

**Substitute for HOUSE BILL No. 2166**

By Committee on Transportation

2-15

1 AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to distinctive license plates;  
2 providing for the Braden's hope for childhood cancer, proud educator  
3 and alpha kappa alpha distinctive license plates; providing distinctive  
4 license plates for current and veteran members of the United States  
5 army, navy, marine corps, air force, coast guard and space force;  
6 modifying requirements to begin production on distinctive license  
7 plates; amending K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,141, 8-1,142 and 8-1,147 and  
8 repealing the existing sections.  
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10 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

11 New Section 1. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee  
12 of one or more passenger vehicles or trucks registered for a gross weight  
13 of 20,000 pounds or less, who is a resident of Kansas, upon compliance  
14 with the provisions of this section, may be issued one Braden's hope for  
15 childhood cancer license plate for each such passenger vehicle or truck.  
16 Such license plate shall be issued for the same time as other license plates  
17 upon proper registration and payment of the regular license fee as provided  
18 in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto, and either the payment to the  
19 county treasurer of the logo use royalty payment or the presentation of the  
20 annual logo use authorization statement provided for in subsection (b).

21 (b) Braden's hope for childhood cancer may authorize the use of the  
22 organization's logo to be affixed on license plates as provided by this  
23 section. Any motor vehicle owner or lessee may apply annually to  
24 Braden's hope for childhood cancer for use of such logo. Such owner or  
25 lessee shall pay an amount of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 to  
26 Braden's hope for childhood cancer as a logo use royalty payment for each  
27 such license plate to be issued. The logo use royalty payment shall be paid  
28 to either:

29 (1) Braden's hope for childhood cancer, which shall issue to the motor  
30 vehicle owner or lessee, without further charge, a logo use authorization  
31 statement that shall be presented by the motor vehicle owner or lessee at  
32 the time of registration; or

33 (2) the county treasurer.

34 (c) Any applicant for a license plate authorized by this section may  
35 make application for such license plate not less than 60 days prior to such  
36 person's renewal of registration date, on a form prescribed and furnished

1 by the director of vehicles, and any applicant for such license plate shall  
2 either provide the annual logo use authorization statement provided for in  
3 subsection (b) or pay to the county treasurer the logo use royalty payment.  
4 Application for registration of a passenger vehicle or truck and issuance of  
5 the license plate under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in  
6 a manner prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by  
7 the director.

8 (d) No registration or license plate issued under this section shall be  
9 transferable to any other person.

10 (e) The director of vehicles may transfer a Braden's hope for  
11 childhood cancer license plate from a leased vehicle to a purchased  
12 vehicle.

13 (f) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made annually,  
14 upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the manner  
15 prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No renewal of  
16 registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant provides to  
17 the county treasurer either the annual logo use authorization statement  
18 provided for in subsection (b) or the payment of the annual royalty  
19 payment. If such statement is not presented at the time of registration or  
20 faxed by Braden's hope for childhood cancer, or the annual royalty  
21 payment is not made to the county treasurer, the applicant shall be required  
22 to comply with the provisions of K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto,  
23 and return the license plate to the county treasurer of such person's  
24 residence.

25 (g) Braden's hope for childhood cancer shall provide to all county  
26 treasurers an electronic mail address where applicants can contact Braden's  
27 hope for childhood cancer for information concerning the application  
28 process or the status of such applicant's license plate application.

29 (h) Braden's hope for childhood cancer, with the approval of the  
30 director of vehicles, shall design a plate to be issued under the provisions  
31 of this section.

32 (i) As a condition of receiving the Braden's hope for childhood cancer  
33 license plate and any subsequent registration renewal of such license plate,  
34 the applicant shall consent to the division authorizing the division's release  
35 of motor vehicle record information, including the applicant's name,  
36 address, royalty payment amount, plate number and vehicle type to  
37 Braden's hope for childhood cancer and the state treasurer.

38 (j) The collection and remittance of annual royalty payments by the  
39 county treasurer shall be subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 8-1,141(h),  
40 and amendments thereto.

