor vehicle
27 carrying hazardous materials on which a placard is required under

1 49 CFR parts 100 to 199, shall procure the appropriate vehicle
2 group designation and an H vehicle indorsement under this act.

3 (d) A person, before operating a commercial motor vehicle
4 that is a tank vehicle carrying hazardous material, shall procure
5 the appropriate vehicle group designation and both an N and H
6 vehicle indorsement, which shall be designated by the code letter
7 X on the person's operator's or chauffeur's license.

8 (e) A person, before operating a vehicle that is designed to
9 transport 16 or more passengers including the driver but is not a
10 school bus shall procure the appropriate vehicle group
11 designation and a P vehicle indorsement under this act. An
12 applicant for a P vehicle indorsement shall take the driving
13 skills test in a vehicle designed to transport 16 or more
14 passengers including the driver.

15 (f) A person who does not currently possess a P indorsement,
16 before operating a school bus designed to transport 16 or more
17 passengers, including the driver, shall procure the appropriate
18 vehicle group designation, pass the knowledge tests for the P and
19 S indorsements, and procure the P and S vehicle indorsements
20 under this act. An applicant for an S vehicle indorsement shall
21 take a driving skills test in a school bus designed to transport
22 16 or more passengers, including the driver, that represents the
23 same type of vehicle that the applicant intends to operate as a
24 school bus.

25 (g) A person who currently possesses a P indorsement, before
26 operating a school bus designed to transport 16 or more
27 passengers, including the driver, shall procure the appropriate

1 vehicle group designation, pass the knowledge test for an S
2 indorsement, and procure an S vehicle indorsement under this act.
3 An applicant for an S vehicle indorsement shall take a driving
4 skills test in a school bus designed to transport 16 or more
5 passengers, including the driver, that represents the same type
6 of vehicle that the applicant intends to operate as a school bus.

7 (6) An applicant for an indorsement shall take the knowledge
8 and driving skills tests described and required under 49 CFR part
9 383.

10 (7) The holder of an unexpired operator's or chauffeur's
11 license may be issued a vehicle group designation and indorsement
12 valid for the remainder of the license upon meeting the
13 qualifications of section 312f and payment of the original
14 vehicle group designation fee of \$25.00 and an indorsement fee of
15 \$5.00 per indorsement, and a corrected license fee of \$18.00. A
16 person required to procure an F vehicle indorsement under
17 subsection (9) shall pay an indorsement fee of \$5.00.

18 (8) Except as otherwise provided in subsections (9) and
19 (10), this section does not apply to a driver or operator of a
20 vehicle under all of the following conditions:

21 (a) The vehicle is controlled and operated by a farmer or an
22 employee or family member of the farmer.

23 (b) The vehicle is used to transport agricultural products,
24 farm machinery, farm supplies, or a combination of these items,
25 to or from a farm.

26 (c) The vehicle is not used in the operation of a common or
27 contract motor carrier.

1 (d) The vehicle is operated within 150 miles of the farm.

2 (9) A person, before driving or operating a combination of
3 vehicles having a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or
4 more on the power unit that is used as described in subsection
5 (8)(a) to (d), shall obtain an F vehicle indorsement. The F
6 vehicle indorsement shall be issued upon successful completion of
7 a knowledge test only.

8 (10) A person, before driving or operating a single vehicle
9 truck having a gross vehicle weight rating of 26,001 pounds or
10 more or a combination of vehicles having a gross vehicle weight
11 rating of 26,001 pounds or more on the power unit that is used as
12 described in subsection (8)(a) to (d) for carrying hazardous
13 materials on which a placard is required under 49 CFR parts 100
14 to 199, shall successfully complete both a knowledge test and a
15 driving skills test. Upon successful completion of the knowledge
16 test and driving skills test, the person shall be issued the
17 appropriate vehicle group designation and any vehicle indorsement
18 necessary under this act.

19 (11) This section does not apply to a police officer
20 operating an authorized emergency vehicle or to a firefighter
21 operating an authorized emergency vehicle who has met the driver
22 training standards published under the firefighters training
23 council act of 1966, 1966 PA 291, MCL 29.361 to 29.377.

24 (12) This section does not apply to a person operating a
25 vehicle used exclusively to transport personal possessions or
26 family members for nonbusiness purposes.

27 (13) ~~The~~ **EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (16),** THE money

1 collected under subsection (7) for a vehicle group designation or
2 indorsement shall be deposited in the state treasury to the
3 credit of the general fund. The secretary of state shall refund
4 out of the fees collected to each county or municipality acting
5 as an examining officer or examining bureau \$3.00 for each
6 applicant examined for a first designation or indorsement to an
7 operator's or chauffeur's license and \$1.50 for each renewal
8 designation or indorsement to an operator's or chauffeur's
9 license, whose application is not denied, on the condition that
10 the money refunded shall be paid to the county or local treasurer
11 and is appropriated to the county, municipality, or officer or
12 bureau receiving that money for the purpose of carrying out this
13 act.

14 (14) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a
15 person operating a vehicle described in subsections (8) and (9)
16 is subject to the provisions of sections 303 and 319b.

17 (15) This state shall comply with the requirements of the
18 American association of motor vehicle administrators' AAMVAnet,
19 incorporated's "Commercial Driver License Information System
20 (CDLIS) State Procedures Manual" that the secretary of state
21 determines are required for implementing and enforcing federal
22 law.

23 (16) **FOR EACH CORRECTED LICENSE FEE COLLECTED UNDER**
24 **SUBSECTION (7), THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT A FEE OF**
25 **\$2.00 THAT SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT AND**
26 **SAFETY FUND CREATED IN SECTION 819A AND USED TO REGULATE HIGHWAY**
27 **SAFETY.**

Sec. 801. (1) The secretary of state shall collect the following taxes at the time of registering a vehicle, which shall exempt the vehicle from all other state and local taxation, except the fees and taxes ~~provided by law to be paid~~ **IMPOSED** by ~~certain carriers operating motor vehicles and trailers under the~~ motor carrier act, 1933 PA 254, MCL 475.1 to 479.43; ~~the taxes~~ imposed by the motor carrier fuel tax act, 1980 PA 119, MCL 207.211 to 207.234; and except as otherwise provided by this act:

(a) For a motor vehicle, including a motor home, except as otherwise provided, and a pickup truck or van that weighs ~~not~~ ~~more than~~ 8,000 pounds **OR LESS**, except as otherwise provided, according to the following schedule of empty weights:

Empty weights	Tax
0 to 3,000 4,000 pounds.....	\$ 29.00 50.00
3,001 to 3,500 pounds.....	32.00
3,501 to 4,000 pounds.....	37.00
4,001 to 4,500 pounds.....	43.00
4,501 to 5,000 pounds.....	47.00
5,001 to 5,500 pounds.....	52.00
5,501 to 6,000 pounds.....	57.00
6,001 to 6,500 pounds.....	62.00
6,501 to 7,000 pounds.....	67.00
7,001 to 7,500 pounds.....	71.00
7,501 to 8,000 pounds.....	77.00
8,001 to 8,500 pounds.....	81.00
8,501 to 9,000 pounds.....	86.00
9,001 to 9,500 pounds.....	91.00
9,501 to 10,000 pounds.....	95.00
over 10,000 4,000 pounds.....	\$ 0.90 per 100 pounds

~~of empty weight~~75.00

On October 1, 1983, and October 1, 1984, the **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ANNUALLY REVISE THE** tax assessed under this subdivision ~~shall be annually revised~~ for the registrations expiring on the appropriate October 1 or after that date by multiplying the tax assessed in the preceding fiscal year times the personal income of Michigan for the preceding calendar year divided by the personal income of Michigan for the calendar year that preceded that calendar year. In performing the calculations under this subdivision, the secretary of state shall use the spring preliminary report of the United States department of commerce or its successor agency. A van that is owned by an individual who uses a wheelchair or by an individual who transports a member of his or her household who uses a wheelchair and for which registration plates are issued under section 803d shall be assessed at the rate of 50% of the tax provided for in this subdivision.

(b) ~~For a trailer coach attached to a motor vehicle, the tax shall be assessed as provided in subdivision (1).~~ A trailer coach **THAT IS** not **SUBJECT TO TAXATION** under 1959 PA 243, MCL 125.1035 to 125.1043, ~~and~~ while located on land otherwise assessable as real property under the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.1 to 211.155, ~~if the trailer coach is used as a place of habitation, and whether or not permanently affixed to the soil,~~ is not exempt from real property taxes **IF THE TRAILER COACH IS USED AS A PLACE OF HABITATION, WHETHER OR NOT IT IS PERMANENTLY**

1 **AFFIXED TO THE SOIL.**

2 (c) For a road tractor, modified agricultural vehicle,
 3 truck, or truck tractor owned by a farmer and used exclusively in
 4 connection with a farming operation, including a farmer hauling
 5 livestock or farm equipment for other farmers for remuneration in
 6 kind or in labor, but not for money, or used for the
 7 transportation of the farmer and the farmer's family, and not
 8 used for hire, 74 cents per 100 pounds of empty weight of the
 9 road tractor, truck, or truck tractor, **IF THE VEHICLE IS**
 10 **DESIGNATED BY PROPER SIGNS SHOWING THE ENTITY OR ORGANIZATION**
 11 **OPERATING THE VEHICLE.** If the road tractor, modified agricultural
 12 vehicle, truck, or truck tractor owned by a farmer is also used
 13 for a nonfarming operation, the farmer is subject to the highest
 14 registration tax applicable to the nonfarm use of the vehicle but
 15 is not subject to more than 1 tax rate under this act.

