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

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

10           Section 1. Paragraph (ss) is added to subsection (4) of  
 11 section 320.08056, Florida Statutes, to read:

12           320.08056 Specialty license plates.--

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

15           (ss) Parents Make A Difference license plate, \$25.

16           Section 2. Subsection (45) is added to section 320.08058,  
 17 Florida Statutes, to read:

18           320.08058 Specialty license plates.--

19           (45) PARENTS MAKE A DIFFERENCE LICENSE PLATES.--

20           (a) The department shall develop a Parents Make A  
 21 Difference license plate as provided in this section. The words  
 22 "Parents Make A Difference" must appear at the top of the plate,  
 23 and the word "Florida" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

24           (b) The annual use fees shall be distributed to The  
 25 Gathering/USA, Inc., to fund personal counseling for parents,  
 26 marriage seminars, Dads and Moms That Make A Difference  
 27 seminars, father-and-son retreats, mother-and-daughter retreats,  
 28 and personal parenting behavioral assessments. The  
 29 Gathering/USA, Inc., shall distribute the Parents Make A

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30 Difference license plate annual use fees in the following  
 31 manner:

32 1. The Gathering/USA, Inc., shall retain all revenues from  
 33 the sale of such plates until all startup costs for developing  
 34 and establishing the plate have been recovered.

35 2. Up to 5 percent of the funds received by The  
 36 Gathering/USA, Inc., shall be expended for administrative costs  
 37 directly associated with the operations of The Gathering/USA,  
 38 Inc., and up to 20 percent of the funds received shall be  
 39 expended for promotion and marketing of the license plate.

40 3. All remaining funds shall be expended by The  
 41 Gathering/USA, Inc., for programs.

42 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004.