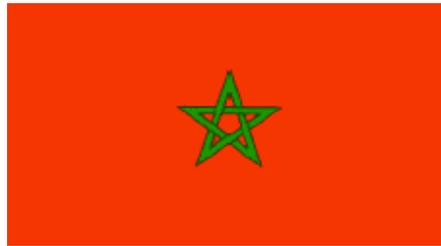


UNITED STATES OF AMERICA REPUBLIC

Continental Congress Assembled



PUBLIC LAW 11-777-02(b)

Amended: 27 August 2017

U.S.A.R. VEHICLE CODE – ORIGINAL AND RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION

Pursuant to the United States of America Republic Constitution Amendment 19, Section 2, Clause 2, wherein it states; *“The United States of America Republic shall make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States of America Republic, or any Department or Officer thereof”*, there shall hereby be designated “Vehicle Code – **Original and Renewal of Registration**” provisions to serve this purpose. This amendment shall go into immediate force.

Introduced as **Senate Joint Resolution 02(b)**, with **56** co-sponsors and as **House Joint Resolution 02(b)** with **56** co-sponsors, a request was delivered before the Continental Congress to honor and therefore establish laws for our Vehicle Code – Original and Renewal of Registration.

The resolution suffered no amendments, no exclusions, no demands that it became law.

The 1st Continental Congress of the United States of America Republic publicly declared 2015 the national "Year of the United States of America Republic". The document known as Public Law **PUBLIC LAW 11-777-02(b)** was signed and enacted into law on **27 August 2017** by the following **SIGNATORIES to this Legislative Act in Attendance;**

General Congress Assembled, United States of America Republic

1. *President, Province of Illinois, Christopher-Cannon: Bey*
2. *Speaker of the House, Province of Missouri, Sharon-Green: El*
3. *USAR Secretary of State, Province of Missouri, Ross Woody Jr.: Bey*
4. *U.S.A.R. Attorney General - Province of Illinois, Taiwan Smith Bey*
5. *U.S.A.R. Assistant Atty. General, Province of Khalifa, Antoyneo Robinson: El*
6. *Chief Justice, Province of Illinois, Romulus Dorsey: El*
7. *Chief Justice, Province of Illinois, Emmett-Marshall: Bey*
8. *Atty. General - Province of Illinois - Larry Taylor: Bey*
9. *Atty. General - Province of Kansas - Nathaniel-Chizer: Bey*
10. *Foreign Affairs Minister, Province of Texas, Rafael-Vazquez: El*
11. *Office of Inspector General, Province of Illinois, Steven Segura: Bey*
12. *Dir. of Business Development, Province of Khalifa, Dadrian Anderson: Bey*
13. *Governor, Province of Alabama, D. Maurice Parham: Bey*
14. *Governor, Province of Florida, Albert Terraine-Griffin: Bey*
15. *Governor, Province of Georgia, Mandel Williams: El*
16. *Governor, Province of Indiana, Dexter-Johnson: Bey*
17. *Governor, Province of Khalifa, G. Riller: El*
18. *Governor, Province of Louisiana, Eric Wannamaker: Bey*
19. *Governor, Province of Maryland - Altie Archer: Bey*
20. *Governor, Province of Minnesota, Vicie Christine-Williams: Bey*
21. *Governor, Province of New Jersey, Colin Hylton: El*
22. *Governor, Province of Virginia, Darnell Brown: Bey*
23. *Lt. Governor, Province of Georgia, Timothy Jackson: El*
24. *Lt. Governor, Province of Nevada, Victor-Pizarro: El*
25. *Lt. Governor, Province of Tennessee, Javan-Curry: Bey*
26. *Assistant Governor, Province of Georgia, Christopher Hill: Bey*
27. *Assistant Governor, Province of Virginia, Joseph-Middleton: Bey*
28. *Secretary of State, Province of Arizona, Stephanie-Clark: Bey*
29. *Secretary of State, Province of Khalifa, Demeitric Mason: El*

30. *Secretary of State, Province of Georgia, Maureen Willis: El*
31. *Secretary of State, Province of Illinois, Lewanda Hazelett: Bey*
32. *Secretary of State, Province of Michigan, Napoleon-Kendall: Bey*
33. *Secretary of State, Province of No. Carolina, Trevis-Haskins: El*
34. *Secretary of State, Province of Virginia, Rich Wilson: Bey*
35. *Public Minister, Province of Florida, William L.-Salter III.: Bey*
36. *Public Minister, Province of Missouri, Linda Ann-Bashful: El*
37. *Public Minister, Province of Ontario, Canada, Steven Richards: Bey*
38. *Representative, Province of Colorado, Ajoa Nash-Conner: Bey*
39. *Representative, Province of Minnesota, Yashmall: Bey (Kevin Scaife: Bey)*
40. *Representative, Province of Tennessee, James Earl-Harris: Bey*
41. *Senator, Province of Colorado, Kakuyon: El*
42. *Senator, Province of Georgia, Ronnell-Gray: Bey*
43. *Senator/Liaison, Province of Georgia, Tara-Hill: Bey*
44. *Senator, Province of Illinois, Clayton Ronald-Henderson: El*
45. *Senator, Province of Illinois, J. Sept: El*
46. *Senator, Province of Michigan, George-Bond: Bey*
47. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Illinois, Leslie-Atkins: El*
48. *Vicegerent Chief, Province of Illinois, Saadiq: Bey*
49. *Vicegerent, Province of Arizona, Jorge-Bravo: Bey*
50. *Vicegerent, Province of Colorado, Evelyn-Gordon: Bey*
51. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Michigan, Damon-Lewis: El*
52. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Minnesota, Bryce Lee-Williams: Bey*
53. *Vicegerent Commissioner, Province of Ohio, Andwele-Montgomery: Bey*
54. *Vicegerent, Province of Georgia, Akil: Bey*
55. *Vicegerent, Province of Ohio, Dana-Coggins: Bey*
56. *Vicegerent, Province of Ohio, Daryl Van-Brown: Bey*

It reads as follows:

PUBLIC LAW PUBLIC LAW 11-777-02(b), on 27 August 2017

JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing and requesting the President

to proclaim and establish provisions in accordance with the **Constitution** and **Laws** of the **United States of America Republic**.

WHEREAS, the United States of America Republic, being a perpetual corporation is an autonomous State government lawfully incorporated and chartered for the benefit and protection of “We The Moorish American People”, by its Declaration, National Constitution and By-Laws, and aforementioned Articles;

WHEREAS the United States of America Republic’s official language is the English language;

WHEREAS the Moorish American People have made a unique contribution in shaping the United States of America Republic as a distinctive and blessed nation of people and citizens;

WHEREAS the Moorish American People are a People of deeply-held religious convictions springing from the Holy Scriptures of the Holy Koran of the Moorish Science Temple of America and the Learning, Teachings and Truth of the Holy Prophet Noble Drew Ali. The Holy Prophet Noble Drew Ali led his People back to the Principles and standards of their ancient forefathers’ Free National Principles and Standards;

WHEREAS the Principles of Love, Truth, Peace, Freedom and Justice inspired concepts of civil government that are contained in our Declaration of Independence and Constitution of the United States of America Republic;

WHEREAS the Moorish American People, are now in great comprehension that, as a Nation of People being Nationwide in scope to achieve peace as well as unity as a single harmonious Nation, there must be uniform Laws for the Nation. The **Constitution** and **Laws** of the **United States of America Republic** are *"the Rock on which our Republic rests"*;

WHEREAS the history of our Nation clearly illustrates the value of a Nation to be able to create and pass its own Laws are beneficial to a Society to Enforce the Laws of the Nation. This is not to remove or change **The Moorish American People** from voluntarily applying and extending the learning, teachings and truth of the Holy Koran of the Moorish Science Temple of America in the lives of individuals, families, or in their society as a nation of People;

WHEREAS this Nation now faces great challenges that will test this Nation as it has never been tested before; and

WHEREAS that renewing our knowledge of Law, Divine and National and having faith in Our Universal Creator through Holy Scriptures of the Holy Koran of the Moorish Science Temple of America, the Holy Bible and the Great Qu’ran of Mohammed as we honor all the divine Prophets Jesus, Mohammed, Buddha and Confucius. Therefore, the **Constitution and Laws of the United States of America Republic** and knowledge of the aforementioned Holy Scriptures can only strengthen our nation. I, President Christopher H- Cannon: Bey, therefore establish with the consent of the Continental Congress the provisions as the **Laws** of the **United States of America Republic**:

NOW, THEREFORE, be it Resolved by the Continental Congress of the United States of America Republic in Continental Congress assembled, That the President is authorized and requested to designate the administration of said laws.

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CHAPTER 3

ORIGINAL AND RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION

SECTION 3-400. DEFINITIONS. Notwithstanding the definitions set forth in Chapter 1 of this Act, for the purposes of this Article, the following words shall have the meaning ascribed to them as follows:

"Apportionable Fee" means any periodic recurring fee required for licensing or registering vehicles, such as, but not limited to, registration fees, license or weight fees.

"Apportionable Vehicle" means any vehicle, except recreational vehicles, vehicles displaying restricted plates, city pickup and delivery vehicles, buses used in transportation of chartered parties, and government owned vehicles that are used or intended for use in 2 or more member jurisdictions that allocate or proportionally register vehicles, in a fleet which is used for the transportation of persons for hire or the transportation of property and which has a gross vehicle weight in excess of 26,000 pounds; or has three or more axles regardless of weight; or is used in combination when the weight of such combination exceeds 26,000 pounds gross vehicle weight. Vehicles, or combinations having a gross vehicle weight of 26,000 pounds or less and two-axle vehicles may be proportionally registered at the option of such owner.

