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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to specialty license plates;
3 amending ss. 320.08056 and 320.08058, F.S.;
4 creating the Florida Firefighters license
5 plate; providing for the distribution of annual
6 use fees received from the sale of such plates;
7 providing an effective date.

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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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11 Section 1. Paragraph (hh) is added to subsection (4)
12 of section 320.08056, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter
13 2001-355, Laws of Florida, to read:

14 320.08056 Specialty license plates.--

15 (4) The following license plate annual use fees shall
16 be collected for the appropriate specialty license plates:

17 (hh) Florida Firefighters license plate, \$20.

18 Section 2. Subsection (32) is added to section
19 320.08058, Florida Statutes, as amended by chapter 2001-355,
20 Laws of Florida, to read:

21 320.08058 Specialty license plates.--

22 (34) FLORIDA FIREFIGHTERS LICENSE PLATE.--

23 (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 320.08053,
24 the department shall develop a Florida Firefighters license
25 plate as provided in this section. Florida Firefighters
26 license plates must bear the colors and design approved by the
27 department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the
28 plate, and the words "Salutes Firefighters" must appear at the
29 bottom of the plate.

30 (b) The department shall retain all revenues from the
31 sale of such plates until all startup costs for developing and

1 issuing the plates are recovered, not to exceed \$60,000.
2 Thereafter, the proceeds of the annual use fee shall be
3 distributed to Firefighters/Paramedics Saves Lives, Inc., a
4 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation. Firefighters/Paramedics Saves
5 Lives, Inc., shall distribute the moneys according to its
6 articles of incorporation.

7 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002.

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10 HOUSE SUMMARY

11 Creates the Florida Firefighters specialty license plate.
12 See bill for details.

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