

MINUTES OF THE SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Les Donovan at 8:30 A.M. on March 22, 2005 in Room 527-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:
Anthony Hensley- excused

Committee staff present:
Hank Avila, Kansas Legislative Research Department
Bruce Kinzie, Revisors of Statutes
Maggie Breen, Committee Secretary

Conferees appearing before the committee:
Senator Ralph Ostmeyer
Representative Mike Burgess
Kris Ailslieger, Iraq Military Veteran
Carmen Alldritt, Director of Vehicles

Others attending:
See attached list.

H 2310 - Military veterans license plate, decals

Proponents:

Senator Ralph Ostmeyer said he supported the bill and offered an amendment. The amendment would allow a Military Combat Veteran to place a Silver or Bronze Star decal on a Purple Heart license plate. It a matter of fairness and total respect for all veterans and especially a close friend. He believes the small change will correct some of the inequities of past legislation. (Attachments 1 and 2)

Representative Mike Burgess showed the committee a veteran's license plate. A couple of years ago, we allowed putting the branch of service across the bottom for \$2. And the bronze star and silver star decals would be on the corner. Basically, he has a constituent, Kris Ailslieger, who recently returned from Iraq and came to him and asked that some additional combat commendations and awards be added to that. They tried to be as thorough as they could in including all of the different branches. (Attachment 3)

Kris Ailslieger, Iraq Military Veteran, said his unit is based just outside Kansas City and they have soldiers form both Missouri and Kansas. Shortly after his unit returned from Iraq, he noticed the license plate of one of the Missouri soldiers who had been awarded the Bronze Star while serving in Iraq. The state of Missouri provided him with a distinctive license plate that indicated his Bronze award. All the Kansas soldiers had, at the time, was the veteran's tag, no decals or anything like that. He understands that as of January 1, 2005, we have the bronze star and silver star decals. His intent is to recognize the combat veterans. His impetus was due to his experience in Iraq but there are veterans that go all the way back to World War II that would all benefit from the bill. (Attachment 4)

Chairman Donovan asked Carmen Alldritt how many decals can be put on a license plate. Carmen said a maximum of two.

Neutral:

Carman Alldritt, Director of Vehicles, showed the committee a veteran's tag. If you're a veteran, you can go into your county treasurer's office and apply for a veteran's tag. It also comes in a motorcycle tag. You have to provide your DD 214, which verifies your branch of service. Now that the bronze and silver star decals are available, you can purchase those stickers too. The bill requests additional service awards. This will work as long as we can limit it to two, as we can only fit two on the license plate. Carmen passed around a purple heart tag and pointed out that there is just not a lot of room on them. She said the decals were easier to deal with than yet another tag and they are also less costly to produce. Carmen said the veteran's and purple heart tags cost about \$4.50 to produce and sell for 50 cents. The regular tag with the capitol building on them cost about \$2 to produce and they also sell for 50 cents. (Attachment 5)

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Chairman Donovan asked Bruce Kinzie his thoughts on the way to proceed. Bruce said that based on what Senator Ostmeyer requested on the purple heart tag, and trying to handle the problem of all branches of the military, on page two you could just take subsection (e) out and insert the language shown on page 2 of the balloon. It includes a list of K.S.A. sites all dealing with all military tags. It simply lists the decals and says the military tags can have them. The charge is still \$2 and it's still up to the director to tell them where they can put the decals. The only suggestion he has is to state that only two decals can be applied to each plate.

Senator Schmidt moved to adopt the balloon and the additions mentioned by Bruce Kinzie. Senator Wilson seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Chairman Donovan put the bill on pause and opened the hearing on **HB 2298**.

H 2298 - Purple heart license plates, motorcycles

Proponent:

Representative Mike Burgess said that **HB 2298** was requested by ABATE of Kansas. It directs the Director of Motor Vehicles to create and produce a Purple Heart Motorcycle license plate. As Chris Maurich, lobbyist for ABATE, pointed out during the hearing of this bill in the House, "A veteran's choice of transportation should not preclude him or her from proudly displaying Purple Heart license plates." (Representative Burgess's testimony had both bills on same handout.) (Attachment 3)

Chairman Donovan asked Carmen Alldritt to pass around a motorcycle tag so the committee could see what they look like. He asked her to show them where they would place the decal. Carmen said they were worried about the ability to put service awards on them if someone wanted to do that.

Neutral:

Carmen Alldritt passed out handouts. (Attachment 6, 7, and 8)

Senator Wilson asked Carmen what the financial impact of the purple heart tags would be. Carmen said they would cost about \$4.50 and they would have 500 made. They expect to issue 124 and they will charge 50 cents for them.