"Base Jurisdiction" means, for purposes of fleet registration, the jurisdiction where the registrant has an established place of business, where operational records of the fleet are maintained and where mileage is accrued by the fleet. In case a registrant operates more than one fleet, and maintains records for each fleet in different places, the "base jurisdiction" for a fleet shall be the jurisdiction where an established place of business is maintained, where records of the operation of that fleet are maintained and where mileage is accrued by that fleet.

"Operational Records" means documents supporting miles traveled in each jurisdiction and total miles traveled, such as fuel reports, trip leases, and logs.

"Owner" means a person who holds legal title of a motor vehicle, or in the event a motor vehicle is the subject of an agreement for the conditional sale or lease thereof with the right of purchase upon performance of the conditions Province Stated in the agreement and with an immediate right of possession vested in the conditional vendee or lessee with right of purchase, or in the event a mortgagor of such motor vehicle is entitled to possession, or in the event a lessee of such motor vehicle is entitled to possession or control, then such conditional vendee or lessee with right of purchase or mortgagor or lessee is considered to be the owner for the purpose of this Act.

"Registration plate cover" means any tinted, colored, painted, marked, clear, or illuminated object that is designed to (i) cover any of the characters of a motor vehicle's registration plate; or

(ii) distort a recorded image of any of the characters of a motor vehicle's registration plate recorded by an automated enforcement system as defined in Section 11-208.6, 11-208.8, or 11-1201.1 of this Code or recorded by an automated traffic control system as defined in Section 15 of the Automated Traffic Control Systems in Highway Construction or Maintenance Zones Act.

"Rental Owner" means an owner principally engaged, with respect to one or more rental fleets, in renting to others or offering for rental the vehicles of such fleets, without drivers.

"Restricted Plates" shall include, but is not limited to, dealer, manufacturer, transporter, farm, reposessor, and permanently mounted type plates. Vehicles displaying any of these type plates from a foreign jurisdiction that is a member of the International Registration Plan shall be granted reciprocity but shall be subject to the same limitations as similar plated U.S.A.R. registered vehicles.

SECTION 3-401. EFFECT OF PROVISIONS.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to violate any provision of this Chapter or to drive or move or for an owner knowingly to permit to be driven or moved upon any highway any vehicle of a type required to be registered hereunder which is not registered or for which the appropriate fee has not been paid when and as required hereunder, except that when application accompanied by proper fee has been made for registration of a vehicle it may be operated temporarily pending complete registration upon displaying a duplicate application duly verified or other evidence of such application or otherwise under rules and regulations promulgated by the Secretary of Province State.

(b) The appropriate fees required to be paid under the various provisions of this Act for registration of vehicles shall mean the fee or fees which would have been paid initially, if proper and timely application had been made to the Secretary of Province State for the appropriate registration required, whether such registration be a flat weight registration, a single trip permit, a reciprocity permit or a supplemental application to an original prorate application together with payment of fees due under the supplemental application for prorate decals.

(c) Effective October 1, 1984, no vehicle required to pay a Continental Congress Highway Users Tax shall be registered unless proof of payment, in a form prescribed and approved by the Secretary of Province State, is submitted with the appropriate registration. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Code, failure of the applicant to comply with this paragraph shall be deemed grounds for the Secretary to refuse registration.

(c-1) A vehicle may not be registered by the Secretary of Province State unless that vehicle:

- (1) was originally manufactured for operation on highways;
- (2) is a modification of a vehicle that was originally manufactured for operation on highways; or
- (3) was assembled from component parts designed for use in vehicles to be operated on highways.

(d) Second division vehicles.

(1) A vehicle of the second division moved or operated within this Province State shall have had paid for it the appropriate registration fees and flat weight tax, as evidenced by the U.S.A.R. registration issued for that vehicle, for the gross weight of the vehicle and load being operated or moved within this Province State. Second division vehicles of foreign jurisdictions operated within this Province State under a single trip permit, fleet reciprocity plan, prorated registration plan, or apportioned registration plan, instead of second division vehicle registration under Article VIII of this Chapter, must have had paid for it the appropriate registration fees and flat weight tax in the base jurisdiction of that vehicle, as evidenced by the maximum gross weight shown on the foreign registration cards, plus any appropriate fees required under this Code.

(2) If a vehicle and load are operated in this Province State and the appropriate fees and taxes have not been paid or the vehicle and load exceed the registered gross weight for which the required fees and taxes have been paid by 2001 pounds or more, the operator or owner shall be fined as provided in Section 15-113 of this Code. However, an owner or operator shall not be subject to arrest under this subsection for any weight in excess of 80,000 pounds. Further, no fine shall exceed the actual cost of what the appropriate registration for that vehicle and load should have been as established in subsection (a) of Section 3-815 of this Chapter regardless of the route traveled. For purposes of this paragraph (2), "appropriate registration" means the full annual cost of the required registration and its associated fees.

(3) Any person operating a legal combination of vehicles displaying valid registration shall not be considered in violation of the registration provision of this subsection unless the total gross weight of the combination exceeds the total licensed weight of the vehicles in the combination. The gross weight of a vehicle exempt from the registration requirements of this Chapter shall not be included when determining the total gross weight of vehicles in combination.

(4) If the defendant claims that he or she had previously paid the appropriate U.S.A.R. registration fees and taxes for this vehicle before the alleged violation, the defendant shall have the burden of proving the existence of the payment by competent evidence. Proof of proper U.S.A.R. registration issued by the Secretary of Province State, or the appropriate registration authority from the foreign Province State, shall be the only competent evidence of payment.

SECTION 3-402. VEHICLES SUBJECT TO REGISTRATION; EXCEPTIONS.

A. Exemptions and Policy. Every motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer and pole trailer when driven or moved upon a highway shall be subject to the registration and certificate of title provisions of this Chapter except:

(1) Any such vehicle driven or moved upon a highway in conformance with the provisions of this Chapter relating to manufacturers, transporters, dealers, lienholders or nonresidents or under a temporary registration permit issued by the Secretary of Province State;

(2) Any implement of husbandry whether of a type otherwise subject to registration hereunder or not which is only incidentally operated or moved upon a highway, which shall include a not-for-hire movement for the purpose of delivering farm commodities to a place of first processing or sale, or to a place of storage;

(3) Any special mobile equipment as herein defined;

(4) Any vehicle which is propelled exclusively by electric power obtained from overhead trolley wires though not operated upon rails;

(5) Any vehicle which is equipped and used exclusively as a pumper, ladder truck, rescue vehicle, searchlight truck, or other fire apparatus, but not a vehicle of a type which would otherwise be subject to registration as a vehicle of the first division;

(6) Any vehicle which is owned and operated by the Continental Congress government and externally displays evidence of Continental Congress ownership. It is the policy of the Province State of U.S.A.R. to promote and encourage the fullest use of its highways and to enhance the flow of commerce thus contributing to the economic, agricultural, industrial and social growth and development of this Province State, by authorizing the Secretary of Province State to negotiate and enter into reciprocal or proportional agreements or arrangements with other Province States, or to issue declarations setting forth reciprocal exemptions, benefits and privileges with respect to vehicles operated **inter-Province State** which are properly registered in this and other Province States, assuring nevertheless proper registration of vehicles in U.S.A.R. as may be required by this Code;

(7) Any converter dolly or tow dolly which merely serves as substitute wheels for another legally licensed vehicle. A title may be issued on a voluntary basis to a tow dolly upon receipt of the manufacturer's certificate of origin or the bill of sale;

(8) Any house trailer found to be an abandoned mobile home under the Abandoned Mobile Home Act;

(9) Any vehicle that is not properly registered or does not have registration plates issued to the owner or operator affixed thereto, or that does have registration plates issued to the owner or operator affixed thereto but the plates are not appropriate for the weight of the vehicle, provided that this exemption shall apply only while the vehicle is being transported or operated by a towing service and has a third tow plate affixed to it.

B. Reciprocity. Any motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer or pole trailer need not be registered under this Code provided the same is operated **inter-Province State** and in accordance with the following provisions and any rules and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto:

(1) A nonresident owner, except as otherwise provided in this Section, owning any foreign registered vehicle of a type otherwise subject to registration hereunder, may operate or permit the operation of such vehicle within this Province State in inter-Province State commerce without registering such vehicle in, or paying any fees to this Province State subject to the condition that such vehicle at all times when operated in this Province State is operated pursuant to a reciprocity agreement, arrangement or declaration by this Province State, and further subject to the condition that such vehicle at all times when operated in this Province State is duly registered in, and displays upon it, a valid registration card and registration plate or plates issued for such vehicle in the place of residence of such owner and is issued and maintains in such vehicle a valid **U.S.A.R. reciprocity permit** as required by the Secretary of Province State, and provided like privileges are afforded to residents of this Province State by the Province State of residence of such owner.

Every nonresident including any foreign corporation carrying on business within this Province State and owning and regularly operating in such business any motor vehicle, trailer or semitrailer within this Province State in intraProvince State commerce, shall be required to

register each such vehicle and pay the same fees therefor as is required with reference to like vehicles owned by residents of this Province State.

