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Bill No. CS/CS/HB 7061, 1st Eng.

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Senator Bradley moved the following:

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Senate Amendment to Amendment (691108) (with title amendment)
Between lines 941 and 942
insert:
Section 13. Paragraphs (ffff), (gggg), and (hhhh) are added to subsection (4) of section 320.08056 , Florida Statutes, to read:
320.08056 Specialty license plates.-
(4) The following license plate annual use fees shall be collected for the appropriate specialty license plates:
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(ffff) Jacksonville Armada Football Club license plate, $\$ 25$.
(gggg) Orlando City Soccer Club license plate, \$25.
(hhhh) Support Special Needs Kids license plate, \$25.
Section 14. Subsection (9) of section 320.08058 , Florida Statutes, is amended, and subsections (84), (85), and (86) are added to that section, to read:
320.08058 Specialty license plates.-
(9) FLORIDA PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAM LICENSE PLATES.-
(a) The Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles shall develop a Florida Professional Sports Team license plate as provided in this section for Major League Baseball, National Basketball Association, National Football League, Arena Football League, National Hockey League, and Major League Soccer, and North American Soccer League teams domiciled in this state. However, any Florida Professional Sports Team license plate created or established after January 1, 1997, must comply with the requirements of s. 320.08053 and be specifically authorized by an act of the Legislature. Florida Professional Sports Team license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the department and must include the official league or team logo, or both, as appropriate for each team. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate.
(b) The license plate annual use fees are to be annually distributed as follows:

1. Fifty-five percent of the proceeds from the Florida Professional Sports Team plate must be deposited into the Professional Sports Development Trust Fund within the Department of Economic Opportunity. These funds must be used solely to
attract and support major sports events in this state. As used in this subparagraph, the term "major sports events" means, but is not limited to, championship or all-star contests of Major League Baseball, the National Basketball Association, the National Football League, the National Hockey League, Major League Soccer, the North American Soccer League, the men's and women's National Collegiate Athletic Association Final Four basketball championship, or a horseracing or dogracing Breeders' Cup. All funds must be used to support and promote major sporting events, and the uses must be approved by the Department of Economic Opportunity.
2. The remaining proceeds of the Florida Professional Sports Team license plate must be allocated to Enterprise Florida, Inc. These funds must be deposited into the Professional Sports Development Trust Fund within the Department of Economic Opportunity. These funds must be used by Enterprise Florida, Inc., to promote the economic development of the sports industry; to distribute licensing and royalty fees to participating professional sports teams; to promote education programs in Florida schools that provide an awareness of the benefits of physical activity and nutrition standards; to partner with the Department of Education and the Department of Health to develop a program that recognizes schools whose students demonstrate excellent physical fitness or fitness improvement; to institute a grant program for communities bidding on minor sporting events that create an economic impact for the state; to distribute funds to Florida-based charities designated by Enterprise Florida, Inc., and the participating professional sports teams; and to fulfill the sports promotion
responsibilities of the Department of Economic Opportunity.
3. Enterprise Florida, Inc., shall provide an annual financial audit in accordance with s. 215.981 of its financial accounts and records by an independent certified public accountant pursuant to the contract established by the Department of Economic Opportunity. The auditor shall submit the audit report to the Department of Economic Opportunity for review and approval. If the audit report is approved, the Department of Economic Opportunity shall certify the audit report to the Auditor General for review.
4. Notwithstanding the provisions of subparagraphs 1. and 2., proceeds from the Professional Sports Development Trust Fund may also be used for operational expenses of Enterprise Florida, Inc., and financial support of the Sunshine State Games.
(84) JACKSONVILLE ARMADA FOOTBALL CLUB LICENSE PLATES.-The department shall develop a Jacksonville Armada Football Club license plate as provided in subsection (9).
(85) ORLANDO CITY SOCCER CLUB LICENSE PLATES.-The department shall develop an Orlando City Soccer Club license plate as provided in subsection (9).
(86) SUPPORT SPECIAL NEEDS KIDS LICENSE PLATES.-
(a) The department shall develop a Support Special Needs Kids license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Support Special Needs Kids" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
(b) The department shall retain all annual use fees from the sale of the plate until startup costs for developing and issuing the plates have been recovered. Thereafter, the annual
use fees from the sale of the plate shall be distributed to the Dan Marino Foundation, Inc., which:
5. May use a maximum of 10 percent of the proceeds to promote and market the Support Special Needs Kids license plate.
6. Shall invest and reinvest the remainder of the proceeds and use the interest thereon to assist Floridians with developmental and intellectual disabilities by funding scholarships, assisting with job placement, and promoting education, independence, and awareness.
================== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T ================== And the title is amended as follows:

Delete line 3191
and insert:
for the request; amending s. 320.08056 , F.S.;
establishing annual use fees for certain specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; requiring the department to develop a license plate for North American Soccer League teams; directing the department to develop certain specialty license plates; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plates; amending s. 320.525, F.S.; revising