41 New Sec. 2. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
42 one or more passenger vehicles or trucks registered for a gross weight of  
43 20,000 pounds or less, who is a resident of Kansas, upon compliance with

1 the provisions of this section, may be issued one proud educator license  
2 plate for each such passenger vehicle or truck. Such license plates shall be  
3 issued for the same time as other license plates upon proper registration  
4 and payment of the regular license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and  
5 amendments thereto, and either the payment to the county treasurer of the  
6 logo use royalty payment or the presentation of the annual logo use  
7 authorization statement provided for in subsection (b).

8 (b) The Kansas educators support foundation may authorize the use  
9 of the organization's logo to be affixed on license plates as provided by  
10 this section. Any motor vehicle owner or lessee may apply annually to the  
11 Kansas educators support foundation for use of such logo. Such owner or  
12 lessee shall pay an amount of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 to the  
13 Kansas educators support foundation as a logo use royalty payment for  
14 each such license plate to be issued. The logo use royalty payment shall be  
15 paid to either:

16 (1) The Kansas educators support foundation, who shall issue to the  
17 motor vehicle owner or lessee, without further charge, a logo use  
18 authorization statement that shall be presented by the motor vehicle owner  
19 or lessee at the time of registration; or

20 (2) the county treasurer.

21 (c) Any applicant for a license plate authorized by this section may  
22 make application for such license plate not less than 60 days prior to such  
23 person's renewal of registration date, on a form prescribed and furnished  
24 by the director of vehicles, and any applicant for such license plate shall  
25 either provide the annual logo use authorization statement provided for in  
26 subsection (b) or pay to the county treasurer the logo use royalty payment.  
27 Application for registration of a passenger vehicle or truck and issuance of  
28 the license plate under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in  
29 a manner prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by  
30 the director.

31 (d) No registration or license plate issued under this section shall be  
32 transferable to any other person.

33 (e) The director of vehicles may transfer a proud educator license  
34 plate from a leased vehicle to a purchased vehicle.

35 (f) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made annually,  
36 upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the manner  
37 prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No renewal of  
38 registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant provides to  
39 the county treasurer either the annual logo use authorization statement  
40 provided for in subsection (b) or the payment of the annual royalty  
41 payment. If such statement is not presented at the time of registration or  
42 faxed by the Kansas educators support foundation, or the annual royalty  
43 payment is not made to the county treasurer, the applicant shall be required

1 to comply with the provisions of K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto,  
2 and return the license plate to the county treasurer of such person's  
3 residence.

4 (g) The Kansas educators support foundation shall provide to all  
5 county treasurers an electronic mail address where applicants can contact  
6 the Kansas educators support foundation for information concerning the  
7 application process or the status of such applicant's license plate  
8 application.

9 (h) The Kansas educators support foundation, with the approval of  
10 the director of vehicles, shall design a plate to be issued under the  
11 provisions of this section.

12 (i) As a condition of receiving the proud educator license plate and  
13 any subsequent registration renewal of such license plate, the applicant  
14 shall consent to the division authorizing the division's release of motor  
15 vehicle record information, including the applicant's name, address,  
16 royalty payment amount, plate number and vehicle type to the Kansas  
17 educators support foundation and the state treasurer.

18 (j) The collection and remittance of annual royalty payments by the  
19 county treasurer shall be subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 8-1,141(h),  
20 and amendments thereto, except that payments from the Kansas educators  
21 support foundation royalty fund shall be made on a monthly basis to the  
22 Kansas independent college foundation, unless another designee is made  
23 by the Kansas educators support foundation.

24 New Sec. 3. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
25 one or more passenger vehicles or trucks registered for a gross weight of  
26 20,000 pounds or less, who is a resident of Kansas, upon compliance with  
27 the provisions of this section, may be issued one alpha kappa alpha license  
28 plate for each such passenger vehicle or truck. Such license plates shall be  
29 issued for the same time as other license plates upon proper registration  
30 and payment of the regular license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and  
31 amendments thereto, and either the payment to the county treasurer of the  
32 logo use royalty payment or the presentation of the annual logo use  
33 authorization statement provided for in subsection (b).

34 (b) Alpha kappa alpha may authorize the use of the organization's  
35 logo to be affixed on license plates as provided by this section. Any motor  
36 vehicle owner or lessee may apply annually to alpha kappa alpha for the  
37 use of such logo. Such owner or lessee shall pay an amount of not less  
38 than \$25 nor more than \$100 as a logo use royalty payment for each such  
39 license plate to be issued. The logo use royalty payment shall be paid to  
40 either:

41 (1) Alpha kappa alpha, who shall issue to the motor vehicle owner or  
42 lessee, without further charge, a logo use authorization statement that shall  
43 be presented by the motor vehicle owner or lessee at the time of

1 registration; or

2 (2) the county treasurer.