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Bruce Kinzie clarified that the silver and bronze star decals are authorized now, and in order to accommodate the 84 year old gentleman who has the purple heart and wants to put his silver and bronze star on his plate, he would make a suggestion that the bill is split out. Simply split it out so that reference to the silver and bronze stars is in one subsection and all those other decals are in another section, which we will delay until January of 2006. But if they have one of the military plates and can put decals on them, they will be able to do it July 1. Bruce said the balloon presented specifies that decals can be put on any military plates and asked if that is what is wanted.

Carmen Alldritt said she would prefer they only be allowed on veteran's and purple heart plates for all of the decals. The committee agreed that there were several military plates where they wouldn't work.

Bruce said he would suggest that we leave only K.S.A. 8-1,140 and 1,146 in the balloon.

Chairman Donovan asked those who made the previous motion and second on **HB 2310** to retract them. Senator Schmidt withdrew her motion. Senator Wilson withdrew his second.

Chairman Donovan said we could move forward on **HB 2310**. Senator Schmidt moved to amend the bill with the revised balloon. Senator Wilson seconded.

Chairman Donovan said back to **HB 2298**. Senator Wilson made a motion to amend **HB 2298** into **SB 2310**.

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Senator Schmidt seconded the motion.

Senator O'Connor said that because she is an opponent to the booster seat bill, she was making a substitute motion to pass out **HB 2298** favorably. There was no second.

The original motion carried.

Senator Wilson made a motion to move **HB 2310** out as amended favorable for passage. Senator Schmidt seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Senator Palmer moved to approve the committee minutes of March 8, 9, 15, & 16. Senator Journey seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 a.m.

This was the last meeting for 2005.

Minutes were sent around for corrections before considered approved. One correction made before considered approved on April 1, 2005

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GUEST LIST**

DATE: March 22, 2005

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March 21, 2005

Mister Chairman and members of your committee.

I am Senator Ralph Ostmeyer and thank you for this opportunity to appear before you in support of an amendment to HB-2310, which would allow a Military Combat Veteran to place a Silver and Bronze Star decal on a Purple Heart license plate. This legislation is a matter of fairness and total respect for all veterans and especially a close friend, a World War Two veteran from Western Kansas. I believe this small change will correct some of the inequities of past legislation.

Thank you for your time and consideration of this issue and I will stand for questions.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ralph Ostmeyer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

See also Ralph Act eyes

HOUSE BILL No. 2310

By Representative Burgess

2-7

10 AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; concerning United States military
11 ~~veterans~~ license plates; amending K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 8-1,146 and re- providing for certain decals;
12 pealing the existing section.
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14 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

15 Section 1. K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 8-1,146 is hereby amended to read as
16 follows: 8-1,146. (a) Any owner or lessee of one or more passenger ve-
17 hicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds or less or motorcycles,
18 who is a resident of the state of Kansas, and who submits satisfactory
19 proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and regulations
20 adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person has proof of having
21 served and is designated as a veteran, and has had an honorable discharge
22 from the United States army, navy, air force, marine corps, coast guard
23 or merchant marines, upon compliance with the provisions of this section,
24 may be issued one distinctive license plate for each such passenger ve-
25 hicle, truck or motorcycle designating such person as an United States
26 military veteran. Such license plates shall be issued for the same period
27 of time as other license plates upon proper registration and payment of
28 the regular license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments
29 thereto.

30 On and after January 1, 2005, any person issued a license plate under
31 this section may request a decal for each license plate indicating the ap-
32 propriate military branch in which the person served.

33 (b) Any person who is a veteran of the United States army, navy, air
34 force, marine corps, coast guard or merchant marines may make appli-
35 cation for such distinctive license plates, not less than 60 days prior to
36 such person's renewal of registration date, on a form prescribed and fur-
37 nished by the director of vehicles, and any applicant for the distinctive
38 license plates shall furnish the director with proof as the director shall
39 require that the applicant is a veteran of the United States army, navy,
40 air force, marine corps, coast guard or merchant marines. Application for
41 the registration of a passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance
42 of the license plates under this section shall be made by the owner or
43 lessee in a manner prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms

1 furnished by the director.

2 (c) No registration or distinctive license plates issued under the au-
3 thority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

4 (d) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made an-
5 nually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the man-
6 ner prescribed in subsection (b) of K.S.A. 8-132, and amendments
7 thereto. No renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until
8 such applicant has filed with the director a form as provided in subsection
9 (b). If such form is not filed, the applicant shall be required to comply
10 with K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto, and return the distinctive
11 license plates to the county treasurer of such person's residence.

