



HB 1155

2003

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28
29

A bill to be entitled
An act relating to specialty license plates; amending ss.
320.08056, 320.08058, F.S.; renaming the Challenger
license plate as the Challenger/Columbia license plate;
providing an effective date.

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

Section 1. Paragraph (b) of subsection (4) of section
320.08056, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

320.08056 Specialty license plates.--

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

(b) Challenger/Columbia ~~Challenger~~ license plate, \$25,
except that a person that purchases 1,000 or more of such
~~Challenger~~ license plates shall pay an annual use fee of \$15 per
plate.

Section 2. Paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (2) of
section 320.08058, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

320.08058 Specialty license plates.--

(2) CHALLENGER/COLUMBIA ~~CHALLENGER~~ LICENSE PLATES.--

(a) The department shall develop a Challenger/Columbia
~~Challenger~~ license plate to commemorate the seven astronauts who
died when the space shuttle Challenger exploded on liftoff in
1986 and the seven astronauts who died when the Columbia
exploded on reentry in 2003. The word "Florida" shall appear at
the top of the plate, and the words "Challenger/Columbia" ~~word~~
~~"Challenger"~~ must appear at the bottom of the plate, ~~both words~~
in small letters.



HB 1155

2003

30 (b) Fifty percent of the Challenger/Columbia ~~Challenger~~
31 license plate annual use fee must be distributed to the
32 Astronauts Memorial Foundation, Inc., to support the operations
33 of the Center for Space Education and the Education Technology
34 Institute. Funds received by the Astronauts Memorial Foundation,
35 Inc., may be used for administrative costs directly associated
36 with the operation of the center and the institute. These funds
37 must be used for the maintenance and support of the operations
38 of the Center for Space Education and the Education Technology
39 Institute operated by the Astronauts Memorial Foundation, Inc.
40 These operations must include preservice and inservice training
41 in the use of technology for the state's instructional personnel
42 in a manner consistent with state training programs and approved
43 by the Department of Education. Up to 20 percent of funds
44 received by the Center for Space Education and the Education
45 Technology Institute may be expended for administrative costs
46 directly associated with the operation of the center and the
47 institute.

48 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2003.