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Senator Thurston moved the following:

1           **Senate Amendment to Amendment (464008) (with title**  
2 **amendment)**

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4           Between lines 215 and 216  
5 insert:

6           (c) Pursuant to paragraph (b), the department shall  
7 maintain a waiting list of new specialty license plates in  
8 sequential order which have been approved by the Legislature  
9 pursuant to this section. The following specialty license  
10 plates, in sequential order, are approved for design and  
11 issuance as plates are discontinued pursuant to paragraph (b),



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12 not to exceed 150 plates:

13 1. Divine Nine license plates.—

14 a. The Divine Nine license plate must bear the colors and  
15 design approved by the department and must include the official  
16 logo as appropriate for each organization. The word "Florida"  
17 must appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Divine" must  
18 appear at the bottom of the plate.

19 b. The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be  
20 distributed as follows:

21 (I) Five percent of the proceeds shall be distributed to  
22 the United Negro College Fund, Inc., for college scholarships  
23 for Florida residents attending Florida's historically black  
24 colleges and universities.

25 (II) The remaining 95 percent of the proceeds shall be  
26 distributed to one of the following organizations as selected by  
27 the purchaser of the plate who shall receive a license plate  
28 with the design associated with the appropriate recipient  
29 organization:

30 (A) Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

31 i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Florida  
32 Federation of Alpha Chapters, Inc., to promote community  
33 awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural  
34 service activities within this state.

35 ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the Florida  
36 Federation of Alpha Chapters, Inc., solely for the marketing of  
37 the plate.

38 (B) Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

39 i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Alpha  
40 Kappa Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc., to promote



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41 community awareness and action through educational, economic,  
42 and cultural service activities within this state.

43 ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the Alpha Kappa  
44 Alpha Educational Advancement Foundation, Inc., solely for the  
45 marketing of the plate.

46 (C) Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

47 i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Southern  
48 Province of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., to promote  
49 community awareness and action through educational, economic,  
50 and cultural service activities within this state.

51 ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the Southern  
52 Province of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc., solely for the  
53 marketing of the plate.

54 (D) Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

55 i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the State of  
56 Florida Omega Friendship Foundation, Inc., to promote community  
57 awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural  
58 service activities within this state.

59 ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the State of Florida  
60 Omega Friendship Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of  
61 the plate.

62 (E) Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

63 i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Delta  
64 Research and Educational Foundation, Inc., to promote community  
65 awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural  
66 service activities within this state.

67 ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the Delta Research  
68 and Educational Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of  
69 the plate.



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70       (F) Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.  
71       i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the TMB  
72 Charitable Foundation, Inc., to promote community awareness and  
73 action through educational, economic, and cultural service  
74 activities within this state.  
75       ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the TMB Charitable  
76 Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of the plate.  
77       (G) Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.  
78       i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Florida  
79 Pearls, Inc., to promote community awareness and action through  
80 educational, economic, and cultural service activities within  
81 this state.  
82       ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the Florida Pearls,  
83 Inc., solely for the marketing of the plate.  
84       (H) Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.  
85       i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the Sigma  
86 Gamma Rho Sorority National Education Fund, Inc., to promote  
87 community awareness and action through educational, economic,  
88 and cultural service activities within this state.  
89       ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the Sigma Gamma Rho  
90 Sorority National Education Fund, Inc., solely for the marketing  
91 of the plate.  
92       (I) Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.  
93       i Eighty-five percent shall be distributed to the National  
94 Iota Foundation, Inc., to promote community awareness and action  
95 through educational, economic, and cultural service activities  
96 within this state.  
97       ii Ten percent shall be distributed to the National Iota  
98 Foundation, Inc., solely for the marketing of the plate.



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99           2. Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society license plates.-

100           a. The Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society license  
101 plates must bear the colors and design approved by the  
102 department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the  
103 plate, and the words "Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society"  
104 must appear at the bottom of the plate.

105           b. The license plate annual use fees shall be distributed  
106 to the Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society to fund  
107 educational programs for students in pre-K through grade 12,  
108 conservation projects to protect endangered or threatened  
109 species, and services for the health and welfare of animals in  
110 the zoo's care. The Palm Beach Zoo and Conservation Society may  
111 retain all revenue from the annual use fees until all startup  
112 costs for developing and establishing the plate have been  
113 recovered. Thereafter, up to 10 percent of the annual use fee  
114 revenue may be used for promotion and marketing of the specialty  
115 license plate and administrative costs directly associated with  
116 the programs of the society and the specialty license plate.

117           3. Solar Power license plates.-

118           a. The Solar Power license plate must bear the colors and  
119 design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must  
120 appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Powered by the  
121 Sun" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

122           b. The annual fees from the sale of the plate must be  
123 distributed to the Florida Solar Energy Research and Education  
124 Foundation, Inc., a nonprofit Florida corporation under s.  
125 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to fund programs which  
126 support greater employment opportunities and job training  
127 programs that promote the growth of the solar energy industry in



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128 Florida. Up to 10 percent of the proceeds may be used for  
129 administrative costs and to promote and market the plate.

130 4. Morehouse College license plates.—

131 a. The Morehouse College license plate must bear the colors  
132 and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must  
133 appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Morehouse  
134 College" must appear at the bottom of the plate.

135 b. The annual use fees from the sale of the plate shall be  
136 distributed to the Morehouse College Alumni Association of  
137 Broward County, which must use the proceeds for the purpose of  
138 awarding scholarships to Florida residents attending Morehouse  
139 College. The proceeds must be deposited in the endowment  
140 required in s. 320.08056(12). Students receiving these  
141 scholarships must be eligible for the Florida Bright Futures  
142 Scholarship Program pursuant to s. 1009.531 and shall use the  
143 scholarship funds for tuition and other expenses related to  
144 attending Morehouse College.

145 5. Margaritaville license plates.—

146 a. The Margaritaville license plate must bear the colors  
147 and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must  
148 appear at the top of the plate, and the word "Margaritaville"  
149 must appear at the bottom of the plate.

150 b. The annual use fees must be distributed to the SFC  
151 Charitable Foundation, Inc., a Florida nonprofit corporation  
152 doing business as the Singing for Change Foundation, to fund its  
153 activities, programs, and projects. The Singing for Change  
154 Foundation shall retain all revenue from the annual use fees  
155 until all startup costs for developing and establishing the  
156 plate have been recovered.



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157 c. Thereafter, the annual use fees shall be distributed as  
158 follows:

159 (I) Up to 10 percent of the annual use fee revenue may be  
160 used for administration, promotion, and marketing of the  
161 specialty license plate.

162 (II) The remaining proceeds must be used by the Singing for  
163 Change Foundation for its educational, economic, and cultural  
164 programs that assist local communities impacted by natural and  
165 manmade disasters with recovery, rebuilding, and future  
166 sustainability efforts, and that promote and inspire local  
167 grassroots leadership that works to improve the quality of life  
168 in those communities and other communities in this state.

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170 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

171 And the title is amended as follows:

172 Delete line 1519

173 and insert:

174 plate; requiring the department to maintain a waiting  
175 list of new specialty license plates; providing that  
176 specified specialty license plates are approved for  
177 design and issuance; amending s. 320.08056, F.S.;

178 allowing the