16 (d) For a road tractor, truck, or truck tractor owned by a
 17 wood harvester and used exclusively in connection with the wood
 18 harvesting operations or a truck used exclusively to haul milk
 19 from the farm to the first point of delivery, 74 cents per 100
 20 pounds of empty weight of the road tractor, truck, or truck
 21 tractor, **IF THE VEHICLE IS DESIGNATED BY PROPER SIGNS SHOWING THE**
 22 **ENTITY OR ORGANIZATION OPERATING THE VEHICLE.** A registration
 23 secured by payment of the tax prescribed in this subdivision
 24 continues in full force and effect until the regular expiration
 25 date of the registration. As used in this subdivision:

26 (i) "Wood harvester" ~~includes the~~ **MEANS A** person ~~or persons~~
 27 hauling and transporting raw materials in the form produced at

1 the harvest site or hauling and transporting wood harvesting
2 equipment. Wood harvester does not include a person ~~or persons~~
3 whose primary activity is tree-trimming or landscaping.

4 (ii) "Wood harvesting equipment" ~~includes~~ **MEANS** all of the
5 following:

6 (A) A vehicle that directly harvests logs or timber,
7 including, but not limited to, a processor or a feller buncher.

8 (B) A vehicle that directly processes harvested logs or
9 timber, including, but not limited to, a slasher, delimber,
10 processor, chipper, or saw table.

11 (C) A vehicle that directly processes harvested logs or
12 timber, including, but not limited to, a forwarder, grapple
13 skidder, or cable skidder.

14 (D) A vehicle that directly loads harvested logs or timber,
15 including, but not limited to, a knuckle-boom loader, front-end
16 loader, or forklift.

17 (E) A bulldozer or road grader being transported to a wood
18 harvesting site specifically for the purpose of building or
19 maintaining harvest site roads.

20 (iii) "Wood harvesting operations" does not include the
21 transportation of processed lumber, Christmas trees, or processed
22 firewood for a profit-making venture.

23 ~~—— (e) For a hearse or ambulance used exclusively by a licensed~~
24 ~~funeral director in the general conduct of the licensee's funeral~~
25 ~~business, including a hearse or ambulance whose owner is engaged~~
26 ~~in the business of leasing or renting the hearse or ambulance to~~
27 ~~others, \$1.17 per 100 pounds of the empty weight of the hearse or~~

1 ambulance.

2 (E) ~~(f)~~ For a vehicle owned and operated by this state, a
3 state institution, a municipality, **OR** a privately incorporated,
4 nonprofit volunteer fire department, ~~or a nonpublic, nonprofit~~
5 ~~college or university,~~ \$5.00 per plate, **IF THE VEHICLE IS**
6 **DESIGNATED BY PROPER SIGNS SHOWING THE ENTITY OR ORGANIZATION**
7 **OPERATING THE VEHICLE.** ~~A registration plate issued under this~~
8 ~~subdivision expires on June 30 of the year in which new~~
9 ~~registration plates are reissued for all vehicles by the~~
10 ~~secretary of state.~~

11 ~~—— (g) For a bus including a station wagon, carryall, or~~
12 ~~similarly constructed vehicle owned and operated by a nonprofit~~
13 ~~parents' transportation corporation used for school purposes,~~
14 ~~parochial school or society, church Sunday school, or any other~~
15 ~~grammar school, or by a nonprofit youth organization or nonprofit~~
16 ~~rehabilitation facility, or a motor vehicle owned and operated by~~
17 ~~a senior citizen center, \$10.00, if the bus, station wagon,~~
18 ~~carryall, or similarly constructed vehicle or motor vehicle is~~
19 ~~designated by proper signs showing the organization operating the~~
20 ~~vehicle.~~

21 ~~—— (h) For a vehicle owned by a nonprofit organization and used~~
22 ~~to transport equipment for providing dialysis treatment to~~
23 ~~children at camp, for a vehicle owned by the civil air patrol, as~~
24 ~~organized under 36 USC 40301 to 40307, \$10.00 per plate, if the~~
25 ~~vehicle is designated by a proper sign showing the civil air~~
26 ~~patrol's name, for a vehicle owned and operated by a nonprofit~~
27 ~~veterans center, for a vehicle owned and operated by a nonprofit~~

~~recycling center or a federally recognized nonprofit conservation organization; for a motor vehicle having a truck chassis and a locomotive or ship's body that is owned by a nonprofit veterans organization and used exclusively in parades and civic events; or for an emergency support vehicle used exclusively for emergencies and owned and operated by a federally recognized nonprofit charitable organization, \$10.00 per plate.~~

~~—— (i) For each truck owned and operated free of charge by a bona fide ecclesiastical or charitable corporation, or red cross, girl scout, or boy scout organization, 65 cents per 100 pounds of the empty weight of the truck.~~

~~—— (j) For each truck, weighing 8,000 pounds or less, and not used to tow a vehicle, for each privately owned truck used to tow a trailer for recreational purposes only and not involved in a profit making venture, and for each vehicle designed and used to tow a mobile home or a trailer coach, except as provided in subdivision (b), \$38.00 or an amount computed according to the following schedule of empty weights, whichever is greater:~~

Empty weights	Per 100 pounds
0 to 2,500 pounds.....	\$ 1.40
2,501 to 4,000 pounds.....	1.76
4,001 to 6,000 pounds.....	2.20
6,001 to 8,000 pounds.....	2.72
8,001 to 10,000 pounds.....	3.25
10,001 to 15,000 pounds.....	3.77
15,001 pounds and over.....	4.39

~~—— If the tax required under subdivision (p) for a vehicle of~~

~~1 the same model year with the same list price as the vehicle for~~
~~2 which registration is sought under this subdivision is more than~~
~~3 the tax provided under the preceding provisions of this~~
~~4 subdivision for an identical vehicle, the tax required under this~~
~~5 subdivision is not less than the tax required under subdivision~~
~~6 (p) for a vehicle of the same model year with the same list~~
~~7 price.~~

8 (F) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBPARAGRAPH (x), FOR EACH OF THE
9 FOLLOWING VEHICLES, \$10.00 PER PLATE:

10 (i) A BUS INCLUDING A STATION WAGON, CARRYALL, OR SIMILARLY
11 CONSTRUCTED VEHICLE, IF THE VEHICLE IS DESIGNATED BY PROPER SIGNS
12 SHOWING THE ORGANIZATION OPERATING THE VEHICLE AND THE VEHICLE IS
13 OWNED AND OPERATED BY 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:

14 (A) A NONPROFIT PARENTS' TRANSPORTATION CORPORATION USED FOR
15 SCHOOL PURPOSES, PAROCHIAL SCHOOL OR SOCIETY, CHURCH SUNDAY
16 SCHOOL, OR ANY OTHER GRAMMAR SCHOOL, OR BY A NONPROFIT YOUTH
17 ORGANIZATION OR NONPROFIT REHABILITATION FACILITY.

18 (B) A SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER.

19 (ii) A VEHICLE OWNED BY A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION AND USED TO
20 TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT FOR PROVIDING DIALYSIS TREATMENT TO CHILDREN
21 AT CAMP.

22 (iii) A VEHICLE OWNED BY THE CIVIL AIR PATROL, AS ORGANIZED
23 UNDER 36 USC 40301 TO 40307, IF THE VEHICLE IS DESIGNATED BY A
24 PROPER SIGN SHOWING THE CIVIL AIR PATROL'S NAME.

25 (iv) A VEHICLE OWNED AND OPERATED BY A NONPROFIT VETERANS
26 CENTER.

27 (v) A VEHICLE OWNED AND OPERATED BY A NONPROFIT RECYCLING

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1 CENTER OR A FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED NONPROFIT CONSERVATION
2 ORGANIZATION.

3 (vi) A MOTOR VEHICLE HAVING A TRUCK CHASSIS AND A LOCOMOTIVE
4 OR SHIP'S BODY THAT IS OWNED BY A NONPROFIT VETERANS ORGANIZATION
5 AND USED EXCLUSIVELY IN PARADES AND CIVIC EVENTS.

6 (vii) AN EMERGENCY SUPPORT VEHICLE USED EXCLUSIVELY FOR
7 EMERGENCIES <<OR TRANSPORTATION OF PATIENTS OR MEDICAL EQUIPMENT>> AND
8 OWNED AND OPERATED BY A FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED
9 NONPROFIT CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION.

9 (viii) A STATE INSTITUTION.

10 (ix) A NONPUBLIC, NONPROFIT COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY.

11 (x) FOR EACH TRUCK OR SIMILARLY PURPOSED VEHICLE OWNED AND
12 OPERATED FREE OF CHARGE BY A BONA FIDE ECCLESIASTICAL OR
13 CHARITABLE CORPORATION, OR RED CROSS, GIRL SCOUT, OR BOY SCOUT
14 ORGANIZATION, 65 CENTS PER 100 POUNDS OF THE EMPTY WEIGHT OF THE
15 TRUCK.

16 (G) ~~(k)~~ For each ~~A~~ truck weighing 8,000 pounds or less
17 towing a trailer or any other combination of vehicles and for
18 each ~~A~~ truck weighing 8,001 pounds or more, road tractor or truck
19 tractor, ~~except as provided in subdivision (j)~~ according to the
20 following schedule of elected gross weights:

21	Elected gross weight	Tax
22	0 to 24,000 pounds.....	\$ 491.00
23	24,001 to 26,000 pounds.....	558.00
24	26,001 to 28,000 pounds.....	558.00
25	28,001 to 32,000 pounds.....	649.00
26	32,001 to 36,000 pounds.....	744.00
27	36,001 to 42,000 pounds.....	874.00

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1	42,001 to 48,000 pounds.....	1,005.00
2	48,001 to 54,000 pounds.....	1,135.00
3	54,001 to 60,000 pounds.....	1,268.00
4	60,001 to 66,000 pounds.....	1,398.00
5	66,001 to 72,000 pounds.....	1,529.00
6	72,001 to 80,000 pounds.....	1,660.00
7	80,001 to 90,000 pounds.....	1,793.00
8	90,001 to 100,000 pounds.....	2,002.00
9	100,001 to 115,000 pounds.....	2,223.00
10	115,001 to 130,000 pounds.....	2,448.00
11	130,001 to 145,000 pounds.....	2,670.00
12	145,001 to 160,000 pounds.....	2,894.00
13	over 160,000 pounds.....	3,117.00

14 For each commercial vehicle registered under this
 15 subdivision, \$15.00 shall be deposited in a truck safety fund to
 16 be expended ~~for the purposes prescribed~~ **AS PROVIDED** in section 25
 17 of 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.675.

