

HOUSE BILL No. 4215

February 9, 1999, Introduced by Reps. Schermesser, DeHart, Bogardus, Hale, O'Neil, Mans and Wojno and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled
"Michigan vehicle code,"
(MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding section 803q.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 803Q. (1) A PERSON WHO HAS SERVED AS A VOLUNTEER, VOL-
2 UNTEER LEADER, OR EMPLOYEE IN THE PEACE CORPS UNDER SECTIONS 5 TO
3 7 OF TITLE I OF THE PEACE CORPS ACT, PUBLIC LAW 87-293, 22
4 U.S.C. 2504 TO 2506, MAY APPLY TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR A
5 SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, WHICH SHALL DISPLAY AN APPROPRIATE
6 VIGNETTE PRECEDING THE REGISTRATION NUMBERS AND SHALL HAVE THE
7 WORDS "PEACE CORPS" INSCRIBED BENEATH THE REGISTRATION NUMBERS.
8 (2) APPLICATION FOR A SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE SHALL BE ON
9 A FORM PRESCRIBED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND SHALL BE
10 ACCOMPANIED BY ANY PROOF OF THE APPLICANT BEING OR HAVING SERVED

1 AS A VOLUNTEER, VOLUNTEER LEADER, OR EMPLOYEE IN THE PEACE CORPS
2 AS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) THAT THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY
3 REQUIRE. THE APPLICATION FOR A SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE SHALL
4 ALSO BE ACCOMPANIED WITH PAYMENT OF A \$5.00 SERVICE FEE.

5 (3) UPON PROPER APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF THE \$5.00 SERVICE
6 FEE, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ISSUE 1 OR MORE SPECIAL REGIS-
7 TRATION PLATES FOR EACH APPLICANT FOR USE ON A PASSENGER
8 VEHICLE. A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY WHO APPLIES FOR A SPECIAL
9 REGISTRATION PLATE UNDER THIS SECTION AND WHO PAYS THE \$5.00
10 SERVICE FEE SHALL BE ISSUED A TAB FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES
11 AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 803F FOR HIS OR HER SPECIAL REGISTRATION
12 PLATE. THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL REQUIRE THE SAME PROOF THAT
13 THE APPLICANT IS A PERSON WITH A DISABILITY AS IS REQUIRED FOR
14 ISSUANCE OF A PERMANENT WINDSHIELD PLACARD UNDER SECTION 675. A
15 PERSON ISSUED 1 OR MORE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES UNDER
16 SUBSECTION (1) SHALL BE ASSESSED THE APPLICABLE TAX PROVIDED IN
17 SECTION 801.

18 (4) THE USE OF A SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE ON A VEHICLE
19 OTHER THAN THE VEHICLE FOR WHICH THE PLATE IS ISSUED, OR BY A
20 PERSON WHO DOES NOT QUALIFY UNDER THIS SECTION, IS A
21 MISDEMEANOR.

22 (5) THE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE ISSUED UNDER THIS SECTION
23 SHALL EXPIRE ON THE BIRTHDAY OF THE VEHICLE OWNER. WHEN NEW
24 PLATES ARE ISSUED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE, APPLICATION FOR
25 RENEWAL OF THE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED BY
26 A \$5.00 SERVICE FEE. THE APPLICANT SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO
27 FURNISH THE PROOF PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (2).