12 ~~(e) On and after January 1, 2005 2006, any person issued a license~~
13 ~~plate under this section, upon submitting satisfactory proof to the director~~
14 ~~of vehicles in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the sec-~~
15 ~~retary, that such person was awarded a combat medical badge, army~~
16 ~~combat infantry badge, navy/marine corps combat action ribbon,~~
17 ~~army distinguished service cross, navy cross, air force cross, distinguished~~
18 ~~flying cross, silver star or bronze star medal by the United States govern-~~
19 ~~ment, may request a decal for each license plate indicating the person~~
20 ~~was a recipient of a combat medical badge, army combat infantry~~
21 ~~badge, navy/marine corps combat action ribbon, army distinguished~~
22 ~~service cross, navy cross, air force cross, distinguished flying cross, silver~~
23 ~~star or bronze star medal or both.~~

24 ~~(f) A fee of \$2 shall be paid for each decal issued under subsection~~
25 ~~(a) or (e). The director of vehicles shall design such decals. Such decals~~
26 ~~shall be affixed to the license plate in the location required by the director.~~

27 ~~Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 8-1,146 is hereby repealed.~~

28 ~~Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after Jan-~~
29 ~~uary 1, 2006, and its publication in the statute book.~~

(e)

New Sec. 2. (a) Any person issued a license plate under the provisions of K.S.A. 8-161, 8-177a, 8-177c, 8-1,139, 8-1,140, 8-1,145 or 8-1,146, and amendments thereto, upon submitting satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary, that such person was awarded a combat medical badge, army combat infantry badge, navy/marine corps combat action ribbon, army distinguished service cross, navy cross, air force cross, distinguished flying cross, silver star or bronze star medal by the United States government, may request a decal for each license plate indicating the person was a recipient of a combat medical badge, army combat infantry badge, navy/marine corps combat action ribbon, army distinguished service cross, navy cross, air force cross, distinguished flying cross, silver star or bronze star medal.

(b) A fee of \$2 shall be paid for each decal issued. The director of vehicles shall design such decals. Such decals shall be affixed to the license plate in the location required by the director.

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MIKE BURGESS

TO: Chairman Donovan
Members of the Senate Transportation Committee

FROM: Mike Burgess, 51st District State Representative

DATE: March 23, 2005

SUBJECT: Support for House Bills 2298 and 2310

Mr. Chairman and members of the committee, Thank you for allowing me to testify today in support of both House Bill 2298 and House Bill 2310. Both of these are relatively easy ways to show our support for our Kansas veterans.

HB2298

House Bill 2298 was introduced at the request of ABATE of Kansas. It directs the Director of Motor Vehicles to create and produce a Purple Heart Motorcycle license plate.

As Chris Maurich, lobbyist for ABATE, pointed out in during the hearing of this bill in the house, "A veteran's choice of transportation should not preclude him or her from proudly displaying Purple Heart license plates."

Motorcycles are popular among veterans, and we will have many veterans returning home in the coming months. This is a simple way to thank our veterans for serving.

HB2310

House Bill 2310 would add several combat-related badges and medals to the list of decals that can be issued and displayed on a veteran license plate. The decals would be available for \$2 each and would be a nice addition for many veterans along with their branch of service decal, which is also available for \$2.

I introduced House Bill 2310 at the request of one of my constituents, Kris Ailsieger who fairly recently returned from serving in Iraq. I will let Kris share with you his background and how the concept for the bill developed.

Thank you, and I would be happy to stand for questions at the appropriate time.

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TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF HB2310 – 22 FEB 05

KRIS AILSLIEGER

I am an Army Reservist and Kansas resident. I was deployed to Iraq as part of Operation Iraqi Freedom from March, 2003, to March 2004. I asked my state representative, Mike Burgess, to pursue this legislation to provide recognition for Kansas military veterans who distinguished themselves during combat operations.

The impetus for this came from a simple observation in the parking lot of my army reserve unit. Because my unit is located in the Kansas City area, it is manned by soldiers from both Kansas and Missouri. Shortly after our return from Iraq, I noticed the license plate of one of our Missouri soldiers who had been awarded the Bronze Star while serving in Iraq. The State of Missouri provided him with a distinctive license plate that indicated his Bronze Star award.

A search of the Kansas statutes at the time revealed to me that while Kansas provides a distinctive license plate for veterans, as well distinctive plates for winners of the Purple Heart and Medal of Honor, it provides no similar recognition of other combat awards. However, other neighboring states in addition to Missouri, such as Colorado and Iowa, provide their combat veterans with such recognition. Therefore, I proposed to Mr. Burgess that Kansas enact legislation to provide similar recognition for its veterans who have earned military honors for combat service.