18 If a truck **TRACTOR** or road tractor without trailer is leased
 19 from an individual owner-operator, the lessee, whether ~~a person,~~
 20 **AN INDIVIDUAL**, firm, or corporation, shall pay ~~to the owner-~~
 21 ~~operator~~ 60% of the tax prescribed in this subdivision ~~for~~ **TO THE**
 22 **OWNER-OPERATOR OF** the truck tractor or road tractor at the rate
 23 of 1/12 for each month of the lease or arrangement in addition to
 24 the compensation the owner-operator is entitled to for the rental
 25 of his or her equipment.

26 (H) ~~(I)~~ For each pole trailer, semitrailer, trailer coach,
 27 << >> or
 28 trailer, the tax shall be assessed according to the following

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1 schedule of empty weights:

2	<<Empty weights	Tax
3	0 to 2,499 pounds.....	\$ 75.00
4	2,500 to 9,999 pounds.....	200.00
5	10,000 pounds and over.....	300.00

6 The registration plate issued under this subdivision expires
 7 only when the secretary of state reissues a new registration
 8 plate for all trailers. Beginning October 1, 2005, if the
 9 secretary of state reissues a new registration plate for all
 10 trailers, a person who has once paid the tax as increased by 2003
 11 PA 152 for a vehicle under this subdivision is not required to
 12 pay the tax for that vehicle a second time, but is required to
 13 pay only the cost of the reissued plate at the rate provided in
 14 section 804(2) for a standard plate. A registration plate issued
 15 under this subdivision is nontransferable.>>

16 ~~—— (m) For each commercial vehicle used for the transportation~~
 17 ~~of passengers for hire except for a vehicle for which a payment~~
 18 ~~is made under 1960 PA 2, MCL 257.971 to 257.972, according to the~~
 19 ~~following schedule of empty weights:~~

20	Empty weights	Per 100 pounds
21	0 to 4,000 pounds.....	\$ 1.76
22	4,001 to 6,000 pounds.....	2.20
23	6,001 to 10,000 pounds.....	2.72
24	10,001 pounds and over.....	3.25

25 ~~—— (n) For each motorcycle, \$23.00.~~

~~On October 1, 1983, and October 1, 1984, the tax assessed under this subdivision shall be annually revised for the registrations expiring on the appropriate October 1 or after that date by multiplying the tax assessed in the preceding fiscal year times the personal income of Michigan for the preceding calendar year divided by the personal income of Michigan for the calendar year that preceded that calendar year. In performing the calculations under this subdivision, the secretary of state shall use the spring preliminary report of the United States department of commerce or its successor agency.~~

~~Beginning January 1, 1984, the registration tax for each motorcycle is increased by \$3.00. The \$3.00 increase is not part of the tax assessed under this subdivision for the purpose of the annual October 1 revisions but is in addition to the tax assessed as a result of the annual October 1 revisions. Beginning January 1, 1984, \$3.00 of each motorcycle fee shall be placed in a motorcycle safety fund in the state treasury and shall be used only for funding the motorcycle safety education program as provided for under sections 312b and 811a.~~

~~(o) For each truck weighing 8,001 pounds or more, road tractor, or truck tractor used exclusively as a moving van or part of a moving van in transporting household furniture and household effects or the equipment or those engaged in conducting carnivals, at the rate of 80% of the schedule of elected gross weights in subdivision (k) as modified by the operation of that subdivision.~~

A TRAILER COACH THAT IS NOT SUBJECT TO TAXATION UNDER 1959

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1 PA 243, MCL 125.1035 TO 125.1043, WHILE LOCATED ON LAND OTHERWISE
2 ASSESSABLE AS REAL PROPERTY UNDER THE GENERAL PROPERTY TAX ACT,
3 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.1 TO 211.155, IS NOT EXEMPT FROM REAL
4 PROPERTY TAXES IF THE TRAILER COACH IS USED AS A PLACE OF
5 HABITATION, WHETHER OR NOT IT IS PERMANENTLY AFFIXED TO THE SOIL.

6 A PERSON WHO HAS PAID THE TAX FOR A VEHICLE UNDER THIS
7 SUBDIVISION BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2016 IS NOT REQUIRED TO PAY THE
8 REGISTRATION TAX FOR THAT VEHICLE A SECOND TIME. A REGISTRATION
9 UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION MAY BE ISSUED FOR A PERIOD OF 5 YEARS UPON
10 PAYMENT OF 5 TIMES THE REGISTRATION TAX UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION. A
11 REGISTRATION PLATE ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION PRIOR TO JANUARY
12 1, 2016 EXPIRES JANUARY 1, 2026. BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1, 2016,
13 THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY REISSUE EACH PERMANENT REGISTRATION
14 PLATE ISSUED UNDER THIS SUBDIVISION NO LATER THAN 10 YEARS AFTER
15 THE DATE OF ISSUANCE. A REGISTRANT WHOSE REGISTRATION PLATE IS
16 REISSUED AFTER 10 YEARS AS PROVIDED IN THIS SUBSECTION SHALL PAY
17 THE APPLICABLE FEE UNDER SECTION 804.

18 (I) ~~(p) After September 30, 1983, each~~ EACH motor vehicle of
19 the 1984 or a subsequent model year as shown on the application
20 required under section 217 that has not been previously subject
21 to the tax rates of this section and that is of the motor vehicle
22 category otherwise subject to the tax schedule described in
23 subdivision (a), and each low-speed vehicle according to the
24 following schedule based upon registration periods of 12 months:

25 <<(i) Except as otherwise provided in this subdivision, for>>
26 the first registration ~~that is not a transfer registration under~~
27 ~~section 809~~ << >> and for the first

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1 registration after a transfer registration under section 809,
 <<AND, BEGINNING ON JANUARY 1, 2016, FOR EACH SUBSEQUENT
 REGISTRATION OF A VEHICLE THAT WAS NOT REGISTERED UNDER THIS
 SUBSECTION BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2016,>>
 2 according to the following schedule based on the vehicle's list
 3 price:

4	List Price		Tax
5	\$ 0 - \$ 6,000.00.....	\$	30.00
6	More than \$ 6,000.00 - \$ 7,000.00.....	\$	33.00
7	More than \$ 7,000.00 - \$ 8,000.00.....	\$	38.00
8	More than \$ 8,000.00 - \$ 9,000.00.....	\$	43.00
9	More than \$ 9,000.00 - \$ 10,000.00.....	\$	48.00
10	More than \$ 10,000.00 - \$ 11,000.00.....	\$	53.00
11	More than \$ 11,000.00 - \$ 12,000.00.....	\$	58.00
12	More than \$ 12,000.00 - \$ 13,000.00.....	\$	63.00
13	More than \$ 13,000.00 - \$ 14,000.00.....	\$	68.00
14	More than \$ 14,000.00 - \$ 15,000.00.....	\$	73.00
15	More than \$ 15,000.00 - \$ 16,000.00.....	\$	78.00
16	More than \$ 16,000.00 - \$ 17,000.00.....	\$	83.00
17	More than \$ 17,000.00 - \$ 18,000.00.....	\$	88.00
18	More than \$ 18,000.00 - \$ 19,000.00.....	\$	93.00
19	More than \$ 19,000.00 - \$ 20,000.00.....	\$	98.00
20	More than \$ 20,000.00 - \$ 21,000.00.....	\$	103.00
21	More than \$ 21,000.00 - \$ 22,000.00.....	\$	108.00
22	More than \$ 22,000.00 - \$ 23,000.00.....	\$	113.00
23	More than \$ 23,000.00 - \$ 24,000.00.....	\$	118.00
24	More than \$ 24,000.00 - \$ 25,000.00.....	\$	123.00
25	More than \$ 25,000.00 - \$ 26,000.00.....	\$	128.00
26	More than \$ 26,000.00 - \$ 27,000.00.....	\$	133.00
27	More than \$ 27,000.00 - \$ 28,000.00.....	\$	138.00
28	More than \$ 28,000.00 - \$ 29,000.00.....	\$	143.00
29	More than \$ 29,000.00 - \$ 30,000.00.....	\$	148.00

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More than \$30,000.00, the tax of \$148.00 is increased by \$5.00 for each \$1,000.00 increment or fraction of a \$1,000.00 increment over \$30,000.00. If a current tax increases or decreases as a result of 1998 PA 384, only a vehicle purchased or transferred after January 1, 1999 shall be assessed the increased or decreased tax.

<< (ii) ~~For~~ UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2016, FOR the second registration, 90% of the tax assessed under subparagraph (i).

(iii) ~~For~~ UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2016, FOR the third registration, 90% of the tax assessed under subparagraph (ii).

(iv) ~~For~~ UNTIL JANUARY 1, 2016, FOR the fourth and subsequent registrations, 90% of the

tax assessed under subparagraph (iii).

THE REGISTRATION TAX FOR A VEHICLE THAT HAD A VALID REGISTRATION ON JANUARY 1, 2016 SHALL BE THE SAME AS THE MOST RECENTLY PAID REGISTRATION TAX FOR THAT VEHICLE.>>

~~For a vehicle of the 1984 or a subsequent model year that has been previously registered by a person other than the person applying for registration or for a vehicle of the 1984 or a subsequent model year that has been previously registered in another state or country and is registered for the first time in this state, the tax under this subdivision shall be determined by subtracting the model year of the vehicle from the calendar year for which the registration is sought. If the result is zero or a negative figure, the first registration tax shall be paid. If the result is 1, 2, or 3 or more, then, respectively, the second, third, or subsequent registration tax shall be paid. A van that is owned by an individual who uses a wheelchair or by an individual who transports a member of his or her household who uses a wheelchair and for which registration plates are issued under section 803d shall be assessed at the rate of 50% of the~~

1 ~~tax provided for in this subdivision.~~

2 ~~----- (g) For a wrecker, \$200.00.~~

3 A PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLE THAT HAS BEEN MODIFIED WITH A
4 PERMANENTLY INSTALLED WHEELCHAIR LIFT MECHANISM AND THAT IS OWNED
5 BY AN INDIVIDUAL WHO USES A WHEELCHAIR OR BY AN INDIVIDUAL WHO
6 TRANSPORTS A MEMBER OF HIS OR HER HOUSEHOLD WHO USES A WHEELCHAIR
7 AND FOR WHICH REGISTRATION PLATES ARE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 803D
8 SHALL BE ASSESSED AT THE RATE OF 50% OF THE TAX PROVIDED FOR IN
9 THIS SUBDIVISION.