3 (c) Any applicant for a license plate authorized by this section may  
4 make application for such license plate not less than 60 days prior to such  
5 person's renewal of registration date, on a form prescribed and furnished  
6 by the director of vehicles, and any applicant for such license plate shall  
7 either provide the annual logo use authorization statement provided for in  
8 subsection (b) or pay to the county treasurer the logo use royalty payment.  
9 Application for registration of a passenger vehicle or truck and issuance of  
10 the license plate under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in  
11 a manner prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by  
12 the director.

13 (d) No registration or license plate issued under this section shall be  
14 transferable to any other person.

15 (e) The director of vehicles may transfer an alpha kappa alpha license  
16 plate from a leased vehicle to a purchased vehicle.

17 (f) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made annually,  
18 upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the manner  
19 prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No renewal of  
20 registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant provides to  
21 the county treasurer either the annual logo use authorization statement  
22 provided for in subsection (b) or the payment of the annual royalty  
23 payment. If such statement is not presented at the time of registration or  
24 faxed by alpha kappa alpha, or the annual royalty payment is not made to  
25 the county treasurer, the applicant shall be required to comply with the  
26 provisions of K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto, and return the  
27 license plate to the county treasurer of such person's residence.

28 (g) Alpha kappa alpha shall provide to all county treasurers an  
29 electronic mail address where applicants can contact alpha kappa alpha for  
30 information concerning the application process or the status of such  
31 applicant's license plate application.

32 (h) Alpha kappa alpha, with the approval of the director of vehicles,  
33 shall design a license plate to be issued under the provisions of this  
34 section.

35 (i) As a condition of receiving the alpha kappa alpha license plate and  
36 any subsequent registration renewal of such license plate, the applicant  
37 shall consent to the division authorizing the division's release of motor  
38 vehicle record information, including the applicant's name, address,  
39 royalty payment amount, license plate number and vehicle type to alpha  
40 kappa alpha and the state treasurer.

41 (j) The collection and remittance of annual royalty payments by the  
42 county treasurer shall be subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 8-1,141(h),  
43 and amendments thereto.

1       New Sec. 4. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
2 one or more passenger vehicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds  
3 or less or motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, and who submits  
4 satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and  
5 regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person is  
6 currently serving in the United States army or has separated from the  
7 United States army and was honorably discharged, upon compliance with  
8 the provisions of this section, may be issued one distinctive license plate  
9 for each such passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle designating such  
10 person as a current member or veteran of the United States army. Such  
11 license plate shall be issued for the same period of time as other license  
12 plates upon proper registration and payment of the regular license fee as  
13 provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto.

14       (b) Any person who is a current member or veteran of the United  
15 States army may make application for such distinctive license plate, not  
16 less than 60 days prior to such person's renewal of registration date, on a  
17 form prescribed and furnished by the director of vehicles, and any  
18 applicant for the distinctive license plate shall furnish the director with  
19 proof as the director shall require that the applicant is a current member or  
20 veteran of the United States army. Application for the registration of a  
21 passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance of the license plate  
22 under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
23 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

24       (c) No registration or distinctive license plate issued under the  
25 authority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

26       (d) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made  
27 annually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the  
28 manner prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No  
29 renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant  
30 has filed with the director a form as provided in subsection (b). If such  
31 form is not filed, the applicant shall be required to comply with K.S.A. 8-  
32 143, and amendments thereto, and return the distinctive license plate to the  
33 county treasurer of such person's residence.

34       **{(e) Upon satisfactory proof submitted to the director of vehicles,  
35 in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of  
36 revenue, any person issued a license plate under this section may  
37 request that the license plate be printed to indicate that such person is  
38 a retired member of the United States army.}**

39       New Sec. 5. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
40 one or more passenger vehicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds  
41 or less or motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, and who submits  
42 satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and  
43 regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person is

1 currently serving in the United States navy or has separated from the  
2 United States navy and was honorably discharged, upon compliance with  
3 the provisions of this section, may be issued one distinctive license plate  
4 for each such passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle designating such  
5 person as a current member or veteran of the United States navy. Such  
6 license plate shall be issued for the same period of time as other license  
7 plates upon proper registration and payment of the regular license fee as  
8 provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto.