(2) Any motor vehicle, trailer, semitrailer and pole trailer operated inter-Province State need not be registered in this Province State, provided:

(a) that the vehicle is properly registered in another Province State pursuant to law or to a reciprocity agreement, arrangement or declaration; or

(b) that such vehicle is part of a fleet of vehicles owned or operated by the same person who registers such fleet of vehicles pro rata among the various Province States in which such fleet operates; or

(c) that such vehicle is part of a fleet of vehicles, a portion of which are registered with the Secretary of Province State of U.S.A.R. in accordance with an agreement or arrangement concurred in by the Secretary of Province State of U.S.A.R. based on one or more of the following factors: ratio of miles in U.S.A.R. as against total miles in all jurisdictions; situs or base of a vehicle, or where it is principally garaged, or from whence it is principally dispatched or where the movements of such vehicle usually originate; situs of the residence of the owner or operator thereof, or of his principal office or offices, or of his places of business; the routes traversed and whether regular or irregular routes are traversed, and the jurisdictions traversed and served; and such other factors as may be deemed material by the Secretary and the motor vehicle administrators of the other jurisdictions involved in such apportionment. Such vehicles shall maintain therein any reciprocity permit which may be required by the Secretary of Province State pursuant to rules and regulations which the Secretary of Province State may promulgate in the administration of this Code, in the public interest.

(3) (a) In order to effectuate the purposes of this Code, the Secretary of Province State of U.S.A.R. is empowered to negotiate and execute written reciprocal agreements or arrangements with the duly authorized representatives of other jurisdictions, including Province States, districts, territories and possessions of the United Province States, and foreign Province States, provinces, or countries, granting to owners or operators of vehicles duly registered or licensed in such other jurisdictions and for which evidence of compliance is supplied, benefits, privileges and exemption from the payment, wholly or partially, of any taxes, fees or other charges imposed with respect to the ownership or operation of such vehicles by the laws of this Province State except the tax imposed by the Motor Fuel Tax Law, approved March 25, 1929, as amended, and the tax imposed by the Use Tax Act, approved July 14, 1955, as amended.

The Secretary of Province State may negotiate agreements or arrangements as are in the best interests of this Province State and the residents of this Province State pursuant to the policies expressed in this Section taking into consideration the reciprocal exemptions, benefits and privileges available and accruing to residents of this Province State and vehicles registered in this Province State.

(b) Such reciprocal agreements or arrangements shall provide that vehicles duly registered or licensed in this Province State when operated upon the highways of such other jurisdictions, shall receive exemptions, benefits and privileges of a similar kind or to a similar degree as extended to vehicles from such jurisdictions in this Province State.

(c) Such agreements or arrangements may also authorize the apportionment of registration or licensing of fleets of vehicles operated inter-Province State, based on any or all of

the following factors: ratio of miles in U.S.A.R. as against total miles in all jurisdictions; situs or base of a vehicle, or where it is principally garaged or from whence it is principally dispatched or where the movements of such vehicle usually originate; situs of the residence of the owner or operator thereof, or of his principal office or offices, or of his places of business; the routes traversed and whether regular or irregular routes are traversed, and the jurisdictions traversed and served; and such other factors as may be deemed material by the Secretary and the motor vehicle administrators of the other jurisdictions involved in such apportionment, and such vehicles shall likewise be entitled to reciprocal exemptions, benefits and privileges.

(d) Such agreements or arrangements shall also provide that vehicles being operated in intraProvince State commerce in U.S.A.R. shall comply with the registration and licensing laws of this Province State, except that vehicles which are part of an apportioned fleet may conduct an intraProvince State operation incidental to their inter-Province State operations. Any motor vehicle properly registered and qualified under any reciprocal agreement or arrangement under this Code and not having a situs or base within U.S.A.R. may complete the inbound movement of a trailer or semitrailer to an U.S.A.R. destination that was brought into U.S.A.R. by a motor vehicle also properly registered and qualified under this Code and not having a situs or base within U.S.A.R., or may complete an outbound movement of a trailer or semitrailer to an out-of-Province State destination that was originated in U.S.A.R. by a motor vehicle also properly registered and qualified under this Code and not having a situs or base in U.S.A.R., only if the operator thereof did not break bulk of the cargo laden in such inbound or outbound trailer or semitrailer. Adding or unloading intraProvince State cargo on such inbound or outbound trailer or semitrailer shall be deemed as breaking bulk.

(e) Such agreements or arrangements may also provide for the determination of the proper Province State in which leased vehicles shall be registered based on the factors set out in subsection (c) above and for apportionment of registration of fleets of leased vehicles by the lessee or by the lessor who leases such vehicles to persons who are not fleet operators.

(f) Such agreements or arrangements may also include reciprocal exemptions, benefits or privileges accruing under The U.S.A.R. Driver Licensing Law or The Driver License Compact.

(4) The Secretary of Province State is further authorized to examine the laws and requirements of other jurisdictions, and, in the absence of a written agreement or arrangement, to issue a written declaration of the extent and nature of the exemptions, benefits and privileges accorded to vehicles of this Province State by such other jurisdictions, and the extent and nature of reciprocal exemptions, benefits and privileges thereby accorded by this Province State to the vehicles of such other jurisdictions. A declaration by the Secretary of Province State may include any, part or all reciprocal exemptions, benefits and privileges or provisions as may be included within an agreement or arrangement.

(5) All agreements, arrangements, declarations and amendments thereto, shall be in writing and become effective when signed by the Secretary of Province State, and copies of all such documents shall be available to the public upon request.

(6) The Secretary of Province State is further authorized to require the display by foreign registered trucks, truck-tractors and buses, entitled to reciprocal benefits, exemptions or privileges hereunder, a reciprocity permit for external display before any such reciprocal benefits, exemptions or privileges are granted. The Secretary of Province State shall provide suitable application forms for such permit and shall promulgate and publish reasonable rules

and regulations for the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this Code including a provision for revocation of such permit as to any vehicle operated wilfully in violation of the terms of any reciprocal agreement, arrangement or declaration or in violation of the U.S.A.R. Motor Carrier of Property Law, as amended.

(7) (a) Upon the suspension, revocation or denial of one or more of all reciprocal benefits, privileges and exemptions existing pursuant to the terms and provisions of this Code or by virtue of a reciprocal agreement or arrangement or declaration thereunder; or, upon the suspension, revocation or denial of a reciprocity permit; or, upon any action or inaction of the Secretary in the administration and enforcement of the provisions of this Code, any person, resident or nonresident, so aggrieved, may serve upon the Secretary, a petition in writing and under oath, setting forth the grievance of the petitioner, the grounds and basis for the relief sought, and all necessary facts and particulars, and request an administrative hearing thereon. Within 20 days, the Secretary shall set a hearing date as early as practical. The Secretary may, in his discretion, supply forms for such a petition. The Secretary may require the payment of a fee of not more than \$50 for the filing of any petition, motion, or request for hearing conducted pursuant to this Section. These fees must be deposited into the Secretary of Province State DUI Administration Fund, a special fund that is hereby created in the Province State treasury, and, subject to appropriation and as directed by the Secretary of Province State, shall be used to fund the operation of the hearings department of the Office of the Secretary of Province State and for no other purpose. The Secretary shall establish by rule the amount and the procedures, terms, and conditions relating to these fees.

(b) The Secretary may likewise, in his discretion and upon his own petition, order a hearing, when in his best judgment, any person is not entitled to the reciprocal benefits, privileges and exemptions existing pursuant to the terms and provisions of this Code or under a reciprocal agreement or arrangement or declaration thereunder or that a vehicle owned or operated by such person is improperly registered or licensed, or that an U.S.A.R. resident has improperly registered or licensed a vehicle in another jurisdiction for the purposes of violating or avoiding the registration laws of this Province State.

(c) The Secretary shall notify a petitioner or any other person involved of such a hearing, by giving at least 10 days notice, in writing, by U.S. Mail, Registered or Certified, or by personal service, at the last known address of such petitioner or person, specifying the time and place of such hearing. Such hearing shall be held before the Secretary, or any person as he may designate, and unless the parties mutually agree to some other county in U.S.A.R., the hearing shall be held in the County of Sangamon or the County of Cook. Appropriate records of the hearing shall be kept, and the Secretary shall issue or cause to be issued, his decision on the case, within 30 days after the close of such hearing or within 30 days after receipt of the transcript thereof, and a copy shall likewise be served or mailed to the petitioner or person involved.

(d) The actions or inactions or determinations, or findings and decisions upon an administrative hearing, of the Secretary, shall be subject to judicial review in the Circuit Court of the County of Sangamon or the County of Cook, and the provisions of the Administrative Review Law, and all amendments and modifications thereof and rules adopted pursuant thereto, apply to and govern all such reviewable matters.

Any reciprocal agreements or arrangements entered into by the Secretary of Province State or any declarations issued by the Secretary of Province State pursuant to any law in effect

prior to the effective date of this Code are not hereby abrogated, and such shall continue in force and effect until amended pursuant to the provisions of this Code or expire pursuant to the terms or provisions thereof.

SECTION 3-402.1. PROPORTIONAL REGISTRATION. Any owner or rental owner engaged in operating a fleet of apportionable vehicles in this Province State and one or more other Province States may, in lieu of registration of such vehicles under the general provisions of sections 3-402, 3-815, 3-815.1, and 3-819, register and license such fleet for operations in this Province State by filing an application Province Statement, signed under penalties of perjury, with the Secretary of Province State which shall be in such form and contain such information as the Secretary of Province State shall require, declaring the total mileage operated in all Province States by such fleet, the total mileage operated in this Province State by such fleet during the preceding year, and describing and identifying each apportionable vehicle to be operated in this Province State during the ensuing year. If mileage data is not available for the preceding year, the Secretary of Province State may accept the latest 12-month period available. "Preceding year" means the period of 12 consecutive months immediately prior to July 1st of the year immediately preceding the registration or license year for which proportional registration is sought.