10 (J) FOR A WRECKER OR COMMERCIAL VEHICLE NOT OTHERWISE
11 SUBJECT TO TAX UNDER THIS SECTION, ACCORDING TO THE FOLLOWING
12 GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING AS SPECIFIED BY THE MANUFACTURER:

13	EMPTY WEIGHTS	TAX
14	0 TO 26,000 POUNDS.....	\$ 400.00
15	OVER 26,000 POUNDS.....	590.00

16 (K) ~~(r)~~ When the secretary of state computes a tax under
17 this act, a computation that does not result in a whole dollar
18 figure shall be rounded to the next lower whole dollar when the
19 computation results in a figure ending in 50 cents or less and
20 shall be rounded to the next higher whole dollar when the
21 computation results in a figure ending in 51 cents or more,
22 unless specific taxes are specified. ~~, and the~~ **THE** secretary of
23 state may accept the manufacturer's shipping weight of the
24 vehicle fully equipped for the use for which the registration
25 application is made. If the weight **OF THE VEHICLE** is not

1 correctly stated or is not satisfactory, the secretary of state
 2 shall determine the actual weight. ~~Each application~~ **AN APPLICANT**
 3 for registration of a vehicle under ~~subdivisions (j) and (m)~~
 4 **SUBDIVISION (A)** shall ~~have attached~~ **ATTACH A SCALE WEIGHT RECEIPT**
 5 **OF THE VEHICLE FULLY EQUIPPED AS OF THE TIME THE APPLICATION IS**
 6 **MADE** to the application. ~~a scale weight receipt of the vehicle~~
 7 ~~fully equipped as of the time the application is made.~~ The scale
 8 weight receipt is not necessary if ~~there is presented~~ **THE**
 9 **APPLICANT PRESENTS** with the application a registration receipt of
 10 the previous year that shows on its face the weight of the motor
 11 vehicle as registered with the secretary of state and that is
 12 accompanied by a statement of the applicant that there has not
 13 been a structural change in the motor vehicle that has increased
 14 the weight and that the previous registered weight is the true
 15 weight.

16 (2) A manufacturer is not ~~exempted under this act~~ **EXEMPT**
 17 from paying ad valorem taxes on vehicles in stock or bond **UNDER**
 18 **THIS ACT**, except on the specified number of motor vehicles
 19 registered. A dealer is exempt from paying ad valorem taxes on
 20 vehicles in stock or bond.

21 (3) ~~Until October 1, 2015, the~~ **THE** tax for a vehicle with an
 22 empty weight over 10,000 pounds imposed under subsection (1)(a)
 23 and the taxes imposed under subsection ~~(1)(c), (d), (e), (f),~~
 24 ~~(i), (j), (m), (o), and (p)~~ **(1)(B) TO (J), SECTION 801E, SECTION**
 25 **802(6), SECTION 803, AND SECTION 803A** are each increased as
 26 follows:

27 (a) A regulatory fee of ~~\$2.25~~ **\$1.00** that shall be credited

1 to the traffic law enforcement and safety fund created in section
2 819a and used to regulate highway safety.

3 (b) ~~A-BY A~~ fee of ~~\$5.75-\$9.00~~ that shall be credited to the
4 transportation administration collection fund created in section
5 810b.

6 (4) If a tax required to be paid under this section is not
7 received by the secretary of state on or before the expiration
8 date of the registration plate, the secretary of state shall
9 collect a late fee of \$10.00 for each registration renewed after
10 the expiration date. An application for a renewal of a
11 registration using the regular mail and postmarked before the
12 expiration date of that registration shall not be assessed a late
13 fee. **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL NOT ASSESS A LATE FEE FOR AN**
14 **APPLICATION FOR A RENEWAL OF A REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 802(10)**
15 **OR (11) UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.** The late fee collected under this
16 subsection shall be deposited into the ~~general-MICHIGAN~~
17 **TRANSPORTATION** fund **CREATED IN SECTION 10 OF 1951 PA 51, MCL**
18 **247.660.**

19 (5) In addition to the registration taxes under this
20 section, the secretary of state shall collect taxes charged under
21 section 801j and credit revenues to a regional transit authority
22 created under the regional transit authority act, **2012 PA 387,**
23 **MCL 124.541 TO 124.558,** minus necessary collection expenses as
24 provided in section 9 of article IX of the state constitution of
25 1963. Necessary collection expenses incurred by the secretary of
26 state under this subsection shall be based upon an established
27 cost allocation methodology.

1 (6) This section does not apply to a historic vehicle.

2 (7) As used in this section:

3 (a) "Gross proceeds" means that term as defined in section 1
4 of the general sales tax act, 1933 PA 167, MCL 205.51, and
5 includes the value of the motor vehicle used as part payment of
6 the purchase price as that value is agreed to by the parties to
7 the sale, as evidenced by the signed agreement executed under
8 section 251.

9 (b) "List price" means the manufacturer's suggested base
10 list price, ~~as published by the secretary of state, or the~~
11 manufacturer's suggested retail price as shown on the label
12 required to be affixed to the vehicle under 15 USC 1232, ~~if the~~
13 ~~secretary of state has not at the time of the sale of the vehicle~~
14 ~~published a manufacturer's suggested retail price for that~~
15 ~~vehicle, or the purchase price of the vehicle if the~~
16 manufacturer's suggested base list price **OR THE MANUFACTURER'S**
17 **SUGGESTED RETAIL PRICE** is unavailable. ~~from the sources described~~
18 ~~in this subdivision.~~

19 (c) "Purchase price" means the gross proceeds received by
20 the seller in consideration of the sale of the motor vehicle
21 being registered.

22 Sec. 801b. (1) If a person, through error either on his or
23 her own part or that of the secretary of state, pays the specific
24 tax required by section 801 or 802 more than once on the same
25 equipment, the secretary of state, upon application and
26 satisfactory proof, shall refund the amount paid in error. A
27 claim shall be filed within 1 year after the date of payment and

1 verified by the secretary of state before a refund is made. If an
2 application for a dealer license ~~provided for in~~ **UNDER** section
3 248 is withdrawn by the applicant or the applicant's heir, before
4 issuance of the dealer license, the **SECRETARY OF STATE MAY REFUND**
5 **THE** fees that accompanied the application under sections 803,
6 803a, and 807 ~~may be refunded by the secretary of state upon~~
7 application and satisfactory proof.

8 (2) If a person's license to drive a motor vehicle is
9 revoked, suspended, or denied for medical or physical reasons,
10 the person may return the registration plates and obtain a refund
11 on the plates prorated on a monthly basis for the time period
12 remaining in the registration year from the date the plates are
13 returned. However, the refund shall not exceed the original
14 registration fee.

15 (3) Upon the death of a spouse, the surviving spouse may
16 return registration plates and obtain a refund on the plates
17 prorated on a monthly basis for the time period remaining in the
18 registration year from the date the plates are returned. However,
19 the refund shall not exceed the original registration fee.

20 (4) The owner of a registered vehicle who transfers or
21 assigns title or interest in that registered vehicle before
22 placing upon the registered vehicle the registration plates or
23 tabs issued for that registered vehicle may obtain a refund in
24 full from the secretary of state for the registration plates or
25 tabs. ~~Registration~~ **THE OWNER SHALL RETURN THE REGISTRATION** plates
26 ~~, or tabs issued for 1978 and thereafter shall be returned by the~~
27 ~~owner~~ within 30 days following the date of transfer or

1 assignment.

2 (5) The owner of a vehicle registered ~~pursuant to~~ **UNDER**
3 section 801d(2) who transfers or assigns title or interest in the
4 vehicle may obtain a refund on the registration for each unused,
5 whole registration period remaining on the registration from the
6 date the plates are returned and the application for a refund is
7 made.

8 (6) In the case of an original application for registration
9 plates issued under section ~~217a or~~ 803b, the secretary of state
10 shall issue a refund prorated on a monthly basis from the date of
11 application for the time period remaining in the previously
12 issued registration, if an application for the refund is made and
13 satisfactory proof is presented to the secretary of state. ~~A~~
14 ~~refund~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE** shall not ~~be made~~ **MAKE A REFUND** if
15 the amount due is less than \$5.00.

16 (7) In the case of an original application for the
17 registration plates bearing the letters "SEN" or "REP", the
18 secretary of state shall issue a refund prorated on a monthly
19 basis from the date of application for the time period remaining
20 in the previously issued registration.

21 (8) In the case of an original application and issuance of
22 an international registration plan registration plate under
23 section 801g, the secretary of state shall make a refund as a
24 credit prorated on a monthly basis from the date of application
25 for the months remaining for the previously issued registration
26 on the same vehicle, if an application for the refund as a credit
27 is made and satisfactory proof of eligibility is presented to the

1 secretary of state. A refund as a credit shall not exceed the
 2 total amount of the Michigan apportioned fees assessed for the
 3 plates issued under section 801g ~~nor~~ **AND SHALL NOT** be made if the
 4 amount due is less than \$5.00. ~~For the purpose of~~ **AS USED IN** this
 5 subsection, a month ~~shall mean~~ **MEANS** 30 consecutive days and a
 6 partial month ~~shall be~~ **IS** considered ~~as~~ a whole month.