While Kansas' distinctive license plates for veterans offer all who served honorably recognition for their service, I believe that those who have distinguished themselves in combat deserve extra recognition. The awards that I have suggested be recognized through this legislation are not bestowed in large numbers. Those who have earned such awards have gone above and beyond the call of duty in some measure during combat operations.

During this time when our nation is at war in various locations around the globe, and large numbers of Kansas National Guardsmen, reservists, and active duty service members from Kansas military bases are serving in combat zones around the world, this small measure of recognition will be a timely demonstration of our State's support for those who serve our nation. Moreover, it will not only recognize the growing number of combat veterans involved in our current conflict, but will also recognize veterans from the Persian Gulf War, the Vietnam War, the Korean War, World War II, and other conflicts.



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JOAN WAGNON, SECRETARY

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
DIVISION OF VEHICLES

KATHLEEN SEBELIUS, GOVERNOR

TO: Chairman Les Donovan
Members of the Senate Transportation Committee

FROM: Carmen Alldritt, Director of Vehicles

DATE: March 22, 2005

SUBJECT: House Bill 2310 – Distinguished Service Decals

Mr. Chairman, members of the committee, I am Carmen Alldritt, Director of the Kansas Department of Revenue's Division of Vehicles. Thank you for allowing me to testify on House Bill 2310.

House Bill 2310, amends K.S.A. 2004 Supp. 8-1,146 adding, in subsection (e), a combat medical badge, army combat infantry badge, navy/marine corps combat action ribbon, army distinguished service cross, navy cross, air force cross and the distinguished flying cross to the list of decals that can be issued and displayed on a veteran tag. The effective date of this bill would be January 1, 2006.

With the passage of HB2947, in 2004, three decals are currently allowed for the U.S. Veteran license plate, Bronze and/or Silver Stars, and branch of service decals. If HB2310 is passed, seven additional decals would be available to eligible applicants; however, there is only room for two decals to be displayed on the license plate. Attached, please find a copy of the current U.S. Veteran's license plate with placement of decals for the Bronze and Silver Star, and branch of service. Applicants for the new decals listed in HB2310 would need to choose between decals, should they be eligible for more than two service decals.

We were advised that the Bronze and Silver Star designs as well as the Distinguished Service Cross and Distinguished Flying Cross designs, represent the highest awards spanning all branches of service. However, awards that are specific to a single branch of service or those that represent a lower award status, present more difficulty to develop, produce, and supply to the counties, simply in terms of the numbers that would need to be produced, to have available to customers.

Attached, please find an informational sheet representing the costs associated with the implementation of 2004 HB2947, bronze/silver stars and branch of service decals, and the status of decals issued to date. Also we have provided copies of the current U.S. Veteran plate with associated decals, for your reference.

Thank you, and I would stand for questions.

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2004 HB2947
Bronze/Silver Star
Branch of Service-Decals
Auto and Motorcycle

	Current Shipment			
Silver Stars:	15,000	.0412 ea	\$ 618.00	
Bronze Stars:	25,000	.0412 ea	1,030.00	\$1,648.00
<i>Auto Branch of Service:</i>				
Army	15,000	.0476 ea	\$ 714.00	
Navy	15,000	.0476 ea	714.00	
Air Force	15,000	.0476 ea	714.00	
Marines	15,000	.0476 ea	714.00	
Coast Guard	10,000	.0476 ea	476.00	
Merchant Marines	5,000	.0476 ea	238.00	\$3,570.00
<i>Motor Cycle Branch of Service:</i>				
Army	3,000	.0476 ea	\$ 142.80	
Navy	3,000	.0476 ea	142.80	
Air Force	3,000	.0476 ea	142.80	
Marines	3,000	.0476 ea	142.80	
Coast Guard	2,000	.0476 ea	95.20	
Merchant Marines	1,000	.0476 ea	47.60	<u>\$ 714.00</u>
				\$5,932.00

Year To Date Issuances

Bronze Stars	55			
Silver Stars	7	Total	62	
 <i>Branch of Service Auto</i>				
Air Force	81			
Army	228			
Coast Guard	0			
Marines	0			
Merchant Marines	1			
Navy	0	Total	310	
 <i>Branch of Service MC</i>				
Air Force	2			
Army	8			
Coast Guard	0			
Marines	0			
Merchant Marines	0			
Navy	0	Total	10	
		Grand Total:	382	

Veterans' Plates to Receive New Look

The 2004 Kansas Legislature passed House Bill 2947, which allows U.S. Veterans to display a decal, representing their branch of service, on their U.S. Veteran auto, truck, or motorcycle License Plate. Additionally, recipients of Bronze and/or Silver Star Awards may receive those decal(s) as well. These decals can be issued to autos, trucks up to a gross weight of 20,000 pounds, and motorcycles.



