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An Act To Allow Disabled Veterans To Receive 2 Sets of Special Designating License Plates

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

Sec. 1. 29-A MRSA §523, sub-§2, as amended by PL 2007, c. 383, §14, is further amended to read:

2. Disabled veterans; special free license plates. The Secretary of State, on application and upon evidence of payment of the excise tax required by Title 36, section 1482, shall issue up to 2 registration certificatecertificates and setup to 2 sets of special designating plates to be used in lieu of regular registration plates for ~~a vehiele~~vehicles with a registered gross weight of not more than 10,000 pounds each to any 100% disabled veteran when that application is accompanied by proof that the vehicles are owned by the veteran and certification from the United States Veterans Administration or any branch of the United States Armed Forces as to the veteran's permanent disability and receipt of 100% service-connected benefits. ~~A~~Up to 2 disability ~~placard is~~placards issued in addition to the disabled veteran registration ~~plateplates~~ at no fee.

These special designating plates must bear the words "Disabled Veteran," which indicate that the vehicle is owned by a disabled veteran.

SUMMARY

This bill allows a disabled veteran to receive 2 sets of special designating license plates if the veteran is the registered owner of 2 motor vehicles.