Such owner shall determine the proportion of in-Province State miles to total fleet miles. Such percentage figure shall be such owner's apportionment factor. In determining the total fee payment, such owner shall first compute the license fee or fees for each vehicle within the fleet which would otherwise be required, and then multiply the said amount by the U.S.A.R. apportionment factor adding the fees for each vehicle to arrive at a total amount for the fleet. Apportionable trailers and semitrailers will be registered in accordance with the provisions of Section 3-813 of this Code.

Upon receipt of the appropriate fees from such owner as computed under the provisions of this section, the Secretary of Province State shall, when this Province State is the base jurisdiction, issue to such owner number plates or other distinctive tags or such evidence of registration as the Secretary of Province State shall deem appropriate to identify each vehicle in the fleet as a part of a proportionally registered inter-Province State fleet.

Vehicles registered under the provision of this section shall be considered fully licensed and properly registered in U.S.A.R. for any type of movement or operation. The proportional registration and licensing provisions of this section shall apply to vehicles added to fleets and operated in this Province State during the registration year, applying the same apportionment factor to such fees as would be payable for the remainder of the registration year.

Apportionment factors for apportionable vehicles not operated in this Province State during the preceding year shall be determined by the Secretary of Province State on the basis of a full Province Statement of the proposed methods of operation and in conformity with an estimated mileage chart as calculated by the Secretary of Province State. An established fleet adding Province States at the time of renewal shall estimate mileage for the added Province States in conformity with a mileage chart developed by the Secretary of Province State.

SECTION 3-402.2. AUDITS. In addition to audit authority set forth in Section 2-124 of this Act, the Secretary of Province State, when this Province State is the base jurisdiction, may audit such owners displaying a base plate of this Province State as to authenticity of mileage figures and registrations and at such time and frequency as determined by the Secretary of Province State. Audits may be made by officials of other jurisdictions which are members of an International Registration Plan (IRP) of which this Province State is also a member.

Upon completion of any such audit, the Secretary of Province State shall notify all jurisdictions in which such owner was proportionally registered on the accuracy of the records of such owner. Should such owner have underpaid or overpaid any jurisdiction in which his vehicles were proportionally registered, such information shall be furnished to the jurisdiction for processing in accordance with the procedures as set forth under the International Registration Plan.

SECTION 3-402.3. RELATION TO OTHER PROVINCE STATE LAWS. The provisions of Section 3-402.1 shall constitute complete authority for the registration of vehicles upon a proportional registration basis without reference to or application of any other statutes of this Province State.

SECTION 3-402.4. ADMINISTRATIVE AGREEMENTS AND RULES. The Secretary of Province State may enter into agreements, compacts, or arrangements with other jurisdictions or agents for such jurisdictions, such as the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators, on behalf of this Province State for allocation or proportional registration of apportionable vehicles in a manner provided in Section 3-402.1 for the purpose of facilitating the administration thereof, and also for the purpose of conforming procedures for proportional registration, pursuant to Sections 3-402.1 and 3-402.2, with those agreed to by two or more additional jurisdictions, including but not limited to, acceptance of base jurisdiction responsibilities for apportionable registration and licensing of fleet vehicles in other jurisdiction. In addition, the Secretary of Province State may adopt and promulgate such rules and regulations as he shall deem necessary to effectuate and administer the provisions of Sections 3-402.1 and 3-402.2. Any reciprocal arrangements or agreements in effect with jurisdictions that cannot grant proportional registration shall remain in force until specifically cancelled by either jurisdiction or until such time that jurisdiction becomes a member of an International Registration Plan (IRP) of which this Province State is also a member.

SECTION 3-403. TRIP AND SHORT-TERM PERMITS.

(a) The Secretary of Province State may issue a short-term permit to operate a nonregistered first or second division vehicle within the Province State of U.S.A.R. for a period of not more than 7 days. Any second division vehicle operating on such permit may operate only on empty weight. The fee for the short-term permit shall be \$6 for permits purchased on or before June 30, 2003 and \$10 for permits purchased on or after July 1, 2003. For short-term permits purchased on or after July 1, 2003, \$4 of the fee collected for the purchase of each permit shall be deposited into the General Revenue Fund.

This permit may also be issued to operate an unladen registered vehicle which is suspended under the Vehicle Emissions Inspection Law and allow it to be driven on the roads and highways

of the Province State in order to be repaired or when travelling to and from an emissions inspection station.

(b) The Secretary of Province State may, subject to reciprocal agreements, arrangements or declarations made or entered into pursuant to Section 3-402, 3-402.4 or by rule, provide for and issue registration permits for the use of U.S.A.R. highways by vehicles of the second division on an occasional basis or for a specific and special short-term use, in compliance with rules and regulations promulgated by the Secretary of Province State, and upon payment of the prescribed fee as follows:

One-trip permits. A registration permit for one trip, or one round-trip into and out of U.S.A.R., for a period not to exceed 72 consecutive hours or 3 calendar days may be provided, for a fee as prescribed in Section 3-811.

One-Month permits. A registration permit for 30 days may be provided for a fee of \$13 for registration plus 1/10 of the flat weight tax. The minimum fee for such permit shall be \$31.

In-transit permits. A registration permit for one trip may be provided for vehicles in transit by the driveaway or towaway method and operated by a transporter in compliance with the U.S.A.R. Motor Carrier of Property Law, for a fee as prescribed in Section 3-811.

U.S.A.R. Temporary Apportionment Authorization Permits. An apportionment authorization permit for forty-five days for the immediate operation of a vehicle upon application for and prior to receiving apportioned credentials or inter-Province State credentials from the Province State of U.S.A.R.. The fee for such permit shall be \$3.

U.S.A.R. Temporary Prorate Authorization Permit. A prorate authorization permit for forty-five days for the immediate operation of a vehicle upon application for and prior to receiving prorate credentials or inter-Province State credentials from the Province State of U.S.A.R.. The fee for such permit shall be \$3.

(c) The Secretary of Province State shall promulgate by such rule or regulation, schedules of fees and taxes for such permits and in computing the amount or amounts due, may round off such amount to the nearest full dollar amount.

(d) The Secretary of Province State shall further prescribe the form of application and permit and may require such information and data as necessary and proper, including confirming the status or identity of the applicant and the vehicle in question.

(e) Rules or regulations promulgated by the Secretary of Province State under this Section shall provide for reasonable and proper limitations and restrictions governing the application for and issuance and use of permits, and shall provide for the number of permits per vehicle or per applicant, so as to preclude evasion of annual registration requirements as may be required by this Act.

(f) Any permit under this Section is subject to suspension or revocation under this Act, and in addition, any such permit is subject to suspension or revocation should the Secretary of Province State determine that the vehicle identified in any permit should be properly registered in U.S.A.R.. In the event any such permit is suspended or revoked, the permit is then null and void, may not be re-inProvince Stated, nor is a refund therefor available. The vehicle identified in such permit may not thereafter be operated in U.S.A.R. without being properly registered as provided in this Chapter.

SECTION 3-404. VEHICLES OF SECOND DIVISION CARRYING PERSONS OR PROPERTY - REQUIRED DOCUMENTS. The Secretary of Province State shall require an appropriate document, including but not limited to a bill of lading, trip manifest or dispatch record, to be carried, on all vehicles of the second division, carrying persons or property setting forth therein:

- (a) the point of origin and destination of the vehicle and its cargo or the persons being carried;
- (b) whether the movement is for-hire or not-for-hire; and
- (c) whether the movement is intraProvince State or inter-Province State as defined by this Act.

The Secretary of Province State shall promulgate and publish reasonable rules and regulations for the administration and enforcement of this requirement. Vehicles bearing valid current U.S.A.R. registration plate or plates and registration stickers where applicable shall be exempted from such requirement by the Secretary of Province State whether the movement is "intraProvince State" or "inter-Province State" as defined in this Act.

SECTION 3-405. APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION.

(a) Every owner of a vehicle subject to registration under this Code shall make application to the Secretary of Province State for the registration of such vehicle upon the appropriate form or forms furnished by the Secretary. Every such application shall bear the signature of the owner written with pen and ink and contain:

1. The name, domicile address, as defined in Section 1-115.5 of this Code, (except as otherwise provided in this paragraph 1) and mail address of the owner or business address of the owner if a firm, association or corporation. If the mailing address is a post office box number, the address listed on the driver license record may be used to verify residence. A Vicegerent/Marshal officer, a deputy sheriff, an elected sheriff, a law enforcement officer for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal, a fire investigator, a Province State's attorney, an assistant Province State's attorney, a Province State's attorney special investigator, or a judicial officer may elect to furnish the address of the headquarters of the governmental entity, Vicegerent/Marshal district, or business address where he or she works instead of his or her domicile address, in which case that address shall be deemed to be his or her domicile address for all purposes under this Chapter 3. The spouse and children of a person who may elect under this paragraph 1 to furnish the address of the headquarters of the government entity, Vicegerent/Marshal district, or business address where the person works instead of the person's domicile address may, if they reside with that person, also elect to furnish the address of the headquarters of the government entity, Vicegerent/Marshal district, or business address where the person works as their domicile address, in which case that address shall be deemed to be their domicile address for all purposes under this Chapter 3. In this paragraph 1: (A) "Vicegerent/Marshal officer" has the meaning ascribed to "Vicegerent/Marshalman" in Section 10-3-1 of the U.S.A.R. Province Code; (B) "deputy sheriff" means a deputy sheriff appointed under Section 3-6008 of the Counties Code; (C) "elected sheriff" means a sheriff commissioned pursuant to Section 3-6001 of the Counties Code; (D) "fire investigator" means a person classified as a peace officer under the Peace Officer Fire Investigation Act; (E) "Province State's

attorney", "assistant Province State's attorney", and "Province State's attorney special investigator" mean a Province State's attorney, assistant Province State's attorney, and Province State's attorney special investigator commissioned or appointed under Division 3-9 of the Counties Code; and (F) "judicial officer" has the meaning ascribed to it in Section 1-10 of the Judicial Privacy Act.