Veterans wishing to purchase a new branch of service decal should visit their local county treasurer's office and present a DD-214 military discharge paper that indicates the branch of service from which they were discharged. If the veteran would also like to purchase Bronze and/or Silver Star decal(s), they will also need to provide proof they were awarded the Bronze Star and/or Silver Star medal(s). There is a \$2.00 fee per decal. Decals will be arriving in county treasurers' offices during December 2004.



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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
DIVISION OF VEHICLES

KATHLEEN SEBELIUS, GOVERNOR

TO: Chairman Les Donovan
Members of the Senate Transportation Committee

FROM: Carmen Alldritt, Director of Vehicles

DATE: March 22, 2005

SUBJECT: House Bill 2298 – Purple Heart Motorcycle Plate

Mr. Chairman, members of the committee, I am Carmen Alldritt, Director of the Kansas Department of Revenue's Division of Vehicles. Thank you for allowing me to testify on House Bill 2298.

House Bill 2298, as introduced, amends K.S.A. 8-1,140 by adding motorcycles as an eligible vehicle type upon which purple heart/combat wounded distinctive license plates can be placed.

The effective date of this bill would be January 1, 2006.

Attached, you will find a comparison sheet, which estimates the costs for development and production of a Purple Heart Motorcycle license plate, based on the costs of our current Veterans Motorcycle license plate.

Currently, U.S. Veteran Motorcycle plates represent 4% of the total number of U.S. Veteran plates that have been issued. Using that same percentage of the total number of current Purple Heart license plates, the state could expect to issue 124 Purple Heart Motorcycle license plates.

Storage of license plates has become a problem issue for counties. Therefore, should Purple Heart Motorcycle plates be produced, it will be necessary to ship the plates to the Docking Building in Topeka, as opposed to the counties. When a plate is ordered, the applicant will not receive the plate at the county; it will be ordered and then shipped from Topeka .

Thank you, and I would stand for questions.

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**Estimated Costs for Purple Heart Motorcycle Plate
Based on US Veteran Plate numbers**

2004 prices for US Veteran Motorcycle Plates:

Aluminum costs:	\$1.10/lb 8 plates/lb \$.1375/plate.	\$.1375
Sheeting costs:	\$1.25/sq. ft. 200-sq.ft./roll 4 plates/sq.ft \$.3125/plate.	\$.3125
Labor costs:	\$3.7517/plate	\$ 3.7517
Decals:	\$.08/each x 3. County Month Year	\$.24 * \$4.4417 per plate

Estimated Numbers for a Purple Heart Motorcycle plate:

As of January 31, 2005, Kansas has 50,026 US Veteran Auto plates on the road, and 2,296 US Veteran Motorcycle plates on the road. Motorcycles represent 4% of the total number of US Veteran tags currently valid.

As of January 31, 2005, Kansas has 3,100 Purple Heart Auto plates on the road. Using the same auto to motorcycle percentage, 4% = 124 estimated Purple Heart Motorcycle tags would be ordered.

* The \$4.417 price per plate is based on previous production of thousands of US Veteran motorcycle plates. This amount would likely be much higher for a Purple Heart Motorcycle plate, due to the small number of plates that would be ordered.

