## SENATE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

## SENATE BILL NO. 881

## AN ACT

To repeal sections 301.074, 301.075, and 301.145, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to special license plates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

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Section A.

Sections 301.074, 301.075, and 301.145, RSMo,

are repealed and three new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 301.074, 301.075, and 301.145, to read as follows: 301.074. License plates issued under sections 301.071 to 301.075 shall be valid for the duration of the veteran's disability. Each such applicant issued license plates under these provisions shall annually furnish proof of vehicle inspection and proof of disability to the director, except that an applicant whose service connected disability qualifying him for special license plates consists in whole or in part of loss of an eye or a limb or an applicant with a one hundred percent permanent disability, as established by a physician's signed statement to that effect, need only furnish proof of disability to the director when initially applying for the special license plates and not thereafter, but in such case proof that the veteran is alive shall be required annually. [Each person qualifying under sections 301.071 to 301.075 may license only one motor vehicle under these provisions.] No commercial motor

vehicle in excess of twenty-four thousand pounds gross weight may

be licensed under the provisions of sections 301.071 to 301.075.

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301.075. There shall be no fee charged for <u>one set of</u>
license plates issued <u>to an eliqible person</u> under the provisions
of [this] <u>sections 301.071 to 301.075</u>. A <u>second or subsequent</u>
<u>set of license plates issued to the eliqible person under these</u>
<u>sections shall be subject to regular registration fees and the</u>
<u>fee required for personalized license plates under section</u>
301.144.

301.145. Any person who has been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor may apply for special motor vehicle license plates for any vehicle he or she owns, either solely or jointly, other than commercial vehicles weighing over twenty-four thousand pounds, as provided in this section. Any such person shall make application for the special license plates on a form provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof of receipt of the Congressional Medal of Honor as the director may require. The director shall then issue license plates bearing the words "CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR" in a [form] manner prescribed by the [advisory committee established in section 301.129, except that] director of revenue. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. There shall be no limit on the number of license plates any person qualified under this section may obtain so long as each set of license plates issued under this section is issued for

- 1 vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person. License plates
- 2 issued under this section shall not be transferable to any other
- 3 person except that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle
- 4 may operate the motor vehicle for the duration of the year
- 5 licensed in the event of the death of the qualified person.
- 6 There shall be no fee charged in addition to regular registration
- 7 fees for license plates issued under this section.