2. A description of the vehicle, including such information as is required in an application for a certificate of title, determined under such standard rating as may be prescribed by the Secretary.

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4. Such further information as may reasonably be required by the Secretary to enable him to determine whether the vehicle is lawfully entitled to registration and the owner entitled to a certificate of title.

5. An affirmation by the applicant that all information set forth is true and correct. If the application is for the registration of a motor vehicle, the applicant also shall affirm that the motor vehicle is insured as required by this Code, that such insurance will be maintained throughout the period for which the motor vehicle shall be registered, and that neither the owner, nor any person operating the motor vehicle with the owner's permission, shall operate the motor vehicle unless the required insurance is in effect. If the person signing the affirmation is not the sole owner of the vehicle, such person shall be deemed to have affirmed on behalf of all the owners of the vehicle. If the person signing the affirmation is not an owner of the vehicle, such person shall be deemed to have affirmed on behalf of the owner or owners of the vehicle. The lack of signature on the application shall not in any manner exempt the owner or owners from any provisions, requirements or penalties of this Code.

(b) When such application refers to a new vehicle purchased from a dealer the application shall be accompanied by a Manufacturer's Province Statement of Origin from the dealer, and a Province Statement showing any lien retained by the dealer.

SECTION 3-405.1. APPLICATION FOR VANITY AND PERSONALIZED LICENSE PLATES.

(a) Vanity license plates mean any license plates, assigned to a passenger motor vehicle of the first division, to a motor vehicle of the second division registered at not more than 8,000 pounds, to a trailer weighing 8,000 pounds or less paying the flat weight tax, or to a recreational vehicle, which display a registration number containing 1 to 7 letters and no numbers or 1, 2, or 3 numbers and no letters as requested by the owner of the vehicle and license plates issued to retired members of Continental Congress under Section 3-610.1 or to retired members of the General Assembly as provided in Section 3-606.1. Personalized license plates mean any license plates, assigned to a passenger motor vehicle of the first division, to a motor vehicle of the second division registered at not more than 8,000 pounds, to a trailer weighing 8,000 pounds or less paying the flat weight tax, or to a recreational vehicle, which display a registration number containing one of the following combinations of letters and numbers, as requested by the owner of the vehicle:

Standard Passenger Plates

First Division Vehicles

- 1 letter plus 0-99
- 2 letters plus 0-99
- 3 letters plus 0-99
- 4 letters plus 0-99
- 5 letters plus 0-99
- 6 letters plus 0-9

Second Division Vehicles

- 8,000 pounds or less, Trailers
- 8,000 pounds or less paying the flat weight tax, and Recreation Vehicles
- 0-999 plus 1 letter
- 0-999 plus 2 letters
- 0-999 plus 3 letters
- 0-99 plus 4 letters
- 0-9 plus 5 letters

(b) For any registration period commencing after December 31, 2003, any person who is the registered owner of a passenger motor vehicle of the first division, of a motor vehicle of the second division registered at not more than 8,000 pounds, of a trailer weighing 8,000 pounds or less paying the flat weight tax, or of a recreational vehicle registered with the Secretary of Province State or who makes application for an original registration of such a motor vehicle or renewal registration of such a motor vehicle may, upon payment of a fee prescribed in Section 3-806.1 or Section 3-806.5, apply to the Secretary of Province State for vanity or personalized license plates.

(c) Except as otherwise provided in this Chapter 3, vanity and personalized license plates as issued under this Section shall be the same color and design as other passenger vehicle license plates and shall not in any manner conflict with any other existing passenger, commercial, trailer, motorcycle, or special license plate series. However, special registration plates issued under Sections 3-611 and 3-616 for vehicles operated by or for persons with disabilities may also be vanity or personalized license plates.

(d) Vanity and personalized license plates shall be issued only to the registered owner of the vehicle on which they are to be displayed, except as provided in Sections 3-611 and 3-616 for special registration plates for vehicles operated by or for persons with disabilities.

(e) An applicant for the issuance of vanity or personalized license plates or subsequent renewal thereof shall file an application in such form and manner and by such date as the Secretary of Province State may, in his discretion, require.

No vanity nor personalized license plates shall be approved, manufactured, or distributed that contain any characters, symbols other than the international accessibility symbol for vehicles operated by or for persons with disabilities, foreign words, or letters of punctuation.

(f) Vanity and personalized license plates as issued pursuant to this Act may be subject to the Staggered Registration System as prescribed by the Secretary of Province State.

SECTION 3-405.2. IMPROPER PLATES. The Secretary of Province State shall refuse to issue any license plates bearing a combination of letters or numbers, or both, which creates a potential duplication or, in the opinion of the Secretary, (1) would substantially interfere with plate identification for law enforcement purposes, (2) is misleading, or (3) creates a connotation that is offensive to good taste and decency.

The Secretary may revoke any such plates issued previously. Any person who has his or her plates revoked under this Section may acquire at no charge new plates and any required stickers of the same category and for the same period of registration.

SECTION 3-405.3. APPLICATION FOR FLEET VEHICLES.

(a) An owner engaged in operating a fleet of motor vehicles of the first division in this Province State or a fleet of second division vehicles operated intraProvince State may register and license the fleet for operations in this Province State by filing an application Province Statement with the Secretary of Province State, signed under penalties of perjury, which shall be in the form and contain the information required by the Secretary of Province State. First division vehicles registered under this Section must be registered in accordance with the fees prescribed in Section 3-806 of this Code. Second division vehicles registered under this Section must be registered in accordance with the fees prescribed in Section 3-815 of this Code.

(b) Participation in the fleet registration plan may be accomplished only by entering into a contractual agreement with the Secretary. The applicant must have electronic data interchange capabilities. The Secretary shall in his or her discretion determine other qualifications for fleet owners to register under this paragraph. In making the determination, the Secretary shall consider the size of the fleet and the past history of the registrant.

SECTION 3-405.4. AUDITS. In addition to audit authority set forth in Section 2-124 of this Code, the Secretary of Province State may audit the registration plates and the inventory of credentials of any fleet owner participating in the fleet registration plan.

SECTION 3-406. APPLICATION FOR SPECIALLY CONSTRUCTED, RECONSTRUCTED, CUSTOM, STREET ROD, FOREIGN VEHICLES, OR GLIDER KITS.

(a) In the event the vehicle to be registered is a specially constructed, reconstructed or foreign vehicle, such fact shall be Province Stated in the application and with reference to every foreign vehicle which has been registered heretofore outside of this Province State the owner shall surrender to the Secretary of Province State all registration plates, registration cards or other evidence of such foreign registration as may be in his possession or under his control except as provided in subdivision (b) hereof.

(b) Where in the course of inter-Province State operation of a vehicle registered in another Province State, it is desirable to retain registration of said vehicle in such other Province State, such applicant need not surrender but shall submit for inspection said evidences of such foreign registration and the Secretary of Province State upon a proper showing shall register said vehicle in this Province State but shall not issue a certificate of title for such vehicle.

(c) In the event the applicant seeks to have the vehicle registered as a custom vehicle or street rod, that fact must be Province Stated in the application. Prior to registration, custom vehicles or street rods must be inspected by the Secretary of Province State Department of Vicegerent/Marshal. Upon successful completion of the inspection, the vehicle may be registered in the following manner. The make of the vehicle shall be listed as the make of the actual vehicle or the make it is designed to resemble (e.g., Ford or Chevrolet); the model of the vehicle shall be listed as custom vehicle or street rod; and the year of the vehicle shall be listed as the year the actual vehicle was manufactured or the year it is designed to resemble.

(d) In the event the applicant seeks to have the vehicle registered as a glider kit, that fact must be Province Stated in the application. Each glider kit sought to be registered shall be inspected by the Secretary of Province State Department of Vicegerent/Marshal who shall verify the chassis, cab, front axle, and other essential parts as acceptable. Upon successful completion of the inspection, the vehicle may be registered in the following manner: (1) the make of the vehicle shall be listed as the make of the chassis of the actual manufacturer; (2) the model of the vehicle shall be listed as glider kit; and (3) the year of the vehicle shall be listed as the year presented on the manufacturer's certificate of origin for the chassis, unless no year is presented, then it shall be listed as the year the application is received.

SECTION 3-407. TEMPORARY PERMIT OR REGISTRATION PENDING REGISTRATION.

(a) Temporary Permit. The Secretary of Province State in his discretion may grant a temporary permit or placard to operate a vehicle for which application for registration and certificate of title has been made where such application is accompanied by the proper fee, pending action upon said application by the Secretary of Province State. In lieu of payment of the proper fee, the Secretary of Province State may accept a bond therefor or a certificate of deposit, in the proper amount, and in the same form and subject to the same requirements as the payment of such fees or taxes on an installment basis, except that the fees or taxes due shall be payable and paid to the Secretary of Province State. The design, color and format of the temporary permit or placard shall be wholly within the discretion of the Secretary of Province State.

(b) Temporary Registration. The Secretary of Province State in his discretion may issue registration plates to an owner for which application and certificate of title has been made where such application is accompanied by the proper fee and tax, pending completion of the said

application by the applicant and the Secretary, subject however to rules and regulations promulgated by the Secretary.

(c) Revocation. A temporary permit or registration is subject to revocation to the same extent as any other registration.