7 Sec. 801e. (1) When a moped required to be registered under
 8 this act is sold by a retailer to a general purchaser, the
 9 **RETAILER SHALL OBTAIN THE** certificate of registration ~~shall be~~
 10 ~~obtained in the name of the purchaser. by the retailer.~~ In other
 11 cases, the **PURCHASER SHALL OBTAIN THE** certificate of
 12 registration. ~~shall be obtained by the purchaser.~~ The application
 13 shall be signed by the purchaser of the moped and shall be
 14 accompanied by a fee of ~~\$15.00.~~ **\$25.00.** Upon receipt of the
 15 application in approved form, the secretary of state shall enter
 16 the application ~~upon~~ **IN** the secretary of state's records and
 17 issue to the applicant a certificate of registration containing
 18 the decal for the moped, the name and address of the owner, and
 19 other information the secretary of state considers necessary. A
 20 moped ~~shall~~ **IS** not ~~be~~ required to be insured in the manner
 21 specified for motor vehicles under chapter 31 of ~~Act No. 218 of~~
 22 ~~the Public Acts~~ **THE INSURANCE CODE** of 1956, ~~as amended, being~~
 23 ~~sections 1956 PA 218, MCL 500.3101 to 500.3179. of the Michigan~~
 24 ~~Compiled Laws.~~ The certificate of registration shall be pocket
 25 size, shall accompany the vehicle, shall be legible, and shall be
 26 made available for inspection upon demand by a law enforcement
 27 officer.

1 (2) ~~A~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ISSUE A** decal indicating
2 that the certificate of registration is in full force and effect.
3 ~~shall be issued. A~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL NOT ISSUE A**
4 registration certificate and decal ~~shall not be issued earlier~~
5 than 90 days ~~preceding~~ **BEFORE** the commencement date of the new
6 registration period. Display of the decal shall be as prescribed
7 by rule promulgated by the secretary of state.

8 (3) A retailer or manufacturer of mopeds, upon application
9 to the secretary of state upon forms provided by the secretary of
10 state, may obtain ~~certificates~~ **A CERTIFICATE** of registration for
11 use in the testing or demonstrating of a moped upon payment of
12 \$10.00 for each of the first 2 registration certificates.

13 ~~Additional~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY ISSUE ADDITIONAL**
14 certificates ~~may be issued at a cost of \$5.00 each, and~~ **WHICH MAY**
15 **ONLY BE** used by the applicant ~~only in the~~ **FOR** testing or
16 demonstrating of ~~mopeds~~ **A MOPED** by temporary placement of the
17 registration on the moped being tested or demonstrated. A
18 certificate issued ~~pursuant to~~ **UNDER** this subsection may be used
19 on only 1 moped at any given time.

20 (4) A moped registration ~~shall be~~ **IS** valid for a 3-year
21 period ~~which~~ **THAT** begins on May 1 and expires on April 30 of the
22 third registration year. For purposes of this subsection, a
23 registration year begins on May 1 and ends on April 30.

24 (5) **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT A FEE OF \$25.00 AT**
25 **THE TIME OF REGISTERING A MOTORCYCLE.**

26 (6) **OF EACH REGISTRATION FEE COLLECTED UNDER SUBSECTION (5),**
27 **\$5.00 SHALL BE PLACED IN A MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FUND IN THE STATE**

1 TREASURY AND SHALL BE USED ONLY TO FUND THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY
2 EDUCATION PROGRAM UNDER SECTIONS 312B AND 811A.

3 Sec. 801g. (1) Notwithstanding section ~~801(1)(j) or~~
4 ~~801(1)(k), 801(1)(G)~~, for a truck, truck tractor, or road tractor
5 engaged in interstate commerce, for which a registration fee
6 otherwise would be provided in section ~~801(1)(j) or 801(1)(k),~~
7 **801(1)(G)**, the fee may be apportioned under the international
8 registration plan according to the miles traveled in this state
9 in relation to the total miles traveled by the vehicle, if the
10 apportionment is permitted by a reciprocal compact, agreement, or
11 other arrangement entered into by the Michigan highway
12 reciprocity board.

13 (2) For the purposes of this section, "international
14 registration plan" means a method of licensing trucks and bus
15 fleets proportionally among 2 or more member jurisdictions and
16 includes an apportioned fee that is determined according to the
17 fleet's percentage of miles generated in the various
18 jurisdictions. Upon payment of the apportioned fee there shall be
19 issued 1 registration plate and 1 cab card for each vehicle with
20 the cab card indicating the jurisdictions in which the unit is
21 registered and the registered weight for each jurisdiction.

22 (3) If the apportionment is permitted, and if at the time of
23 purchase a person elects to have the fees apportioned and the
24 registration is valid for at least 12 months, the annual
25 international registration plan plates may be purchased by paying
26 any out of state portion and 1/2 the amount apportioned for
27 Michigan fees and an extra \$10.00 service fee per vehicle upon

1 purchase and the balance within 180 days before the date of
 2 expiration. **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT THE EXTRA**
 3 **SERVICE FEE COLLECTED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION INTO THE**
 4 **TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION COLLECTION FUND CREATED IN SECTION**
 5 **810B.** The secretary of state shall notify a person who has
 6 elected to use the installment option of this subsection
 7 informing the person of the amount due and ~~of the penalties that~~
 8 ~~shall be imposed~~ if payment is not received within 180 days
 9 before the date of expiration. If a person is once late on paying
 10 the balance, **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ASSESS AND COLLECT** a
 11 penalty of 25% of the outstanding balance ~~shall be assessed and~~
 12 ~~collected~~ in addition to the fee. If a person is twice late in
 13 paying the balance within a 2-year period, then **THE SECRETARY OF**
 14 **STATE SHALL ASSESS AND COLLECT** a penalty of 25% of the
 15 outstanding balance ~~shall be assessed and collected~~ in addition
 16 to the fee, and the person is ineligible to elect the
 17 apportionment payment plan for the next 2 registration years
 18 following the year of the delinquency. The secretary of state
 19 shall suspend the registration of any vehicle for which the
 20 registration fee is not paid in full and transmit a statement of
 21 the delinquent balance, including the penalty, to the department
 22 of treasury for collection.

23 (4) If a person surrenders a registration plate purchased
 24 under section ~~801(1)(j) or 801(1)(k)~~ **801(1)(G)** for a registration
 25 under this section for the same vehicle, the apportioned fee for
 26 the exchange registration shall bear the same relationship to the
 27 fee required under this section for a 12-month registration as

1 the length of time the exchange registration bears to 12 months.
2 Partial months shall be considered as whole months in the
3 calculation of the required fee and in the determination of the
4 length of time between the application for a registration and the
5 last day of the month of expiration. The calculation shall
6 include any refund as a credit provided for in section 801b(8).
7 The **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ROUND OFF THE** fee required for the
8 registration ~~shall be rounded off~~ to whole dollars as provided in
9 section 801.

10 (5) If a person does not surrender a registration plate
11 purchased under section ~~801(1)(j) or 801(1)(k)~~ **801(1)(G)** for a
12 registration under this section, the apportioned fee shall be
13 determined as provided for in this section except the apportioned
14 fee for a registration purchased shall bear the same relationship
15 to the fee required under this section for a 12-month
16 registration as the length of time the registration bears to 12
17 months. Partial months shall be considered as whole months in the
18 calculation of the required fee and in the determination of the
19 length of time between the application for a registration and the
20 last day of the month of expiration. The **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL**
21 **ROUND OFF THE** fee required for this registration ~~shall be rounded~~
22 ~~off~~ to whole dollars as provided in section 801. ~~Fees~~ **THE**
23 **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL NOT PRORATE FEES** under this subsection
24 ~~shall not be prorated~~ for less than 6 months.

25 (6) Upon proper application for registration of a vehicle
26 under this section, the secretary of state may issue a temporary
27 registration ~~which shall be~~ **THAT IS** valid for not more than 45

1 days from the date of issuance.

2 (7) The secretary of state may designate an owner or
3 registrant having a fleet of motor vehicles currently registered
4 under this section to act as an agent for the secretary of state
5 for the purpose of issuing to himself or herself a temporary
6 registration. Upon issuance of a temporary registration an agent
7 shall make proper application for an international registration
8 plan registration to the secretary of state within 5 days after
9 issuance of the temporary registration.

10 (8) An owner issued a temporary registration under this
11 section is liable for the fees provided in this section.

12 (9) If the owner of a vehicle for which a temporary
13 registration is issued under this section fails to pay the
14 registration fee as required in this section, the secretary of
15 state shall suspend the registrations of all vehicles registered
16 by that owner under this section. The registrations shall remain
17 suspended until the fee is paid.

18 Sec. 801j. (1) In addition to the required vehicle
19 registration fee under section ~~801(1)(p)~~, **801(1)(I)**, a regional
20 transit authority created under the regional transit authority
21 act, **2012 PA 387, MCL 124.541 TO 124.558**, may charge an
22 additional fee on vehicle registrations issued to residents of a
23 public transit region of not more than \$1.20 for each \$1,000.00
24 or fraction of \$1,000.00 of the vehicle's list price as used in
25 calculating the fee under section ~~801(1)(p)~~. **801(1)(I)**. The
26 authority may charge the additional fee only upon the approval of
27 a majority of the electors in a public transit region voting on

1 the fee at an election held on a regular date as provided in
2 section 641 of the Michigan election law, 1954 PA 116, MCL
3 168.641.

4 (2) In addition to any other requirements imposed by law,
5 the ballot question proposing authorization of the fee under
6 subsection (1) shall specify how the proceeds of the fee shall be
7 expended.

8 (3) The fee collected under this section shall only be used
9 by the regional transit authority for comprehensive
10 transportation purposes as defined by section 9 of article IX of
11 the state constitution of 1963.

12 (4) A proposal for a fee under this section shall not be
13 placed on the ballot under subsection (1) unless the proposal is
14 adopted by a resolution of the board of directors of the regional
15 transit authority and certified by the board of directors not
16 later than 70 days before the election to the county clerk of
17 each county within the public transit region for inclusion on the
18 ballot.