9 (b) Any person who is a current member or veteran of the United  
10 States navy may make application for such distinctive license plate, not  
11 less than 60 days prior to such person's renewal of registration date, on a  
12 form prescribed and furnished by the director of vehicles, and any  
13 applicant for the distinctive license plate shall furnish the director with  
14 proof as the director shall require that the applicant is a current member or  
15 veteran of the United States navy. Application for the registration of a  
16 passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance of the license plate  
17 under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
18 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

19 (c) No registration or distinctive license plate issued under the  
20 authority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

21 (d) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made  
22 annually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the  
23 manner prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No  
24 renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant  
25 has filed with the director a form as provided in subsection (b). If such  
26 form is not filed, the applicant shall be required to comply with K.S.A. 8-  
27 143, and amendments thereto, and return the distinctive license plate to the  
28 county treasurer of such person's residence.

29 **{(e) Upon satisfactory proof submitted to the director of vehicles,  
30 in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of  
31 revenue, any person issued a license plate under this section may  
32 request that the license plate be printed to indicate that such person is  
33 a retired member of the United States navy.}**

34 New Sec. 6. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
35 one or more passenger vehicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds  
36 or less or motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, and who submits  
37 satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and  
38 regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person is  
39 currently serving in the United States marine corps or has separated from  
40 the United States marine corps and was honorably discharged, upon  
41 compliance with the provisions of this section, may be issued one  
42 distinctive license plate for each such passenger vehicle, truck or  
43 motorcycle designating such person as a current member or veteran of the

1 United States marine corps. Such license plate shall be issued for the same  
2 period of time as other license plates upon proper registration and payment  
3 of the regular license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments  
4 thereto.

5 (b) Any person who is a current member or veteran of the United  
6 States marine corps may make application for such distinctive license  
7 plate, not less than 60 days prior to such person's renewal of registration  
8 date, on a form prescribed and furnished by the director of vehicles, and  
9 any applicant for the distinctive license plate shall furnish the director with  
10 proof as the director shall require that the applicant is a current member or  
11 veteran of the United States marine corps. Application for the registration  
12 of a passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance of the license  
13 plate under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
14 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

15 (c) No registration or distinctive license plate issued under the  
16 authority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

17 (d) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made  
18 annually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the  
19 manner prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No  
20 renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant  
21 has filed with the director a form as provided in subsection (b). If such  
22 form is not filed, the applicant shall be required to comply with K.S.A. 8-  
23 143, and amendments thereto, and return the distinctive license plate to the  
24 county treasurer of such person's residence.

25 **{(e) Upon satisfactory proof submitted to the director of vehicles,**  
26 **in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of**  
27 **revenue, any person issued a license plate under this section may**  
28 **request that the license plate be printed to indicate that such person is**  
29 **a retired member of the United States marine corps.}**

30 New Sec. 7. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
31 one or more passenger vehicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds  
32 or less or motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, and who submits  
33 satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and  
34 regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person is  
35 currently serving in the United States air force or has separated from the  
36 United States air force and was honorably discharged, upon compliance  
37 with the provisions of this section, may be issued one distinctive license  
38 plate for each such passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle designating  
39 such person as a current member or veteran of the United States air force.  
40 Such license plate shall be issued for the same period of time as other  
41 license plates upon proper registration and payment of the regular license  
42 fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto.

43 (b) Any person who is a current member or veteran of the United



1 States air force may make application for such distinctive license plate, not  
2 less than 60 days prior to such person's renewal of registration date, on a  
3 form prescribed and furnished by the director of vehicles, and any  
4 applicant for the distinctive license plate shall furnish the director with  
5 proof as the director shall require that the applicant is a current member or  
6 veteran of the United States air force. Application for the registration of a  
7 passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance of the license plate  
8 under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
9 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

10 (c) No registration or distinctive license plate issued under the  
11 authority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

12 (d) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made  
13 annually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the  
14 manner prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No  
15 renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant  
16 has filed with the director a form as provided in subsection (b). If such  
17 form is not filed, the applicant shall be required to comply with K.S.A. 8-  
18 143, and amendments thereto, and return the distinctive license plate to the  
19 county treasurer of such person's residence.