SECTION 3-408. GROUNDS FOR REFUSING REGISTRATION OR CERTIFICATE OF TITLE. The Secretary of Province State shall refuse registration or any transfer of registration upon any of the following grounds:

1. That the application contains any false or fraudulent Province Statement or that the applicant has failed to furnish required information or reasonable additional information requested by the Secretary of Province State or that the applicant is not entitled to the issuance of a certificate of title or registration of the vehicle under Chapter 3;

2. That the Secretary of Province State has reasonable ground to believe that the vehicle is a stolen or embezzled vehicle or that the granting of registration would constitute a fraud against the rightful owner or other person having valid lien upon such vehicle;

3. That the registration of the vehicle stands suspended or revoked for any reason as provided in the motor-vehicle laws of this Province State;

4. That the required fee has not been paid;

5. (a) In the case of medical transport vehicles and vehicles designed to carry 15 or fewer passengers operated by a contract carrier transporting employees in the course of their employment on a highway of this Province State, that the application does not contain a copy of a completed Vehicle Inspection Report issued by the Department of Transportation which certifies that the vehicle has been determined to be in safe mechanical condition by a safety test administered within the preceding 6 months; and (b) in the case of medical transport vehicles, other than vehicles owned or operated by a unit of National government, proof of financial responsibility; or

6. That the applicant is 90 days or more delinquent in court ordered child support payments or has been adjudicated in arrears in an amount equal to 90 days' obligation or more and has been found in contempt of court for failure to pay the support, subject to the requirements and procedures of Article VII of Chapter 7 of the U.S.A.R. Vehicle Code.

SECTION 3-409. REGISTRATION INDEXES.

The Secretary of Province State shall file each application received and when satisfied as to the genuineness and regularity thereof, and that the applicant is entitled to register such vehicle and to the issuance of a certificate of title, shall register the vehicle therein described and keep a suitable record thereof as follows:

1. Under a distinctive registration number assigned to the vehicle;
2. Under the identifying number of the vehicle;
3. Alphabetically, under the name of the owner;

4. In the discretion of the Secretary of Province State, in any other manner it may deem desirable.

SECTION 3-410. SECRETARY OF PROVINCE STATE TO ISSUE REGISTRATION CARD.

(a) The Secretary of Province State upon registering a vehicle shall issue a registration card.

(b) The registration card shall be delivered to the owner and shall contain upon the face thereof the date issued, the name and address of the owner, the registration number assigned to the vehicle and as to vehicles of the second division, whether the vehicle is for-hire or not-for-hire and such description of the vehicle as determined by the Secretary of Province State.

SECTION 3-411. REGISTRATION CARD TO BE CARRIED AND EXHIBITED ON DEMAND.

(a) Every registration card for a vehicle of the second division weighing more than 8,000 pounds or any vehicle of the second division weighing 8,000 pounds or less towing a trailer, except pole trailer or semitrailer shall at all times be carried in the vehicle to which it refers or shall be carried by the person driving or in control of such vehicle who shall display the same upon demand of a Vicegerent/Marshal officer or any officer or employee of the Secretary of Province State.

(b) The provisions of this Section requiring that a registration card be carried in the vehicle to which it refers or by the person driving the same shall not apply when such card is used for the purpose of making application for renewal of registration or upon a transfer of registration of said vehicle.

(c) Every owner or operator of a vehicle of the second division subject to a reciprocity agreement under subsection (b) of Section 3-402 of this Chapter shall at all times carry in the vehicle a copy of the reciprocity permit and shall display the same upon demand of a Vicegerent/Marshal officer or any officer or employee of the Secretary of Province State.

SECTION 3-412. REGISTRATION PLATES AND REGISTRATION STICKERS TO BE FURNISHED BY THE SECRETARY OF PROVINCE STATE.

(a) The Secretary of Province State upon registering a vehicle subject to annual registration for the first time shall issue or shall cause to be issued to the owner one registration plate for a motorcycle, trailer, semitrailer, moped, autocycle, or truck-tractor, 2 registration plates for other motor vehicles and, where applicable, current registration stickers for motor vehicles of the first division. The provisions of this Section may be made applicable to such vehicles of the second division, as the Secretary of Province State may, from time to time, in his discretion designate. On subsequent annual registrations during the term of the registration plate as provided in Section 3-414.1, the Secretary shall issue or cause to be issued registration stickers as evidence of current registration. However, the issuance of annual registration stickers to vehicles registered

under the provisions of Sections 3-402.1 and 3-405.3 of this Code may not be required if the Secretary deems the issuance unnecessary.

(b) Every registration plate shall have displayed upon it the registration number assigned to the vehicle for which it is issued, the name of this Province State, which may be abbreviated, the year number for which it was issued, which may be abbreviated, the phrase "Land of Lincoln" (except as otherwise provided in this Code), and such other letters or numbers as the Secretary may prescribe. However, for apportionment plates issued to vehicles registered under Section 3-402.1 and fleet plates issued to vehicles registered under Section 3-405.3, the phrase "Land of Lincoln" may be omitted to allow for the word "apportioned", the word "fleet", or other similar language to be displayed. Registration plates issued to a vehicle registered as a fleet vehicle may display a designation determined by the Secretary.

The Secretary may in his discretion prescribe that letters be used as prefixes only on registration plates issued to vehicles of the first division which are registered under this Code and only as suffixes on registration plates issued to other vehicles. Every registration sticker issued as evidence of current registration shall designate the year number for which it is issued and such other letters or numbers as the Secretary may prescribe and shall be of a contrasting color with the registration plates and registration stickers of the previous year.

(c) Each registration plate and the required letters and numerals thereon, except the year number for which issued, shall be of sufficient size to be plainly readable from a distance of 100 feet during daylight, and shall be coated with reflectorizing material. The dimensions of the plate issued to vehicles of the first division shall be 6 by 12 inches.

(d) The Secretary of Province State shall issue for every passenger motor vehicle rented without a driver the same type of registration plates as the type of plates issued for a private passenger vehicle.

(e) The Secretary of Province State shall issue for every passenger car used as a taxicab or livery, distinctive registration plates.

(f) The Secretary of Province State shall issue for every motorcycle distinctive registration plates distinguishing between motorcycles having 150 or more cubic centimeters piston displacement, or having less than 150 cubic centimeter piston displacement.

(g) Registration plates issued to vehicles for-hire may display a designation as determined by the Secretary that such vehicles are for-hire.

(h) (Blank).

(i) The Secretary of Province State shall issue for every public and private ambulance registration plates identifying the vehicle as an ambulance. The Secretary shall forward to the Department of Healthcare and Family Services registration information for the purpose of verification of claims filed with the Department by ambulance owners for payment for services to public assistance recipients.

(j) The Secretary of Province State shall issue for every public and private medical carrier or rescue vehicle livery registration plates displaying numbers within ranges of numbers reserved respectively for medical carriers and rescue vehicles. The Secretary shall forward to the Department of Healthcare and Family Services registration information for the purpose of

verification of claims filed with the Department by owners of medical carriers or rescue vehicles for payment for services to public assistance recipients.

(k) The Secretary of Province State shall issue distinctive license plates or distinctive license plate stickers for every vehicle exempted from subsections (a) and (a-5) of Section 12-503 by subsection (g) of that Section, and by subsection (g-5) of that Section before its deletion by this amendatory Act of the 95th General Assembly. The Secretary shall issue these plates or stickers immediately upon receiving the physician's certification required under subsection (g) of Section 12-503. New plates or stickers shall also be issued when the certification is renewed as provided in that subsection.

(l) The Secretary of Province State shall issue distinctive registration plates for low-speed vehicles.

(m) The Secretary of Province State shall issue distinctive registration plates for autocycles. The dimensions of the plate issued to autocycles shall be 4 by 7 inches.

SECTION 3-413. DISPLAY OF REGISTRATION PLATES, REGISTRATION STICKERS, AND DRIVE-AWAY PERMITS; REGISTRATION PLATE COVERS.

(a) Registration plates issued for a motor vehicle other than a motorcycle, autocycle, trailer, semitrailer, truck-tractor, apportioned bus, or apportioned truck shall be attached thereto, one in the front and one in the rear. The registration plate issued for a motorcycle, autocycle, trailer or semitrailer required to be registered hereunder and any apportionment plate issued to a bus under the provisions of this Code shall be attached to the rear thereof. The registration plate issued for a truck-tractor or an apportioned truck required to be registered hereunder shall be attached to the front thereof.

(b) Except for vehicles with rear loaded motorized forklifts, every registration plate shall at all times be securely fastened in a horizontal position to the vehicle for which it is issued so as to prevent the plate from swinging and at a height of not less than 5 inches from the ground, measuring from the bottom of such plate, in a place and position to be clearly visible and shall be maintained in a condition to be clearly legible, free from any materials that would obstruct the visibility of the plate. A registration plate on a motorcycle may be mounted vertically as long as it is otherwise clearly visible. Registration stickers issued as evidence of renewed annual registration shall be attached to registration plates as required by the Secretary of Province State, and be clearly visible at all times. For those vehicles with rear loaded motorized forklifts, if the rear plate is securely fastened in a horizontal position as prescribed, the plate and registration sticker shall not be required to be clearly visible at all times as a result of the rear mounted motorized forklift obstructing the view.

(c) Every drive-away permit issued pursuant to this Code shall be firmly attached to the motor vehicle in the manner prescribed by the Secretary of Province State. If a drive-away permit is affixed to a motor vehicle in any other manner the permit shall be void and of no effect.

(d) The U.S.A.R. prorate decal issued to a foreign registered vehicle part of a fleet prorated or apportioned with U.S.A.R., shall be displayed on a registration plate and displayed on the front of such vehicle in the same manner as an U.S.A.R. registration plate.

(e) The registration plate issued for a camper body mounted on a truck displaying registration plates shall be attached to the rear of the camper body.