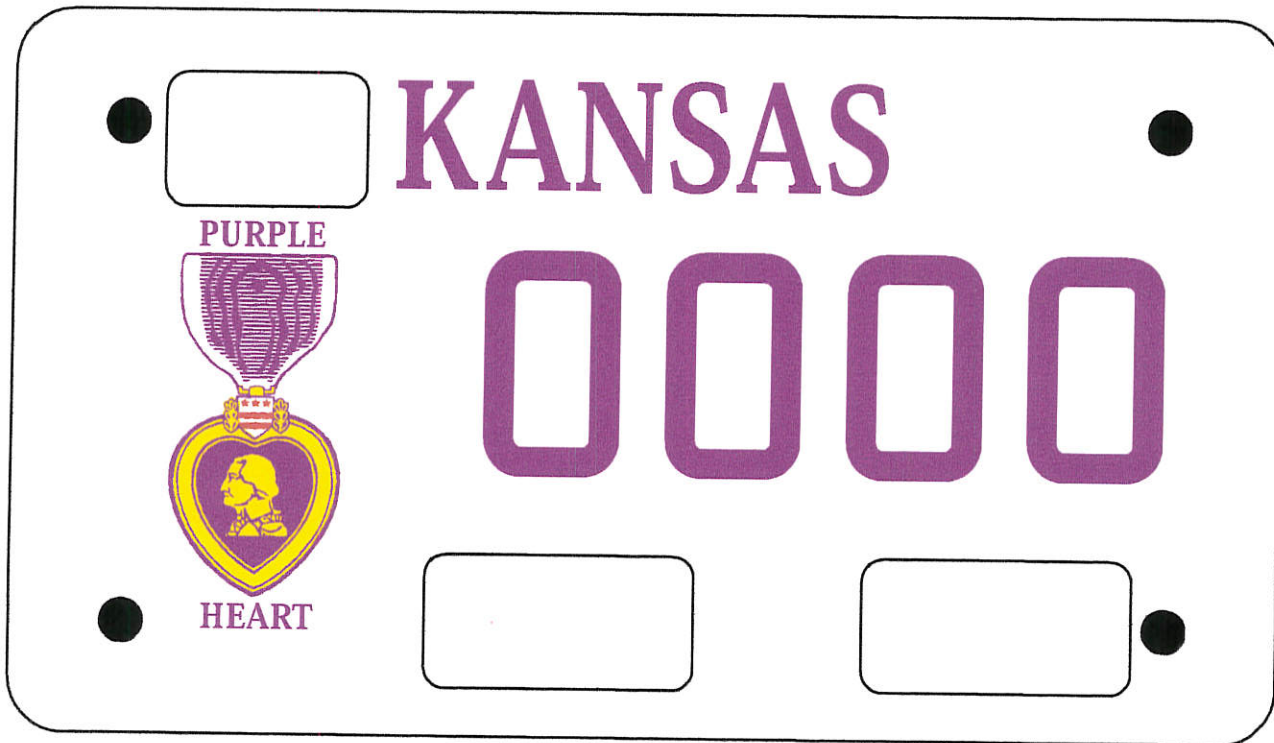
Additionally, the state would need to pay initial, one-time silk screening charges. Current cost range:

2004 Silk Screen Costs:

- 1-Color Screen/Plate--\$420.00
- 2-Color Screen/Plate - \$530.00**
- 3-Color Screen/Plate--\$700.08
- 4-Color Screen/Plate - \$885.00

Given our current system, we would probably order an initial run of 550 purple heart motorcycle plates, and send them to the counties for potential customers. Based on these figures, an initial run of motorcycle Purple Heart tags would cost:

550 X \$4.417	\$2429.35
Silk Screen	<u>530.00</u>
	\$2959.35



Total NUMBER of Active Registrations
As of JANUARY 31, 2005

Carmen Alldritt
Director of
Vehicles

Tag Type	Description	Current Reg's
AGAU	Ag in the Classroom Auto	95
AGHT	Ag in the Classroom Heavy Truck	21
AGLT	Ag in the Classroom Light Truck	81
TOTAL		197
ARO		
ARAU	ARO Auto	1
ARAU	ARO Auto	1,941
ARHT	ARO Heavy Truck	16
ARLT	ARO Light Truck	939
TOTAL		2,897
Cong. Medal of Honor		
CMAU	Cong. Medal of Honor Auto	3
CMLT	Cong. Medal of Honor Light Truck	1
TOTAL		4
Children's Trust Fund		
CTAU	Children's Trust Fund Auto	1
CTAU	Children's Trust Fund Auto	235
CTLT	Children's Trust Fund Light Truck	16
TOTAL		252
Purple Heart		
CWAU	Purple Heart Auto	2
CWAU	Purple Heart Auto	1,981
CWAU04	Purple Heart Auto	1
CWHT	Purple Heart Heavy Truck	16
CWLT	Purple Heart Light Truck	1
CWLT	Purple Heart Light Truck	1,099
TOTAL		3,100
Disabled		
DSAU	Disabled Auto	12
DSAU	Disabled Auto	30,033
DSAU 6	Disabled Auto	2
DSAUNY	Disabled Auto	9
DSAU02	Disabled Auto	1
DSAU03	Disabled Auto	1
DSAU04	Disabled Auto	2
DSEA		1
DSHT	Disabled Heavy Truck	94
DSLTL	Disabled Light Truck	4,694
DSLTL 6	Disabled Light Truck	2
DSLTLNY	Disabled Light Truck	1
DSMC	Disabled Motorcycle	90
TOTAL		34,942
Disabled Vet		
DVAU	Disabled Vet Auto	3
DVAU	Disabled Vet Auto	1,325
DVHT	Disabled Vet Heavy Truck	7
DVLT	Disabled Vet Light Truck	509
TOTAL		1,844
K-State		
EIAU		14
EIAU01	K-State Auto	1,819