20 **{(e) Upon satisfactory proof submitted to the director of vehicles,**  
21 **in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of**  
22 **revenue, any person issued a license plate under this section may**  
23 **request that the license plate be printed to indicate that such person is**  
24 **a retired member of the United States air force.}**

25 New Sec. 8. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
26 one or more passenger vehicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds  
27 or less or motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, and who submits  
28 satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and  
29 regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person is  
30 currently serving in the United States coast guard or has separated from  
31 the United States coast guard and was honorably discharged, upon  
32 compliance with the provisions of this section, may be issued one  
33 distinctive license plate for each such passenger vehicle, truck or  
34 motorcycle designating such person as a current member or veteran of the  
35 United States coast guard. Such license plate shall be issued for the same  
36 period of time as other license plates upon proper registration and payment  
37 of the regular license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments  
38 thereto.

39 (b) Any person who is a current member or veteran of the United  
40 States coast guard may make application for such distinctive license plate,  
41 not less than 60 days prior to such person's renewal of registration date, on  
42 a form prescribed and furnished by the director of vehicles, and any  
43 applicant for the distinctive license plate shall furnish the director with

1 proof as the director shall require that the applicant is a current member or  
2 veteran of the United States coast guard. Application for the registration of  
3 a passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance of the license plate  
4 under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
5 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

6 (c) No registration or distinctive license plate issued under the  
7 authority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

8 (d) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made  
9 annually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (a), in the  
10 manner prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments thereto. No  
11 renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until such applicant  
12 has filed with the director a form as provided in subsection (b). If such  
13 form is not filed, the applicant shall be required to comply with K.S.A. 8-  
14 143, and amendments thereto, and return the distinctive license plate to the  
15 county treasurer of such person's residence.

16 **{(e) Upon satisfactory proof submitted to the director of vehicles,  
17 in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of  
18 revenue, any person issued a license plate under this section may  
19 request that the license plate be printed to indicate that such person is  
20 a retired member of the United States coast guard.}**

21 New Sec. 9. (a) On and after January 1, 2022, any owner or lessee of  
22 one or more passenger vehicles, trucks of a gross weight of 20,000 pounds  
23 or less or motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, and who submits  
24 satisfactory proof to the director of vehicles, in accordance with rules and  
25 regulations adopted by the secretary of revenue, that such person is  
26 currently serving in the United States space force or has separated from the  
27 United States space force and was honorably discharged, upon compliance  
28 with the provisions of this section, may be issued one distinctive license  
29 plate for each such passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle designating  
30 such person as a current member or veteran of the United States space  
31 force. Such license plate shall be issued for the same period of time as  
32 other license plates upon proper registration and payment of the regular  
33 license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto.

34 (b) Any person who is a current member or veteran of the United  
35 States space force may make application for such distinctive license plate,  
36 not less than 60 days prior to such person's renewal of registration date, on  
37 a form prescribed and furnished by the director of vehicles, and any  
38 applicant for the distinctive license plate shall furnish the director with  
39 proof as the director shall require that the applicant is a current member or  
40 veteran of the United States space force. Application for the registration of  
41 a passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle and issuance of the license plate  
42 under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
43 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

1 (c) No registration or distinctive license plate issued under the  
2 authority of this section shall be transferable to any other person.

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

11 **{(e) Upon satisfactory proof submitted to the director of vehicles,  
12 in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the secretary of  
13 revenue, any person issued a license plate under this section may  
14 request that the license plate be printed to indicate that such person is  
15 a retired member of the United States space force.}**

16 Sec. 10. K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,141 is hereby amended to read as  
17 follows: 8-1,141. (a) Any new distinctive license plate authorized for  
18 issuance on and after July 1, 1994, shall be subject to the personalized  
19 license plate fee prescribed by K.S.A. 8-132(c), and amendments thereto.  
20 This section shall not apply to any distinctive license plate authorized prior  
21 to July 1, 1994.

