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SYNOPSIS

Exempts veterans' organizations from motor vehicle registration fee.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel.



1 **AN ACT** concerning motor vehicle registration fees and amending
2 R.S.39:3-27.

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4 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
5 *of New Jersey:*

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7 1. R.S.39:3-27 is amended to read as follows:

8 39:3-27. No fee shall be charged for the registration of motor
9 vehicles not used for pleasure or hire, owned by the United States,
10 the State of New Jersey, a municipality, county, Regional Air
11 Pollution Control Agency, Passaic Valley Sewerage
12 Commissioners, North Jersey District Water Supply Commission, a
13 county improvement authority created under the "county
14 improvement authorities law" (P.L.1960, c.183), a local school
15 district, a regional school district, a county vocational or technical
16 school, a duly authorized volunteer fire department, a duly
17 authorized volunteer first aid, rescue or emergency squad, any duly
18 recognized auxiliary or reserve police organization of any
19 municipality, hospital, humane society, and anticruelty society in
20 this State, New Jersey wing of the Civil Air Patrol incorporated by
21 the Act of July 1946 (Public Law 476-79th Congress), the American
22 Red Cross, veterans' organizations chartered under federal law,
23 chartered local councils in New Jersey of the Boy Scouts of
24 America or the Girl Scouts of the United States of America,
25 chartered local councils in New Jersey of the Boys' Clubs of
26 America or the Girls' Clubs of America, or chartered local
27 organizations of the Police Athletic League or for the registration of
28 ambulances owned by any nonprofit organization. These vehicles
29 shall be registered and display number plates as provided in this
30 title or the **【director】** chief administrator may, in his discretion,
31 issue special registration certificates and special number plates for
32 any of these motor vehicles which shall be valid for such motor
33 vehicle for a period fixed by the **【director】** chief administrator
34 which may correspond with the inspection expiration date
35 applicable to such vehicles, which date shall not be later than 26
36 months after the date of issuance of such certificates. Upon the
37 expiration or nonrenewal of any special registration the registration
38 certificate and special number marker shall be returned to the
39 **【director】** chief administrator; provided, however, upon proper
40 application to the **【director】** chief administrator the special
41 registration and special number marker may be transferred to
42 another motor vehicle acquired by the owner to whom the special
43 registration and marker were issued.
44 (cf: P.L.1995, c.112, s.32)

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **【thus】 in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.**

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

1 2. This act shall take immediately.

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STATEMENT

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6 This bill exempts veterans’ organizations chartered under federal
7 law from being charged a fee for the registration of motor vehicles
8 not used for pleasure or hire. Only certain State and local
9 government entities and civic organizations are currently exempted
10 from paying a motor vehicle registration fee.