Tag Type	Description	Current Reg's
EIHT01	K-State Heavy Truck	8
EILT01	K-State Light Truck	428
TOTAL		2,269
EIAU02	KU Auto	1,209
EILT02	KU Light Truck	136
TOTAL		1,345
EIAU03	Wichita State Auto	684
EILT03	Wichita State Light Truck	169
TOTAL		853
EIAU04	Pittsburg State Auto	614
EIHT04	Pittsburg State Heavy Truck	4
EILT04	Pittsburg State Light Truck	247
TOTAL		865
EIAU05	Fort Hays State Auto	220
EILT05	Fort Hays State Light Truck	49
TOTAL		269
EIAU06	Emporia State Auto	236
EILT06	Emporia State Light Truck	51
TOTAL		287
EIAU07	Baker University Auto	84
EILT07	Baker University Light Truck	11
TOTAL		95
EIAU08	Washburn University Auto	182
EILT08	Washburn University Light Truck	36
TOTAL		218
EIAU09	Ottawa State Auto	40
EILT09	Ottawa State Light Truck	6
TOTAL		46
EIHT		10
EILT		7
EXAU	Ex POW Auto	1
EXAU	Ex POW Auto	311
EXLT	Ex POW Light Truck	78
TOTAL		390
NGAU	National Guard Auto	1
NGAU	National Guard Auto	2,321
NGAUNY	National Guard Auto	1
NGAU01	National Guard Auto	1
NGHT	National Guard Heavy Truck	18

Tag Type	Description	Current Reg's
NGLT	National Guard Light Truck	1,223
NGLT01	National Guard Light Truck	1
TOTAL		3,566
PAAU	Personalized Antique Auto	74
PAAU	Personalized Antique Auto	4,119
PAHT	Personalized Antique Heavy Truck	15
PALT	Personalized Antique Light Truck	14
PALT	Personalized Antique Light Truck	1,252
PAMC	Personalized Antique Motorcycle	3
PAMC	Personalized Antique Motorcycle	146
TOTAL		5,623
PDAU	Personalized Disabled Auto	1
PDAU	Personalized Disabled Auto	139
PDHT	Personalized Disabled Heavy Truck	1
PDLT	Personalized Disabled Light Truck	23
PDMC	Personalized Disabled Motorcycle	1
TOTAL		165
PHAU	Pearl Harbor Auto	58
PHLT	Pearl Harbor Light Truck	8
TOTAL		66
PNAU	Personalized Auto	1,031
PNAU	Personalized Auto	59,412
PNAU 6	Personalized Auto	3
PNAUNY	Personalized Auto	16
PNAU01	Personalized Auto	3
PNAU02	Personalized Auto	2
PNAU03	Personalized Auto	1
PNAU07	Personalized Auto	1
PNHT	Personalized Heavy Truck	12
PNHT	Personalized Heavy Truck	574
PNLT	Personalized Light Truck	303
PNLT	Personalized Light Truck	16,419
PNLT 6	Personalized Light Truck	1
PNLTNY	Personalized Light Truck	5
PNLT02	Personalized Light Truck	3
PNMC	Personalized Motorcycle	75
PNMC	Personalized Motorcycle	2,753
PNTR	Personalized Trailer	3
TOTAL		80,617
SHAU	Shrine Auto	1
SHAU	Shrine Auto	263
SHHT	Shrine Heavy Truck	7
SHLT	Shrine Light Truck	139
TOTAL		410
SIAU	Special Interest Auto	1

Tag Type	Description	Current Reg's
SIAU	Special Interest Auto	191
SIHT	Special Interest Heavy Truck	2
SILT	Special Interest Light Truck	75
TOTAL		269
SRAU	Street Rod Auto	40
SRLT	Street Rod Light Truck	7
TOTAL		47
VTAU	US Vet Auto	24
VTAU	US Vet Auto	30,012
VTAUNY	US Vet Auto	18
VTAU02	US Vet Auto	1
VTAU04	US Vet Auto	3
VTHT	US Vet Heavy Truck	2
VTHT	US Vet Heavy Truck	471
VTLT	US Vet Light Truck	3
VTLT	US Vet Light Truck	19,485
VTLTNY	US Vet Light Truck	7
VTMC	US Vet Motorcycle	4
VTMC	US Vet Motorcycle	2,291
VTMCNY	US Vet Motorcycle	1
TOTAL		52,322