22 (b) The director of vehicles shall not issue any new distinctive license  
23 plate ~~authorized for issuance on and after July 1, 1995,~~ unless there is a  
24 guarantee of an initial issuance of at least ~~500~~ 250 license plates.

25 (c) The provisions of this section shall not apply to distinctive license  
26 plates issued under the provisions of K.S.A. 8-1,145, *and amendments*  
27 *thereto*, or K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-177d, 8-1,163, 8-1,166, 8-1,185, 8-1,186,  
28 8-1,187-~~or~~, 8-1,188, *section 4, section 5, section 6, section 7, section 8 or*  
29 *section 9*, and amendments thereto.

30 (d) The provisions of subsection (a), shall not apply to distinctive  
31 license plates issued under the provisions of K.S.A. 8-1,146 or 8-1,148,  
32 and amendments thereto, or K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,153, 8-1,158 or 8-  
33 1,161, and amendments thereto.

34 (e) The provisions of subsection (f) shall not apply to distinctive  
35 license plates issued under the provisions of K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,160  
36 and 8-1,183, and amendments thereto, except that the division shall delay  
37 the manufacturing and issuance of such distinctive license plate until the  
38 division has received not ~~less~~ *fewer* than ~~1,000~~ 100 orders for such plate,  
39 including payment of the personalized license plate fee required under  
40 subsection (a). Upon certification by the director of vehicles to the director  
41 of accounts and reports that not less than ~~1,000~~ 100 paid orders for such  
42 plate have been received, the director of accounts and reports shall transfer  
43 ~~\$40,000~~ \$4,000 from the state highway fund to the distinctive license plate

1 fund.

2 (f) (1) Any person or organization sponsoring any distinctive license  
3 plate authorized by the legislature ~~on and after July 1, 2004~~, shall submit  
4 to the division of vehicles a nonrefundable amount not to exceed ~~\$20,000~~  
5 ~~\$5,000~~, to defray the division's cost for developing such distinctive license  
6 plate.

7 (2) All moneys received under this subsection shall be remitted by the  
8 secretary of revenue to the state treasurer in accordance with the  
9 provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt of  
10 each such remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in  
11 the state treasury to the credit of the distinctive license plate fund which is  
12 hereby created in the state treasury. All moneys credited to the distinctive  
13 license plate fund shall be used by the department of revenue only for the  
14 purpose associated with the development of distinctive license plates. All  
15 expenditures from the distinctive license plate application fee fund shall be  
16 made in accordance with appropriation acts, upon warrants of the director  
17 of accounts and reports issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the  
18 secretary of the department of revenue.

19 ~~(g) (1) Except for educational institution license plates issued under~~  
20 ~~K.S.A. 8-1,142, and amendments thereto, the director of vehicles shall~~  
21 ~~discontinue the issuance of any distinctive license plate authorized prior to~~  
22 ~~July 1, 2004, and which is subject to the provisions of subsection (b) if:~~

23 ~~(A) Less than 500 license plates, including annual renewals, are~~  
24 ~~issued for that distinctive license plate by July 1, 2006; and~~

25 ~~(B) less than 250 license plates, including annual renewals, are issued~~  
26 ~~for that distinctive license plate during any subsequent two-year period~~  
27 ~~after July 1, 2006.~~

28 ~~(2) The director of vehicles shall discontinue the issuance of any~~  
29 ~~distinctive license plate authorized on and after July 1, 2004, if:~~

30 ~~(A)(1) LessFewer than 500 250 plates, including annual renewals, are~~  
31 ~~issued for that distinctive license plate by the end of the second year of~~  
32 ~~sales; and~~

33 ~~(B)(2) lessfewer than 250 125 license plates, including annual~~  
34 ~~renewals, are issued for that distinctive license plate during any subsequent~~  
35 ~~two-year period.~~

36 (h) An application for any distinctive license plate issued ~~after~~  
37 ~~December 31, 2012~~, and the corresponding royalty fee may be collected  
38 either by the county treasurer or the entity benefiting from the issuance of  
39 the distinctive license plate. Annual royalty payments collected by the  
40 county treasurers shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with  
41 the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. Upon receipt  
42 of each such remittance the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount  
43 in the state treasury to the credit of a segregated royalty fund which shall

1 be administered by the state treasurer. All expenditures from the royalty  
2 fund shall be made in accordance with appropriation acts upon warrants of  
3 the director of accounts and reports issued pursuant to vouchers approved  
4 by the state treasurer or the state treasurer's designee. Payments from the  
5 royalty fund shall be made to the entity benefiting from the issuance of the  
6 distinctive license plate on a monthly basis.