19 (5) If a majority of voters in a public transit region
20 approve a fee under subsection (1), no later than 1 year after
21 voter approval, the secretary of state shall collect the fee on
22 all vehicles registered to residents of the public transit region
23 under section ~~801(1)(p)~~ **801(1)(I)** and shall credit the fee
24 collected to the regional transit authority, minus necessary
25 collection expenses as provided in section 9 of article IX of the
26 state constitution of 1963. Necessary collection expenses
27 incurred by the secretary of state under this subsection shall be

1 based upon an established cost allocation methodology.

2 Sec. 802. (1) For a special registration issued ~~as provided~~
3 ~~for in~~ **UNDER** section 226(8), ~~there~~ **THE REGISTRANT** shall be paid
4 **PAY** 1/2 the tax imposed under section 801 and in addition a
5 service fee of \$10.00.

6 (2) For all commercial vehicles registered after August 31
7 for the period expiring the last day of February, **THE SECRETARY**
8 **OF STATE SHALL COLLECT** a tax of 1/2 the rate otherwise imposed
9 under this act. ~~shall be collected.~~ This subsection does not
10 apply to vehicles registered by manufacturers or dealers under
11 sections 244 to 247.

12 (3) For each special registration ~~as provided for in~~ **ISSUED**
13 **UNDER** section 226(9), **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT** a
14 service fee of \$10.00. ~~shall be collected.~~

15 (4) For temporary registration plates or markers as provided
16 for in section 226a(1), **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT** a
17 service fee of \$5.00 for each group of 5 of those temporary
18 registration plates or markers. ~~shall be collected.~~

19 (5) For a temporary registration as provided in section
20 226b, the fee ~~shall be~~ **IS** either of the following:

21 (a) For a 30-day temporary registration, 1/10 of the tax
22 prescribed under section 801 or \$20.00, whichever is greater, and
23 an additional \$10.00 service fee.

24 (b) For a 60-day temporary registration, 1/5 of the tax
25 prescribed under section 801 or \$40.00, whichever is greater, and
26 an additional \$10.00 service fee.

27 (6) For registration plates as provided for in section

226a(5) ~~—OR (6), and (7),~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT** a service fee of ~~\$40.00~~ **\$50.00** for 2 registration plates and ~~\$20.00~~ **\$25.00** for each additional registration plate. ~~shall be collected.~~

(7) For special registrations issued for special mobile equipment as provided in section 216(d), **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT** a service fee of \$15.00 each for the first 3 special registrations ~~—and \$5.00 for each special registration issued in excess of the first 3. shall be collected.~~

(8) The secretary of state, upon request, may issue a registration valid for 3 months for use on a vehicle with an elected gross weight of 24,000 pounds or greater on the payment of 1/4 the tax provided in section ~~801(1)(k)~~ **801(1)(G)** and ~~in addition~~ a service fee of \$10.00.

(9) Upon application to the secretary of state, an owner of a truck, truck tractor, or road tractor that is used exclusively for the purpose of gratuitously transporting farm crops or livestock bedding between the field where produced and the place of storage, feed from on-farm storage to an on-farm feeding site, or fertilizer, seed, or spray material from the farm location to the field may obtain a special registration. The service fee for each special registration issued under this subsection ~~shall be~~ **IS** \$20.00. The special registration ~~shall be~~ **IS** valid for a period of up to 12 months and ~~shall expire~~ **EXPIRES** on December 31. As used in this subsection:

(a) "Feed" means hay or silage.

(b) "Livestock bedding" means straw, sawdust, or sand.

(10) The secretary of state, upon request, may issue a special registration valid for 3 or more months for a road tractor, truck, or truck tractor owned by a farmer, if the motor vehicle is used exclusively in connection with the farmer's farming operations or for the transportation of the farmer and the farmer's family and not used for hire, **AND IF THE MOTOR VEHICLE IS DESIGNATED BY PROPER SIGNS SHOWING THE ORGANIZATION OPERATING THE MOTOR VEHICLE.** The fee for the registration ~~shall be~~**IS** 1/10 of the tax provided in section 801(1)(c) times the number of months for which the special registration is requested and, ~~in addition,~~ a service fee of \$10.00. ~~No~~**THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL NOT ISSUE A** special registration ~~shall be issued for~~ a motor vehicle for which the tax under section 801(1)(c) would be less than \$50.00.

(11) The secretary of state, upon request, may issue a registration valid for 3 months or more for use on a vehicle with an elected gross weight of 24,000 pounds or greater. The fee for the registration ~~shall be~~**IS** 1/12 of the tax provided in section ~~801(1)(k),~~ **801(1)(G)**, times the number of months for which the special registration is requested and, ~~in addition,~~ a service fee of \$10.00.

(12) The **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT THE** service fees collected under subsections (1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), and (11) ~~shall be deposited in the transportation administration collection fund created in section 810b. through October 1, 2015.~~

Sec. 803. (1) ~~The~~**EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION**

1 (2), THE secretary of state shall charge a \$10.00 fee for each
2 special plate issued under section 244. The secretary of state
3 shall determine the number of special plates reasonably needed by
4 a manufacturer, transporter, or dealer.

5 (2) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL CHARGE A \$100.00 FEE FOR
6 THE FIRST 5 SPECIAL PLATES ISSUED TO A DEALER OR A TRANSPORTER
7 UNDER SECTION 244. FOR A SIXTH AND EACH ADDITIONAL SPECIAL PLATE
8 ISSUED TO A DEALER OR A TRANSPORTER UNDER SECTION 244, THE
9 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL CHARGE A \$10.00 FEE.

10 Sec. 803a. (1) The secretary of state may issue to the owner
11 of an historic vehicle an historic vehicle registration plate
12 ~~which shall bear~~ THAT BEARS the inscription "historical vehicle -
13 Michigan" and the registration number.

14 (2) THE OWNER OF AN HISTORIC VEHICLE MAY USE AN AUTHENTIC
15 MICHIGAN REGISTRATION PLATE OF THE SAME YEAR AS THE MODEL YEAR IN
16 WHICH THE VEHICLE WAS MANUFACTURED INSTEAD OF AN HISTORIC VEHICLE
17 REGISTRATION PLATE ISSUED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) BY PRESENTING THE
18 AUTHENTIC PLATE NUMBER AND YEAR TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE AT THE
19 TIME OF REGISTRATION. THE OWNER OF AN HISTORIC VEHICLE MAY
20 PURCHASE AN AUTHENTIC MICHIGAN REGISTRATION PLATE FROM ANOTHER
21 PERSON AND RESTORE THE PLATE TO ITS AUTHENTIC CONDITION FOR USE
22 UNDER THIS SECTION. AN AUTHENTICALLY RESTORED PLATE IS CONSIDERED
23 AN AUTHENTIC MICHIGAN REGISTRATION PLATE.

24 (3) ~~(2)~~—The owner of an historic vehicle applying for an
25 historic vehicle registration plate or a registration tab OR
26 APPLYING TO USE AN AUTHENTIC MICHIGAN REGISTRATION PLATE under
27 this section shall pay a fee of ~~\$30.00,~~ \$100.00, shall certify

1 that the vehicle for which the registration is requested is owned
 2 and operated solely as an historic vehicle, and shall certify
 3 that the vehicle has been inspected and found safe to operate on
 4 the highways of this state. The registration certificate need not
 5 specify the weight of the historic vehicle. The registration
 6 issued under ~~this section~~ **SUBSECTION (1)** is transferable to
 7 another historic vehicle upon completion of the application for
 8 transfer and payment of the fee ~~in the manner described in~~ **UNDER**
 9 section 809. **A REGISTRATION ISSUED UNDER SUBSECTION (2) IS NOT**
 10 **TRANSFERABLE TO ANOTHER HISTORIC VEHICLE.**

11 (4) ~~(3)~~ A registration issued under ~~this section shall~~
 12 ~~expire~~ **SUBSECTION (1) EXPIRES** on April 15 in the tenth year
 13 following the date of issuance of the registration.

14 (5) **A REGISTRATION ISSUED UNDER SUBSECTION (2) REMAINS VALID**
 15 **UNTIL THE REGISTRANT EITHER SELLS, TRANSFERS, OR SCRAPS THE**
 16 **VEHICLE OR MODIFIES THE VEHICLE IN THE MANNER THAT REQUIRES THE**
 17 **ISSUANCE OF A NEW CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR THE VEHICLE UNDER THIS**
 18 **ACT.**

19 (6) ~~(4)~~ The secretary of state may revoke a registration
 20 issued under this section, for cause shown and after a hearing,
 21 for failure of the applicant to comply with this section, for use
 22 of the vehicle for which the registration was issued for purposes
 23 other than those enumerated in section 20a, or because the
 24 vehicle is not safe to operate on the highways of this state.

25 Sec. 803b. (1) The secretary of state may issue 1
 26 personalized vehicle registration plate that shall be used on the
 27 passenger motor vehicle, pick-up truck, motorcycle, van, motor

1 home, hearse, bus, trailer coach, or trailer for which the plate
 2 is issued instead of a standard plate. ~~Personalized~~ **EXCEPT AS**
 3 **PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (2), PERSONALIZED** plates shall bear
 4 letters and numbers as the secretary of state prescribes. The
 5 secretary of state shall not issue a letter combination that
 6 might carry a connotation offensive to good taste and decency.
 7 The personalized plates shall be made of the same material as
 8 standard plates. Personalized plates shall not be a duplication
 9 of another registration plate.

