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<u>Senate</u>	.	<u>House</u>
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1 The Committee on Transportation and Economic Development
2 Appropriations (Webster) recommended the following **amendment**:

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4 **Senate Amendment (with title amendment)**

5 Between line(s) 1027-1028

6 insert:

7 Section 23. Paragraph (a) of subsection (4) of section
8 320.0894, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

9 320.0894 Motor vehicle license plates to Gold Star family
10 members.--The department shall develop a special license plate
11 honoring the family members of servicemembers who have been
12 killed while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States.
13 The license plate shall be officially designated as the Gold Star
14 license plate and shall be developed and issued as provided in
15 this section.



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16 (4) (a) 1. a. The Gold Star license plate shall be issued only
17 to family members of a servicemember who resided in Florida at
18 the time of the death of the servicemember.

19 b. Any family member, as defined in subparagraph 2., of a
20 servicemember killed while serving may be issued a Gold Star
21 license plate upon payment of the license tax and appropriate
22 fees as provided in paragraph (3) (a) without regard to the state
23 of residence of the servicemember.

24 2. To qualify for issuance of a Gold Star license plate,
25 the applicant must be directly related to a fallen servicemember
26 as spouse, legal mother or father, or stepparent who is currently
27 married to the mother or father of the fallen servicemember.

28 3. A servicemember is deemed to have been killed while in
29 service as listed by the United States Department of Defense and
30 may be verified from documentation directly from the Department
31 of Defense or from its subordinate agencies, such as the Coast
32 Guard, Reserve, or National Guard.

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37 And the title is amended as follows:

38 On line 117, after the semicolon
39 insert:

40 amending s. 320.0894, F.S.; providing for issuance of Gold
41 Star license plates to certain family members;