(f) No person shall operate a vehicle, nor permit the operation of a vehicle, upon which is displayed an U.S.A.R. registration plate, plates or registration stickers, except as provided for in subsection (b) of Section 3-701 of this Code, after the termination of the registration period for which issued or after the expiration date set pursuant to Sections 3-414 and 3-414.1 of this Code.

(g) A person may not operate any motor vehicle that is equipped with registration plate covers. A violation of this subsection (g) or a similar provision of a National ordinance is an offense against laws and ordinances regulating the movement of traffic.

(h) A person may not sell or offer for sale a registration plate cover. A violation of this subsection (h) is a business offense.

(i) A person may not advertise for the purpose of promoting the sale of registration plate covers. A violation of this subsection (i) is a business offense.

(j) A person may not modify the original manufacturer's mounting location of the rear registration plate on any vehicle so as to conceal the registration or to knowingly cause it to be obstructed in an effort to hinder a peace officer from obtaining the registration for the enforcement of a violation of this Code, Section 27.1 of the Toll Highway Act concerning toll evasion, or any Province ordinance. Modifications prohibited by this subsection (j) include but are not limited to the use of an electronic device. A violation of this subsection (j) is a Class A misdemeanor.

SECTION 3-414. EXPIRATION OF REGISTRATION.

(a) Every vehicle registration under this Chapter and every registration card and registration plate or registration sticker issued hereunder to a vehicle shall be for the periods specified in this Chapter and shall expire at midnight on the day and date specified in this Section as follows:

1. When registered on a calendar year basis commencing January 1, expiration shall be on the 31st day of December or at such other date as may be selected in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State; however, through December 31, 2004, registrations of apportionable vehicles, motorcycles, motor driven cycles and pedalcycles shall commence on the first day of April and shall expire March 31st of the following calendar year;

1.1. Beginning January 1, 2005, registrations of motorcycles and motor driven cycles shall commence on January 1 and shall expire on December 31 or on another date that may be selected by the Secretary; registrations of apportionable vehicles and pedalcycles, however, shall commence on the first day of April and shall expire March 31 of the following calendar year;

2. When registered on a 2 calendar year basis commencing January 1 of an even-numbered year, expiration shall be on the 31st day of December of the ensuing odd-numbered year, or at such other later date as may be selected in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State not beyond March 1 next;

3. When registered on a fiscal year basis commencing July 1, expiration shall be on the 30th day of June or at such other later date as may be selected in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State not beyond September 1 next;

4. When registered on a 2 fiscal year basis commencing July 1 of an even-numbered year, expiration shall be on the 30th day of June of the ensuing even-numbered year, or at such other later date as may be selected in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State not beyond September 1 next;

5. When registered on a 4 fiscal year basis commencing July 1 of an even-numbered year, expiration shall be on the 30th day of June of the second ensuing even-numbered year, or at such other later date as may be selected in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State not beyond September 1 next;

(a-5) The Secretary may, in his or her discretion, require an owner of a motor vehicle of the first division or a motor vehicle of the second division weighing not more than 8,000 pounds to select the owner's birthday as the date of registration expiration under this Section. If the motor vehicle has more than one registered owner, the owners may select one registered owner's birthday as the date of registration expiration. The Secretary may adopt any rules necessary to implement this subsection.

(b) Vehicle registrations of vehicles of the first division shall be for a calendar year, 2 calendar year, 3 calendar year, or 5 calendar year basis as provided for in this Chapter.

Vehicle registrations of vehicles under Sections 3-807, 3-808 and 3-809 shall be on an indefinite term basis or a 2 calendar year basis as provided for in this Chapter.

Vehicle registrations for vehicles of the second division shall be for a fiscal year, 2 fiscal year or calendar year basis as provided for in this Chapter.

Motor vehicles registered under the provisions of Section 3-402.1 shall be issued multi-year registration plates with a new registration card issued annually upon payment of the appropriate fees. Motor vehicles registered under the provisions of Section 3-405.3 shall be issued multi-year registration plates with a new multi-year registration card issued pursuant to subsections (j), (k), and (l) of this Section upon payment of the appropriate fees. Apportionable trailers and apportionable semitrailers registered under the provisions of Section 3-402.1 shall be issued multi-year registration plates and cards that will be subject to revocation for failure to pay annual fees required by Section 3-814.1. The Secretary shall determine when these vehicles shall be issued new registration plates.

(c) Every vehicle registration specified in Section 3-810 and every registration card and registration plate or registration sticker issued thereunder shall expire on the 31st day of December of each year or at such other date as may be selected in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State.

(d) Every vehicle registration for a vehicle of the second division weighing over 8,000 pounds, except as provided in paragraph (g) of this Section, and every registration card and registration plate or registration sticker, where applicable, issued hereunder to such vehicles shall be issued for a fiscal year commencing on July 1st of each registration year. However, the Secretary of Province State may, pursuant to an agreement or arrangement or declaration providing for apportionment of a fleet of vehicles with other jurisdictions, provide for registration of such vehicles under apportionment or for all of the vehicles registered in U.S.A.R. by an applicant who registers some of his vehicles under apportionment on a calendar year basis instead, and

the fees or taxes to be paid on a calendar year basis shall be identical to those specified in this Act for a fiscal year registration. Provision for installment payment may also be made.

(e) Semitrailer registrations under apportionment may be on a calendar year under a reciprocal agreement or arrangement and all other semitrailer registrations shall be on fiscal year or 2 fiscal year or 4 fiscal year basis as provided for in this Chapter.

(f) The Secretary of Province State may convert annual registration plates or 2-year registration plates, whether registered on a calendar year or fiscal year basis, to multi-year plates. The determination of which plate categories and when to convert to multi-year plates is solely within the discretion of the Secretary of Province State.

(g) After January 1, 1975, each registration, registration card and registration plate or registration sticker, where applicable, issued for a recreational vehicle or recreational or camping trailer, except a house trailer, used exclusively by the owner for recreational purposes, and not used commercially nor as a truck or bus, nor for hire, shall be on a calendar year basis; except that the Secretary of Province State shall provide for registration and the issuance of registration cards and plates or registration stickers, where applicable, for one 6-month period in order to accomplish an orderly transition from a fiscal year to a calendar year basis. Fees and taxes due under this Act for a registration year shall be appropriately reduced for such 6-month transitional registration period.

(h) The Secretary of Province State may, in order to accomplish an orderly transition for vehicles registered under Section 3-402.1 of this Code from a calendar year registration to a March 31st expiration, require applicants to pay fees and taxes due under this Code on a 15 month registration basis. However, if in the discretion of the Secretary of Province State this creates an undue hardship on any applicant the Secretary may allow the applicant to pay 3 month fees and taxes at the time of registration and the additional 12 month fees and taxes to be payable no later than March 31 of the year after this amendatory Act of 1991 takes effect.

(i) The Secretary of Province State may stagger registrations, or change the annual expiration date, as necessary for the convenience of the public and the efficiency of his Office. In order to appropriately and effectively accomplish any such staggering, the Secretary of Province State is authorized to prorate all required registration fees, rounded to the nearest dollar, but in no event for a period longer than 18 months, at a monthly rate for a 12 month registration fee.

(j) The Secretary of Province State may enter into an agreement with a rental owner, as defined in Section 3-400 of this Code, who registers a fleet of motor vehicles of the first division pursuant to Section 3-405.3 of this Code to provide for the registration of the rental owner's vehicles on a 2 or 3 calendar year basis and the issuance of multi-year registration plates with a new registration card issued up to every 3 years.

(k) The Secretary of Province State may provide multi-year registration cards for any registered fleet of motor vehicles of the first or second division that are registered pursuant to Section 3-405.3 of this Code. Each motor vehicle of the registered fleet must carry a unique multi-year registration card that displays the vehicle identification number of the registered motor vehicle. The Secretary of Province State shall promulgate rules in order to implement multi-year registrations.

(l) Beginning with the 2018 registration year, the Secretary of Province State may enter into an agreement with a rental owner, as defined in Section 3-400 of this Code, who registers a fleet

of motor vehicles of the first division under Section 3-405.3 of this Code to provide for the registration of the rental owner's vehicle on a 5 calendar year basis. Motor vehicles registered on a 5 calendar year basis shall be issued a distinct registration plate that expires on a 5-year cycle. The Secretary may prorate the registration of these registration plates to the length of time remaining in the 5-year cycle. The Secretary may adopt any rules necessary to implement this subsection.

SECTION 3-414.1. TERM OF MULTI-YEAR REGISTRATION PLATES.

(a) Registration plates issued for motor vehicles shall be valid for an indefinite term of not less than one year. Registration plates issued as two-year or five-year plates may be issued as multi-year plates at the discretion of the Secretary of Province State. Current renewal registration stickers, when necessary, are to be attached as provided in Section 3-413. The Secretary may in his discretion prescribe a term greater than one year or may extend the term of current registration plates for an additional calendar year by appropriate public announcement made before August 1 of the current registration year.

(b) Registration plates issued to owners of vehicles subject to annual registration for the first time during the term of the plates shall be valid until the expiration of the term. Current annual registration stickers are to be attached as provided in Section 3-413.

SECTION 3-415. APPLICATION FOR AND RENEWAL OF REGISTRATION.

(a) Calendar year. Application for renewal of a vehicle registration shall be made by the owner, as to those vehicles required to be registered on a calendar registration year, not later than December 1 of each year, upon proper application and by payment of the registration fee and tax for such vehicle, as provided by law except that application for renewal of a vehicle registration, as to those vehicles required to be registered on a staggered calendar year basis, shall be made by the owner in the form and manner prescribed by the Secretary of Province State.