7 (i) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for any distinctive  
8 license plate, the division shall produce such distinctive license plate for a  
9 motorcycle upon request to the division by the organization sponsoring the  
10 distinctive license plate.

11 (j) In addition to any residency requirements for all distinctive license  
12 plates, any person not a resident of Kansas, serving as a member of the  
13 armed forces stationed in this state shall be eligible to apply for any  
14 distinctive license plate as if the individual was a resident of this state.  
15 Such person shall be eligible to renew the distinctive license plate  
16 registration as long as the person is still stationed in this state at the time  
17 the registration is renewed.

18 Sec. 11. K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,142 is hereby amended to read as  
19 follows: 8-1,142. (a) As used in this section, "educational institution"  
20 means:

21 (1) Any state educational institution under the control and supervision  
22 of the state board of regents;

23 (2) any municipal university;

24 (3) any not-for-profit independent institution of higher education  
25 ~~which~~ *that* is accredited by the north central association of colleges and  
26 secondary schools accrediting agency based on its requirements as of April  
27 1, 1985, is operated independently and not controlled or administered by  
28 the state or any agency or subdivision thereof, maintains open enrollment  
29 and the main campus or principal place of operation of which is located in  
30 Kansas;

31 (4) any community college organized and operating under the laws of  
32 this state; and

33 (5) Haskell Indian Nations university.

34 (b) Any owner or lessee of one or more passenger vehicles, trucks  
35 registered for a gross weight of not more than 20,000 pounds or  
36 motorcycles, who is a resident of Kansas, upon compliance with the  
37 provisions of this section, may be issued one educational institution license  
38 plate for each such passenger vehicle, truck or motorcycle. Such license  
39 plates shall be issued for the same period of time as other license plates  
40 upon proper registration and payment of the regular license fee as provided  
41 in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments thereto, plus the payment of an  
42 additional fee of \$5 for each plate, and either the payment to the county  
43 treasurer of the logo use royalty payment established by the alumni

1 association or foundation or the presentation of the annual emblem use  
2 authorization statement provided for in subsection (c).

3 (c) Any educational institution may authorize through its officially  
4 recognized alumni association or foundation the use of such institution's  
5 official emblems to be affixed on license plates as provided by this section.  
6 Any royalty payment derived from this section, except reasonable  
7 administrative costs, shall be used for recognition of academic  
8 achievement or excellence subject to the approval of the chancellor or  
9 president of the educational institution. Any motor vehicle owner or lessee  
10 may annually apply to the alumni association or foundation for the use of  
11 the institution's emblems. Upon annual application and payment to either:  
12 (1) The alumni association or foundation in an amount of not less than \$25  
13 nor more than \$100 as an emblem use royalty payment for each  
14 educational institution license plate to be issued, the alumni association or  
15 foundation shall issue to the motor vehicle owner or lessee, without further  
16 charge, an emblem use authorization statement, which shall be presented  
17 by the motor vehicle owner or lessee at the time of registration; or (2) the  
18 county treasurer of the logo use royalty payment for each license plate to  
19 be issued.

20 (d) Any applicant for an educational institution license plate may  
21 make application for such plates not less than 60 days prior to such  
22 person's renewal of registration date, on a form prescribed and furnished  
23 by the director of vehicles, and any applicant for the educational institution  
24 license plates shall provide either the annual emblem use authorization  
25 statement provided for in subsection (c) or pay to the county treasurer the  
26 logo use royalty payment established by the alumni association or  
27 foundation. Application for registration of a passenger vehicle, truck or  
28 motorcycle and issuance of the license plates under this section shall be  
29 made by the owner or lessee in a manner prescribed by the director of  
30 vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

31 (e) No registration or educational institution license plate issued  
32 under this section shall be transferable to any other person.

33 (f) The director of vehicles may transfer educational institution  
34 license plates from a leased vehicle to a purchased vehicle.