COMPARISON OF PLATE FEES FOR DISTINCTIVE LICENSE PLATES									
2005									
PLATE TYPE	REGIS'N FEES	COUNTY SERVICE FEE	REFLECTORIZED PLATE FEE ONE TIME ONLY	PERSONALIZED PLATE FEE	OTHER	ROYALTY FEE	500 RESERV'S	COST TO CUSTOMER	COST TO PRODUCE
MILITARY:									
DISABLED VETERAN	KSA 8-161	Exempt per KSA 8-161	N/A	\$0.50		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$0.50 \$ 3.33
US VETERAN	KSA 8-1,146	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141	\$33.50 \$ 4.12
Branch of Service Decal	HB2947					\$2.00		\$2.00	
Bronze Star Decal	HB2947					\$2.00		\$2.00	
Silver Star Decal	HB2947					\$2.00		\$2.00	
NATIONAL GUARD	KSA 8-177a	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$33.50 \$ 3.72
EX-POW	KSA 8-177c	Exempt per KSA 8-177c	NO	\$0.50		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$0.50 \$ 3.20
CONG. MEDAL OF HONOR	KSA 8-1,145	Exempt per KSA 8-1,145	NO	NO		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141	\$0.00 \$ 4.89
COMBAT WOUNDED PURPLE HEART	KSA 8-1,140	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$33.50 \$ 4.63
PEARL HARBOR SURVIVOR	KSA 8-1,139	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94		Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$33.50 \$ 4.12

COMPARISON OF PLATE FEES FOR DISTINCTIVE LICENSE PLATES

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PLATE TYPE	REGIS'N FEES KSA 8-143	COUNTY	REFLECTORIZED PLATE FEE	PERSONALIZED PLATE FEE	OTHER	ROYALTY	500 RESERV'S	COST TO	COST TO
		SERVICE FEE	ONE TIME ONLY			FEE		CUSTOMER	PRODUCE
		KSA 8-145(d)	KSA 8-147	KSA 8-132(c)			KSA 8-1,141		
PASSENGER CARS	KSA 8-143	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	(Not a distinctive plate, listed for comparison purposes only)	N/A	N/A	\$33.50	\$ 1.96
ANTIQUE (Vehicles over 35 yrs old)	KSA 8-166 KSA 8-172	\$40.00 (one time)	\$3.00	\$0.50	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$5.00 antique vehicle fee KSA 8-167	N/A	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$48.50 \$ 3.20
ANTIQUE PERSONALIZED	KSA 8-166 KSA 8-172	\$40.00 (one time)	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00 antique vehicle fee KSA 8-167	N/A	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$88.50 \$ 3.58
AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR	KSA 8-162	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$1.00 Fed. Comm. Fee	N/A	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$34.50 \$ 3.33
SPECIAL INTEREST (Vehicles 20 yrs old not modified OR veh mfg. prior to 1949 modified as "street rod")	KSA 8-194 KSA 8-195	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	22.25 (One time to obtain special interest number)	N/A	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141, tag est. prior to 7/1/94	\$55.75 \$ 3.33

COMPARISON OF PLATE FEES FOR DISTINCTIVE LICENSE PLATES

2005

PLATE TYPE	REGIS'N FEES	COUNTY SERVICE FEE	REFLECTORIZED PLATE FEE ONE TIME ONLY	PERSONALIZED PLATE FEE	OTHER	ROYALTY FEE	500 RESERV'S	COST TO CUSTOMER	COST TO PRODUCE
ORGAINIZATIONS:									
CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND	KSA 8-1,148	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	Exempt per KSA 8-1,141	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$33.50	\$ 5.29
AGRICULTURE IN THE CLASSROOM	KSA 8-1,150	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$73.50	\$ 4.63
FIREFIGHTER	HB2947	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	No Sponsor or fee specified in statute	Not attained Yet	\$73.50	
HELPING SCHOOLS	HB2947	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	Exempt per HB2947	KS Dept. of Education \$40.00	Not Attained Yet	\$73.50	
PUBLIC SAFETY MBR	KSA 8-1,149	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	No Sponsor or fee specified in statute	Not Attained Yet	\$73.50	
SHRINE	KSA 8-1,151	\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$73.50	\$ 3.33
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS	KSA 8-1,142					Alumni Associations			
K. U.		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	KSA 8-1,142 \$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.63
K STATE		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 3.95
PITTSBURG		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.12
WICHITA		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.12
BAKER		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.12
EMPORIA		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.12
FORT HAYS		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.12
OTTAWA		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$24-\$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 4.12
WASHBURN		\$30.00	\$3.00	\$0.50	\$40.00	\$5.00	\$25 - \$100	Attained	\$78.50 \$ 3.72