10 (2) **THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY ISSUE A PERSONALIZED VEHICLE**
 11 **REGISTRATION PLATE INSCRIBED WITH THE OFFICIAL AMATEUR RADIO CALL**
 12 **LETTERS OF THE APPLICANT AS ASSIGNED BY THE FEDERAL**
 13 **COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION TO AN APPLICANT WHO HOLDS AN UNEXPIRED**
 14 **TECHNICIAN, GENERAL, CONDITIONAL, ADVANCED, OR EXTRA CLASS**
 15 **AMATEUR RADIO LICENSE ISSUED BY THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS**
 16 **COMMISSION. AN APPLICANT FOR A PERSONALIZED VEHICLE REGISTRATION**
 17 **PLATE UNDER THIS SUBSECTION SHALL PROVE TO THE SATISFACTION OF**
 18 **THE SECRETARY OF STATE THAT HE OR SHE HOLDS AN UNEXPIRED AMATEUR**
 19 **RADIO LICENSE.**

20 (3) ~~(2)~~ An application for a personalized registration plate
 21 shall be submitted to the secretary of state under section 217.
 22 ~~Application~~ **THE APPLICANT** for an original personalized
 23 registration plate shall ~~be accompanied~~ **ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION**
 24 with payment of a service fee of \$8.00 for the first month and of
 25 \$2.00 per month for each additional month of the registration
 26 period in addition to the regular vehicle registration fee. ~~A~~ **THE**
 27 **APPLICANT MAY OBTAIN A** second duplicate registration plate ~~may be~~

1 ~~obtained by requesting that option on the application and paying~~
 2 ~~an additional service fee of \$5.00. The~~ **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL**
 3 **DEPOSIT THE** original and duplicate service fees ~~shall be~~
 4 ~~deposited in the transportation administration collection fund~~
 5 ~~created in section 810b. through October 1, 2015. Application~~ **THE**
 6 **APPLICANT** for ~~the~~ **A** renewal of a personalized registration plate
 7 ~~shall be accompanied~~ **ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION** with payment of a
 8 service fee of \$15.00 in addition to the regular vehicle
 9 registration fee. The **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL CREDIT THE** service
 10 fee ~~shall be credited to the Michigan transportation fund~~
 11 ~~established under , and shall be allocated as prescribed under,~~
 12 ~~section 10 of 1951 PA 51, MCL 247.660. The amount allocated to~~
 13 ~~the state trunk line fund established under section 11 of 1951 PA~~
 14 ~~51, MCL 247.661, shall be used by the state transportation~~
 15 ~~department for litter pickup and cleanup on state roads and~~
 16 ~~rights of way.~~

17 **(4)** ~~(3)~~ The expiration date for a personalized registration
 18 plate shall be as prescribed under section 226. Upon the issuance
 19 or renewal of a personalized registration plate, the secretary of
 20 state may issue a tab or tabs designating the month and year of
 21 expiration. Upon the renewal of a personalized registration
 22 plate, the secretary of state shall issue a new tab or tabs for
 23 the rear plate designating the next expiration date of the plate.
 24 ~~Upon renewal, the secretary of state shall not issue the owner a~~
 25 ~~new exact duplicate of the expired plate unless the plate is~~
 26 ~~illegible and the owner pays the service fee and registration fee~~
 27 ~~for an original personalized registration plate.~~

(5) ~~(4)~~—The sequence of letters or numbers or combination of letters and numbers on a personalized plate shall not be given to a different person in a subsequent year unless the person to whom the plate was issued does not reapply before the expiration date of the plate.

(6) ~~(5)~~—An applicant ~~who applies~~ for a registration plate under section ~~217d,~~ 803e, 803f, 803j, 803k, 803l, 803n, or 803o is eligible to request, and the secretary of state may issue, the registration plate with a sequence of letters and numbers otherwise authorized under this section.

(7) ~~(6)~~—The secretary of state may issue a temporary permit to a person who has submitted an application and the proper fees for a personalized registration plate if the applicant's vehicle registration ~~may expire prior to receipt of~~ **EXPIRES BEFORE THE APPLICANT RECEIVES** his or her personalized registration plate. The temporary registration shall be valid for not more than 60 days after the date of issuance. The **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ISSUE THE** temporary permit ~~shall be issued~~ without a fee.

Sec. 803e. (1) A person who has been a prisoner of war or a person whose spouse has been a prisoner of war may ~~make application~~ **APPLY** to the secretary of state for a special registration plate ~~that shall be~~ inscribed with special identification numbers preceded by the letters "EX-POW" and ~~shall have the words "ex-prisoner of war" inscribed~~ beneath the registration number.

(2) A person who was a member of the armed services during World War I may make application to the secretary of state for a

1 special registration plate, that shall be inscribed with special
2 identification numbers preceded by the letters "WWI" and shall
3 have the words "World War I veteran" inscribed beneath the
4 registration number.

5 (3) A person who was a member of the armed services during
6 1941, stationed at a United States military or naval
7 establishment at Pearl Harbor in the Hawaiian islands, and who
8 survived the attack by Japan on Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941
9 may ~~make application~~ **APPLY** to the secretary of state for a
10 special registration plate ~~, that shall be inscribed with special~~
11 identification numbers and ~~shall have the words "Pearl Harbor~~
12 survivor" ~~inscribed beneath the registration number.~~

13 (4) A person who is a recipient of the purple heart medal
14 may ~~make application~~ **APPLY** to the secretary of state for a
15 special registration plate ~~that shall be inscribed with special~~
16 identification numbers and ~~shall have the words "combat wounded~~
17 veteran" ~~inscribed beneath the registration number.~~ In addition,
18 the special registration plate described ~~under~~ **IN** this subsection
19 shall be inscribed with a vignette of the official purple heart
20 medal.

21 (5) **A PERSON WHO IS A RECIPIENT OF THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL**
22 **OF HONOR MAY APPLY TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR A SPECIAL**
23 **REGISTRATION PLATE INSCRIBED WITH SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS**
24 **AND THE WORDS "CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR" BENEATH THE**
25 **REGISTRATION NUMBER.**

26 (6) ~~(5)~~ Application for a special registration plate shall
27 be on a form prescribed by the secretary of state, and shall be

1 accompanied by any proof of the applicant having been a prisoner
 2 of war, World War I veteran, Pearl Harbor survivor, recipient of
 3 the purple heart medal, **OR RECIPIENT OF THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL**
 4 **OF HONOR** that the secretary of state ~~may require.~~ **REQUIRES.**

5 Application for a "Gold Star Family" special registration plate
 6 described in subsection ~~(9)~~ **(10)** shall be on a form prescribed by
 7 the secretary of state and shall be accompanied by any proof of
 8 the applicant having been a gold star family member that the
 9 secretary of state may require. The application for a special
 10 registration plate shall also be accompanied with payment of a
 11 \$5.00 service fee.

12 **(7)** ~~(6)~~ Upon proper application and payment of the \$5.00
 13 service fee, the secretary of state shall issue 1 or more special
 14 registration plates for each applicant for use on a passenger
 15 vehicle. A person who is disabled who makes application for a
 16 special registration plate under this section and who makes
 17 payment of the \$5.00 service fee shall be issued a tab for
 18 persons with disabilities as provided in section 803f for his or
 19 her special registration plate. The secretary of state shall
 20 require the same proof that the applicant is a disabled person as
 21 is required for issuance of a permanent windshield placard under
 22 section 675. One person in any household is entitled to 1 special
 23 registration plate issued under subsection (1) that is exempt
 24 from payment of the tax provided in section 801. The **SECRETARY OF**
 25 **STATE SHALL ASSESS THE** person who is issued an additional special
 26 registration plate under subsection (1) ~~shall be assessed the~~
 27 applicable tax provided for in section 801. A person **WHO IS**

1 issued 1 or more special registration plates under subsection
2 (2), (3), (4), or ~~(9)~~-(10) shall be assessed the applicable tax
3 provided in section 801.

4 (8) ~~(7)~~—The use of a special registration plate on a vehicle
5 other than the vehicle for which the plate is issued, or by a
6 person who does not qualify under this section, is a misdemeanor.

7 (9) ~~(8)~~—The special registration plate issued under this
8 section expires on the birthday of the vehicle owner in a year in
9 which new plates are issued by the secretary of state.

10 Application for renewal of the special registration plate shall
11 be accompanied by a \$5.00 service fee. The applicant is not
12 required to furnish the proof provided in subsection ~~(5)~~-(6).

13 (10) ~~(9)~~—A gold star family member may make application to
14 the secretary of state for a special registration plate ~~that~~
15 ~~shall be~~ inscribed with special identification numbers preceded
16 by a gold star and ~~shall have~~ the words "Gold Star Family"
17 ~~inscribed~~ beneath the registration number.

18 (11) ~~(10)~~—As used in this section, "gold star family member"
19 means a person who has had an immediate family member die while
20 serving in the United States armed forces or in forces
21 incorporated as part of the United States armed forces if the
22 immediate family member meets any of the eligibility criteria
23 specified in 10 USC 1126(a)(1) to (3) for a gold star lapel
24 button.

25 Sec. 803g. The secretary of state may issue a special
26 registration to a member of the United States congress from
27 Michigan. The expiration date of a registration issued under this

1 section ~~shall be~~ **IS** January 31. The fee for the special
 2 registration shall correspond with the registration fees ~~provided~~
 3 ~~in section 801(a) or (g).~~ **UNDER SECTION 801(1) (A) OR (I) .**

4 Sec. 806. (1) ~~Until October 1, 2015, a~~ **A** fee of \$10.00 shall
 5 accompany each application for a certificate of title required by
 6 this act or for a duplicate of a certificate of title. An
 7 additional fee of \$5.00 shall accompany an application if the
 8 applicant requests that the application be given special
 9 expeditious treatment. ~~A~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT A**
 10 \$3.00 service fee, ~~shall be collected,~~ in addition to the other
 11 fees collected under this subsection, for each title issued and
 12 shall ~~be deposited~~ **DEPOSIT THE SERVICE FEE** in the transportation
 13 administration collection fund created under section 810b.

14 ~~through October 1, 2015.~~ The **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT THE**
 15 \$5.00 expeditious treatment fee collected on and after October 1,
 16 2004 ~~through October 1, 2015 shall be deposited~~ into the
 17 transportation administration collection fund created under
 18 section 810b.