35 (g) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made  
36 annually, upon payment of the fee prescribed in subsection (b), in the  
37 manner prescribed in ~~subsection (b) of K.S.A. 8-132(b)~~, and amendments  
38 thereto. No renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until  
39 such applicant provides to the county treasurer either the annual emblem  
40 use authorization statement provided for in subsection (c) or the payment  
41 of the annual emblem use royalty payment established by the alumni  
42 association or foundation. If such emblem use authorization statement is  
43 not presented at the time of registration or faxed by the alumni association

1 or foundations, or the annual emblem use royalty payment is not made to  
2 the county treasurer, the applicant shall be required to comply with K.S.A.  
3 8-143, and amendments thereto, and return the educational institution  
4 license plates to the county treasurer of such person's residence.

5 (h) The director of vehicles shall not issue any educational institution  
6 license plates for any educational institution, unless such educational  
7 institution's alumni association or foundation guarantees the initial  
8 issuance of at least ~~500~~ 100 license plates.

9 (i) The director of vehicles shall discontinue the issuance of an  
10 educational institution's license plate authorized under this section if:

11 (1) ~~Less~~ Fewer than ~~500~~ 100 educational institution license plates,  
12 including annual renewals, are issued for an educational institution by the  
13 end of the second year of sales; and

14 (2) ~~less~~ fewer than ~~250~~ 50 educational institution license plates,  
15 including annual renewals, are issued for an educational institution during  
16 any subsequent two-year period.

17 (j) Each educational institution's alumni association or foundation  
18 shall:

19 (1) Pay the initial cost of silk-screening for such educational license  
20 plates; and

21 (2) provide to all county treasurers a toll-free telephone number  
22 where applicants can call the alumni association or foundation for  
23 information concerning the application process or the status of their  
24 license plate application.

25 (k) Each educational institution's alumni association or foundation,  
26 with the approval of the director of vehicles and subject to the availability  
27 of materials and equipment, shall design a license plate to be issued under  
28 the provisions of this section.

29 (l) As a condition of receiving the educational institution license plate  
30 and any subsequent registration renewal of such plate, the applicant must  
31 provide consent to the division authorizing the division's release of motor  
32 vehicle record information, including the applicant's name, address,  
33 emblem use royalty payment amount, plate number and vehicle type to the  
34 relevant educational institution and the state treasurer.

35 (m) Annual royalty payments collected by county treasurers under  
36 this section shall be remitted to the state treasurer in accordance with the  
37 provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments thereto. In the case of an  
38 educational institution that is a state educational institution as defined by  
39 K.S.A. 76-711, and amendments thereto, upon receipt of each such  
40 remittance, the state treasurer shall deposit the entire amount in the state  
41 treasury to the credit of the appropriate account of the restricted fees fund  
42 of such state educational institution. In the case of an educational  
43 institution which is not a state educational institution as defined by K.S.A.

1 76-711, and amendments thereto, upon receipt of each such remittance, the  
2 state treasurer shall remit the entire amount to the educational institutions  
3 emblem royalty fund, which is hereby created in the state treasury and  
4 shall be administered by the state treasurer. All expenditures from the  
5 educational institutions emblem royalty fund shall be made in accordance  
6 with appropriation acts upon warrants of the director of accounts and  
7 reports issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the state treasurer or the  
8 state treasurer's designee. Payments from the educational institutions  
9 emblem royalty fund to the respective educational institutions shall be  
10 made on a monthly basis.

11 Sec. 12. K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,147 is hereby amended to read as  
12 follows: 8-1,147. In the event of the death of any person issued distinctive  
13 license plates under the provisions of K.S.A. 8-161, 8-177a, 8-177c, 8-  
14 1,139, 8-1,140, 8-1,145 or 8-1,146 or K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-177d, 8-1,163,  
15 8-1,166, 8-1,185, 8-1,186, 8-1,187~~—or—~~, 8-1,188, *section 4, section 5,*  
16 *section 6, section 7, section 8 or section 9*, and amendments thereto, the  
17 surviving spouse or other family member, if there is no surviving spouse,  
18 shall be entitled to possession of any such distinctive license plates. Such  
19 license plates shall not be displayed on any vehicle unless otherwise  
20 authorized by statute.

21 Sec. 13. K.S.A. 2020 Supp. 8-1,141, 8-1,142 and 8-1,147 are hereby  
22 repealed.

23 Sec. 14. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
24 publication in the statute book.