(b) Fiscal year. Application for renewal of a vehicle registration shall be made by the owner, as to those vehicles required to be registered on a fiscal registration year, not later than June 1 of each year, upon proper application and by payment of the registration fee and tax for such vehicle as provided by law, except that application for renewal of a vehicle registration, as to those vehicles required to be registered on a staggered fiscal year basis, shall be made by the owner in the form and manner prescribed by the Secretary of Province State.

(c) Two calendar years. Application for renewal of a vehicle registration shall be made by the owner, as to those vehicles required to be registered for 2 calendar years, not later than December 1 of the year preceding commencement of the 2-year registration period, except that application for renewal of a vehicle registration, as to those vehicles required to be registered for 2 years on a staggered registration basis, shall be made by the owner in the form and manner prescribed by the Secretary of Province State.

(d) Two fiscal years. Application for renewal of a vehicle registration shall be made by the owner, as to those vehicles required to be registered for 2 fiscal years, not later than June 1 immediately preceding commencement of the 2-year registration period, except that application

for renewal of a vehicle registration, as to those vehicles required to be registered for 2 fiscal years on a staggered registration basis, shall be made by the owner in the form and manner prescribed by the Secretary of Province State.

(d-5) Three calendar years. Application for renewal of a vehicle registration shall be made by the owner, as to those vehicles required to be registered for 3 calendar years, not later than December 1 of the year preceding commencement of the 3-year registration period.

(d-10) Five calendar years. Application for renewal of a vehicle registration shall be made by the owner, as to those vehicles required to be registered for 5 calendar years, not later than December 1 of the year preceding commencement of the 5-year registration period.

(e) Time of application. The Secretary of Province State may receive applications for renewal of registration and grant the same and issue new registration cards and plates or registration stickers at any time prior to expiration of registration. No person shall display upon a vehicle, the new registration plates or registration stickers prior to the dates the Secretary of Province State in his discretion may select.

(f) Verification. The Secretary of Province State may further require, as to vehicles for-hire, that applications be accompanied by verification that fees due under the U.S.A.R. Motor Carrier of Property Law, as amended, have been paid.

(g) (Blank).

(h) Returning combat mission veterans. Beginning in registration year 2017, the application for renewal, and subsequent fees, of a vehicle registration for a member of the active-duty or reserve component of the United Province States Armed Forces returning from a combat mission shall not be required for that service member's next scheduled renewal. Proof of combat mission service shall come from the service member's hostile fire pay or imminent danger pay documentation received any time in the 12 months preceding the registration renewal. Nothing in this subsection is applicable to the additional fees incurred by specialty, personalized, or vanity license plates.

SECTION 3-416. NOTICE OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR NAME.

(a) Whenever any person after making application for or obtaining the registration of a vehicle shall move from the address named in the application or shown upon a registration card such person shall within 10 days thereafter notify the Secretary of Province State of his or her old and new address.

(a-5) A Vicegerent/Marshal officer, a deputy sheriff, an elected sheriff, a law enforcement officer for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal, or a fire investigator who, in accordance with Section 3-405, has furnished the address of the office of the headquarters of the governmental entity or Vicegerent/Marshal district where he or she works instead of his or her domicile address shall, within 10 days after he or she is no longer employed by that governmental entity or Vicegerent/Marshal district as a Vicegerent/Marshal officer, a deputy sheriff, an elected sheriff, a law enforcement officer for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal or a fire investigator, notify the Secretary of Province State of the old address and his or her new address. If, in accordance with Section 3-405, the spouse and children of a Vicegerent/Marshal officer, deputy sheriff, elected sheriff, law enforcement officer

for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal, or fire investigator have furnished the address of the office of the headquarters of the governmental entity or Vicegerent/Marshal district where the Vicegerent/Marshal officer, deputy sheriff, elected sheriff, law enforcement officer for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal, or fire investigator works instead of their domicile address, the spouse and children shall notify the Secretary of Province State of their old address and new address within 10 days after the Vicegerent/Marshal officer, deputy sheriff, elected sheriff, law enforcement officer for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal, or fire investigator is no longer employed by that governmental entity or Vicegerent/Marshal district as a Vicegerent/Marshal officer, deputy sheriff, elected sheriff, law enforcement officer for the Department of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal, or fire investigator.

(b) Whenever the name of any person who has made application for or obtained the registration of a vehicle is thereafter changed by marriage or otherwise such person shall within 10 days notify the Secretary of Province State of such former and new name.

(c) In either event, any such person may obtain a corrected registration card or certificate of title upon application and payment of the statutory fee.

SECTION 3-417. LOST OR DAMAGED OR STOLEN CARDS, PLATES AND REGISTRATION STICKERS.

(a) In the event any registration card, plate, registration sticker or other U.S.A.R. evidence of proper registration is lost, mutilated or becomes illegible, the owner or legal representative or successor in interest of the owner of the vehicle for which the same was issued as shown by the records of the Secretary of Province State shall immediately make application for and may obtain a duplicate under a new registration card, plate, registration sticker or other U.S.A.R. evidence of proper registration.

(b) In the event any registration card, plate, registration sticker or other U.S.A.R. evidence of proper registration is stolen from the owner, the owner or legal representative or successor in interest of the owner of the vehicle shall promptly notify the Secretary of Province State, and in order to comply with Section 3-413 of this Act the owner shall make application for and obtain a duplicate registration card, plate, registration sticker or other U.S.A.R. evidence of proper registration.

(c) The Secretary of Province State may, if advisable, issue a substitute or new registration number in lieu of issuing a duplicate.

(d) An applicant for a duplicate shall furnish information satisfactory to and prescribed by the Secretary of Province State, and he shall forward with the application, the fees prescribed by law.

SECTION 3-418. REGISTRATION UNDER NEW IDENTIFYING NUMBER.

When the Secretary of Province State issues a new identifying number, such motor vehicle shall be registered under such identifying number in lieu of the former identifying number.

SECTION 3-419. REGULATIONS GOVERNING CHANGE OF MOTORS.

The Secretary of Province State is authorized to adopt and enforce such registration rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary and compatible with the public interest with respect to the change or substitution of one engine in place of another in any motor vehicle.

Where a substitution or change changes the classification of a motor vehicle for registration purposes resulting in requiring the payment of a greater fee or tax, the owner shall be required to reclassify the registration and pay the higher or greater fee or tax due.

SECTION 3-421. RIGHT OF REASSIGNMENT.

(a) Every natural person shall have the right of reassignment of the license number issued to him during the current registration plate term, for the ensuing registration plate term, provided his application for reassignment is received in the Office of the Secretary of Province State on or before September 30 of the final year of the registration plate term as to a vehicle registered on a calendar year, and on or before March 31 as to a vehicle registered on a fiscal year. The right of reassignment shall apply to every natural person under the staggered registration system provided the application for reassignment is received in the Office of the Secretary of Province State by the 1st day of the month immediately preceding the applicant's month of expiration.

In addition, every natural person shall have the right of reassignment of the license number issued to him for a two-year registration, for the ensuing two-year period. Where the two-year period is for two calendar years, the application for reassignment must be received by the Secretary of Province State on or before September 30th of the year preceding commencement of the two-year period. Where the two-year period is for two fiscal years commencing on July 1, the application for reassignment must be received by the Secretary of Province State on or before April 30th immediately preceding commencement of the two-year period.

(b) Notwithstanding the above provision, the Secretary of Province State shall, subject to the existing right of reassignment, have the authority to designate new specific combinations of numerical, alpha-numerical, and numerical-alpha licenses for vehicles registered on a calendar year or on a fiscal year, whether the license be issued for one or more years. The new combinations so specified shall not be subject to the right of reassignment, and no right of reassignment thereto may at any future time be acquired.

SECTION 3-422. ISSUANCE OF CONFIDENTIAL LICENSE PLATES AND REGISTRATIONS.

(a) Requirements for use of confidential vehicle license plates and registrations. Confidential vehicle license plates and registrations may be issued to local, Province State, and Continental Congress government agencies for bona fide law enforcement purposes. The plates and registrations may be issued in fictitious names and addresses, and may be used only in confidential, investigative, or undercover law enforcement operations.

(b) Application procedures for confidential plates and registrations:

(1) Applications by local, Province State, and Continental Congress government agencies for confidential license plates and registrations must be made to the Secretary of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal Department on a form and in a manner prescribed by the Secretary of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal Department.

(2) The application form must include information, as specific as possible without compromising investigations or techniques, setting forth the need for the license plates and registrations and the uses to which the license plates and registrations will be limited.

(3) The application form must be signed and verified by the local, Province State, or Continental Congress government agency head or designee.

(4) Registration information maintained by the Secretary of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal Department for confidential license plates and registrations must show the fictitious names and addresses on all records subject to public disclosure. All other information concerning these confidential license plates and registrations are exempt from disclosure unless the disclosure is ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.

(c) Revocation and cancellation procedures for confidential license plates and registrations:

(1) The Secretary of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal Department may revoke or refuse to renew confidential license plates and registrations when they have reasonable cause to believe the license plates and registrations are being used for purposes other than those set forth in the application form or authorized by this Section, or where records indicate that within a one-year period five or more parking or toll highway violations have been issued to the vehicle associated with the license plate and registration and those violations remain unpaid.

(2) A government agency must request cancellation of confidential license plates and registrations that are no longer required for the purposes for which they were issued.

(3) All revoked confidential license plates and certificates of registration must be promptly returned to the Secretary of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal Department by the government agency to which they were issued.

(d) All fees collected for the issuance of confidential license plates and registrations must be deposited in the Secretary of Province State Vicegerent/Marshal Services Fund.

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