19 (2) A fee of ~~\$10.00~~ **\$100.00** shall accompany an application
 20 for a special identifying number as provided in section 230. **THE**
 21 **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT A FEE COLLECTED UNDER THIS**
 22 **SUBSECTION INTO THE TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION COLLECTION FUND**
 23 **CREATED UNDER SECTION 810B.**

24 (3) In addition to paying the fees required by subsection
 25 (1), ~~until December 31, 2015,~~ each person who applies for a
 26 certificate of title, a salvage vehicle certificate of title, or
 27 a scrap certificate of title under this act shall pay a tire

1 disposal surcharge of \$1.50 for each certificate of title or
 2 duplicate of a certificate of title that person receives. The
 3 secretary of state shall deposit money received under this
 4 subsection into the scrap tire regulatory fund created in section
 5 16908 of the natural resources and environmental protection act,
 6 1994 PA 451, MCL 324.16908.

7 Sec. 807. (1) Except as provided in subsection (2), an
 8 applicant shall include with an application for a license under
 9 section 248 one of the following fees:

10 Full year's license.....	\$ 75.00
11 Half year's license (after June 30).....	37.50
12 Multiple year license.....	75.00
13	per year.

14 (2) An applicant shall include with an application for a
 15 used or secondhand vehicle parts dealer, an automotive recycler,
 16 or foreign salvage vehicle dealer license 1 of the following
 17 fees:

18 Full year's license.....	\$ 160.00
19 Half year's license (after June 30).....	80.00
20 Multiple year license.....	160.00
21	per year.

22 **(3) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT THE FEES COLLECTED**
 23 **UNDER THIS SECTION IN THE TRANSPORTATION ADMINISTRATION**
 24 **COLLECTION FUND CREATED IN SECTION 810B.**

25 Sec. 809. (1) An application for transfer of registration

1 from a **MOTOR** vehicle subject to section ~~801(1)(a)~~ **801** to another
 2 **MOTOR** vehicle subject to that section shall be accompanied by a
 3 fee of \$8.00. In addition to the fee of \$8.00, if the **12-MONTH**
 4 registration is transferred from a passenger vehicle to a motor
 5 home and if the registration fee for the motor home **VEHICLE TO**
 6 **WHICH THE REGISTRATION IS TRANSFERRED, FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE**
 7 **12-MONTH REGISTRATION PERIOD,** is greater than the fee paid upon
 8 registration of **12-MONTH REGISTRATION FEE** FOR the vehicle from
 9 which the registration was removed, **THE REGISTRATION IS BEING**
 10 **TRANSFERRED FROM,** then **THE APPLICANT SHALL PAY** the difference in
 11 fee shall be paid by the applicant. **THE REGISTRATION FEES.** If the
 12 **REGISTRATION fee FOR THE VEHICLE THE REGISTRATION IS BEING**
 13 **TRANSFERRED TO** is less than that paid for the registration **FEE** of
 14 the vehicle from which the plates were **PLATE WAS** removed, the
 15 **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL NOT REFUND THE** difference shall not be
 16 refunded. **IN REGISTRATION FEES.** The fees required by this
 17 subsection shall be considered to include all fees or charges
 18 imposed by this act for the transfer of registration, except
 19 those which **FEES THAT** may be assessed under section 234.
 20 ——— (2) An application for a transfer of registration, other
 21 than a transfer described in subsection (1), shall be accompanied
 22 by a fee of \$8.00. In addition to the fee of \$8.00, if the
 23 registration plates are transferred to another vehicle, as
 24 provided in section 233, and if the registration plate fee for a
 25 12-month registration for the vehicle to which the registration
 26 is transferred is greater than the registration plate fee paid
 27 upon registration of the vehicle from which the registration was

~~removed, then the difference shall be paid by the applicant for the new registration. If the fee is less than that paid for registration of the vehicle from which the registration was removed, the difference shall not be refunded.~~

(2) ~~(3) A~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT A** transfer of registration fee collected under this section ~~on and after October 1, 2004 through October 1, 2015 shall be deposited into the transportation administration collection fund created under section 810b.~~

Sec. 811. (1) An application for an original operator's or an original or renewal chauffeur's license as provided in sections 307 and 312 and an application for an original minor's restricted license as provided in section 312 shall be accompanied by the following fees:

Operator's license.....	\$ 25.00
Chauffeur's license.....	35.00
Minor's restricted license.....	25.00

The renewal fee for an operator's license renewed under this section is ~~\$18.00. However, if an operator's license is expired at the time of the renewal, the fee is the same as the original fee. , except as provided in subsection (4). The date of an application for a renewal of an operator's license under this section that is delivered to the secretary of state by regular mail is the postmark date in determining the fee to be assessed.~~

(2) ~~The~~ **EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (4),** THE secretary of state shall deposit the money received and collected under

1 subsection (1) in the state treasury to the credit of the general
2 fund. The secretary of state shall refund out of the fees
3 collected to each county or municipality acting as an examining
4 officer or examining bureau \$2.50 for each applicant examined for
5 an original license, \$1.00 for each applicant examined for an
6 original chauffeur's license, and \$1.00 for every other applicant
7 examined, if the application is not denied and the money refunded
8 is paid to the county or local treasurer and is appropriated to
9 the county, municipality, or officer or bureau receiving the
10 money for the purpose of carrying out this act. The state
11 treasurer shall deposit the sum of \$4.00 in the traffic law
12 enforcement and safety fund created in section 819a for each
13 person examined for an original license, a renewal operator's
14 license, an original chauffeur's license, or a renewal
15 chauffeur's license, except that the sum deposited for each 2-
16 year operator's or 2-year chauffeur's license shall be \$2.00.

17 (3) Notwithstanding sections 306 and 308, **THE SECRETARY OF**
18 **STATE SHALL NOT ISSUE** an operator's license ~~shall not be issued~~
19 to a person under 18 years of age unless that person successfully
20 passes a driver education course and examination given by a
21 school licensed under the driver education and training schools
22 act, 1974 PA 369, MCL 256.601 to 256.612. A person who has been a
23 holder of a motor vehicle operator's license issued by any other
24 state, territory, or possession of the United States, or any
25 other sovereignty for 1 year immediately before application for
26 an operator's license under this act is not required to comply
27 with this subsection. ~~Restricted~~ **THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY ISSUE**

~~RESTRICTED~~ licenses may be issued pursuant to ~~UNDER~~ section 312 without compliance with this subsection.

~~———— (4) A person who is on active military service at the time his or her operator's license expires shall be charged the renewal rate for renewing his or her operator's license under this section if all of the following apply:~~

~~———— (a) He or she applies for renewal within 30 days of returning to this state from active duty.~~

~~———— (b) He or she held a valid, unexpired operator's license from this state immediately prior to leaving this state for active military service.~~

~~———— (c) He or she presents such documentation as the secretary of state requires to establish eligibility under this subsection.~~

(4) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEPOSIT \$7.00 FROM EACH RENEWAL FEE FOR AN OPERATOR'S LICENSE COLLECTED UNDER SUBSECTION (1) INTO THE TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT AND SAFETY FUND CREATED IN SECTION 819A AND USED TO REGULATE HIGHWAY SAFETY.

Sec. 812. (1) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (2), for each duplicate license as provided in section 313, and for each correction of a license, a person may apply for renewal of the license and pay the renewal fee prescribed in this act or the person may, at his or her option and upon payment of the fee prescribed in this section, apply for a duplicate license ~~which~~ **THAT** expires on the same date as the license ~~which~~ **THAT** was lost, destroyed, mutilated, or became illegible. The secretary of state may check the applicant's driving record through the national driver register and the commercial driver license information

1 system before issuing a license under this section. The fee for a
2 duplicate chauffeur's license is \$18.00. The fee for a duplicate
3 operator's license is \$9.00. ~~A- THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL NOT~~
4 ~~CHARGE A~~ renewal fee ~~shall not be charged~~ for a change of
5 address, a correction required to correct a department error, or
6 ~~, beginning January 1, 2007,~~ to add or remove a heart insignia
7 described in section 310.

8 (2) Except ~~with regard to~~ **FOR** a person who is less than 21
9 years of age or a person with a license containing a hazardous
10 material indorsement, for each duplicate license as provided in
11 section 313, and for each correction of a license, a person shall
12 apply for renewal of the license and pay the renewal fee
13 prescribed in this act if the license was due to expire within
14 the next 12 months. Except as otherwise provided in this act, a
15 license renewed under this subsection shall be renewed for the
16 combined period of the time remaining on the license before its
17 renewal and the 4-year renewal period.

18 (3) **FOR EACH DUPLICATE CHAUFFEUR'S LICENSE ISSUED UNDER**
19 **SUBSECTION (1), THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT A FEE OF**
20 **\$2.00 THAT SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT AND**
21 **SAFETY FUND CREATED IN SECTION 819A AND USED TO REGULATE HIGHWAY**
22 **SAFETY. FOR EACH CORRECTED LICENSE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 312E, THE**
23 **SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT A FEE OF \$2.00 AND CREDIT THAT**
24 **FEE TO THE TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT AND SAFETY FUND CREATED IN**
25 **SECTION 819A AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 312E(16).**

26 (4) **FOR EACH DUPLICATE OPERATOR'S LICENSE ISSUED UNDER**
27 **SUBSECTION (1), THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL COLLECT A FEE OF**

1 \$1.00 THAT SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE TRAFFIC LAW ENFORCEMENT AND
2 SAFETY FUND CREATED IN SECTION 819A AND USED TO REGULATE HIGHWAY
3 SAFETY.

4 Enacting section 1. Sections 217a, 217d, and 803p of the
5 Michigan vehicle code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.217a, 257.217d, and
6 257.803p, are repealed.

7 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act takes effect January
8 1, 2015.

9 Enacting section 3. The department shall implement the
10 changes made by the amendatory act that added this enacting
11 section no later than January 1, 2016.

12 Enacting section 4. There is appropriated to the secretary
13 of state the sum of \$4,000,000.00 for the purpose of completing
14 the programming necessary to implement the changes made by the
15 amendatory act that added this enacting section.