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| 1 | A bill to be entitled |
| 2 | An act relating to motor vehicle registration |
| 3 | certificate cards; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; requiring |
| 4 | the application form for motor vehicle registration |
| 5 | and renewal of registration to include language |
| 6 | permitting applicants to request registration |
| 7 | certificate cards; amending s. 320.031, F.S.; |
| 8 | authorizing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor |
| 9 | Vehicles and tax collectors to use United States mail |
| 10 | service to deliver registration certificate cards; |
| 11 | specifying a requirement for mailing such cards; |
| 12 | amending s. 320.055, F.S.; requiring the department to |
| 13 | issue registration certificate cards to specified |
| 14 | motor vehicle owners under certain circumstances; |
| 15 | amending s. 320.06, F.S.; requiring the department to |
| 16 | issue a registration certificate card to the owner or |
| 17 | lessee of a motor vehicle if requested by such owner |
| 18 | or lessee; amending s. 320.0605, F.S.; expanding the |
| 19 | list of documents required to be in the possession of |
| 20 | the operator of a motor vehicle or carried in the |
| 21 | vehicle for certain purposes to include registration |
| 22 | certificate cards; providing penalties; amending s. |
| 23 | 320.0609, F.S.; requiring that registration |
| 24 | certificate cards be issued to the owner of a |
| 25 | registered vehicle; authorizing registration |
| 26 | certificate cards to be transferred by the owner or |
| 27 | surrendered under certain circumstances; specifying a |
| 28 | transfer fee for the issuance of a new registration |
| 29 | certificate card under certain circumstances; |

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| 30 | authorizing the surviving spouse of a deceased |
| 31 | registered owner of a motor vehicle to request a |
| 32 | registration certificate card; amending s. 320.061, |
| 33 | F.S.; prohibiting a person from altering the original |
| 34 | appearance of a registration certificate card; |
| 35 | providing penalties; amending s. 320.07, F.S.; |
| 36 | providing that a person who has been assessed certain |
| 37 | penalties is not subject to a delinquent fee if the |
| 38 | person obtains a valid registration certificate card |
| 39 | within a specified timeframe; amending s. 320.0843, |
| 40 | F.S.; requiring that eligible applicants for permanent |
| 41 | disabled parking permits be noted on registration |
| 42 | certificate cards under certain circumstances; |
| 43 | amending s. 320.086, F.S.; requiring a registration |
| 44 | certificate card to be carried within former military |
| 45 | vehicles under certain circumstances; amending s. |
| 46 | 320.1325, F.S.; requiring the department to provide a |
| 47 | registration certificate card upon request to a person |
| 48 | who owns or leases a motor vehicle and who is |
| 49 | temporarily employed in this state; amending s. |
| 50 | 320.58, F.S.; providing criminal penalties; amending |
| 51 | s. 320.27, F.S.; conforming a cross-reference; |
| 52 | amending s. 322.121, F.S.; conforming a provision to |
| 53 | changes made by the act; providing an effective date. |
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| 55 | Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida: |
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| 57 | Section 1. Present subsections (15) through (20) of section |
| 58 | 320.02, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as subsections (16) |
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6-00005A-22 2022574 59 through (21), respectively, and a new subsection (15) is added 60 to that section, to read: 320.02 Registration required; application for registration; 61 62 forms.-63 (15) The application form for motor vehicle registration 64 and renewal of registration must include language permitting an 65 applicant to request a registration certificate card. Section 2. Section 320.031, Florida Statutes, is amended to 66 67 read: 68 320.031 Mailing of registration certificates, registration 69 certificate cards, license plates, and validation stickers.-70 (1) The department and the tax collectors of the several 71 counties of the state may at the request of the applicant use 72 United States mail service to deliver registration certificates 73 and registration certificate cards and renewals thereof, license 74 plates, mobile home stickers, and validation stickers to 75 applicants. 76 (2) A mail service charge may be collected for each 77 registration certificate, license plate, mobile home sticker, 78 and validation sticker mailed by the department or any tax 79 collector. Each registration certificate, registration 80 certificate card, license plate, mobile home sticker, and 81 validation sticker shall be mailed by first-class mail unless 82 otherwise requested by the applicant. The amount of the mail 83 service charge shall be the actual postage required, rounded to the nearest 5 cents, plus a 25-cent handling charge. The mail 84 85 service charge is in addition to the service charge provided by 86 s. 320.04. All charges collected by the department under this 87 section shall be deposited into the Highway Safety Operating

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6-00005A-22 2022574 88 Trust Fund. 89 Section 3. Paragraph (c) of subsection (1) of section 320.055, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: 90 320.055 Registration periods; renewal periods.-The 91 92 following registration periods and renewal periods are established: 93 94 (1)(c) Notwithstanding the requirements of paragraph (a), the 95 96 owner of a motor vehicle subject to paragraph (a) who has had 97 his or her driver license suspended pursuant to a violation of 98 s. 316.193 or pursuant to s. 322.26(2) for driving under the 99 influence must obtain a 6-month registration as a condition of reinstating the license, subject to renewal during the 3-year 100 101 period that financial responsibility requirements apply. The registration period begins the first day of the birth month of 102 103 the owner and ends the last day of the fifth month immediately 104 following the owner's birth month. For such vehicles, the 105 department shall issue a vehicle registration certificate and, 106 upon the request of the owner, a registration certificate card 107 that are that is valid for 6 months and shall issue a validation 108 sticker that displays an expiration date of 6 months after the 109 date of issuance. The license tax required by s. 320.08 and all 110 other applicable license taxes shall be one-half of the amount 111 otherwise required, except the service charge required by s. 112 320.04 shall be paid in full for each 6-month registration. A vehicle required to be registered under this paragraph is not 113 eligible for the extended registration period under paragraph 114 115 (b). Section 4. Section 320.06, Florida Statutes, is amended to 116

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117 read: 118 320.06 Registration certificates, registration certificate cards, license plates, and validation stickers generally.-119 120 (1) (a) Upon the receipt of an initial application for 121 registration and payment of the appropriate license tax and other fees required by law, the department shall assign to the 122 123 motor vehicle a registration license number consisting of 124 letters and numerals or numerals and issue to the owner or lessee a certificate of registration, a registration certificate 125 126 card if requested by the owner or lessee, and one registration 127 license plate, unless two plates are required for display by s. 128 320.0706, for each vehicle so registered. 129 (b)1. Registration license plates bearing a graphic symbol 130 and the alphanumeric system of identification shall be issued 131 for a 10-year period. At the end of the 10-year period, upon 132 renewal, the plate shall be replaced. The department shall 133 extend the scheduled license plate replacement date from a 6-134 year period to a 10-year period. The fee for such replacement is 135 \$28, \$2.80 of which shall be paid each year before the plate is 136 replaced, to be credited toward the next \$28 replacement fee. 137 The fees shall be deposited into the Highway Safety Operating 138 Trust Fund. A credit or refund may not be given for any prior 139 years' payments of the prorated replacement fee if the plate is 140 replaced or surrendered before the end of the 10-year period, 141 except that a credit may be given if a registrant is required by the department to replace a license plate under s. 142 143 320.08056(8)(a). With each license plate, a validation sticker 144 shall be issued showing the owner's birth month, license plate number, and the year of expiration or the appropriate renewal 145

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| 146 | period if the owner is not a natural person. The validation |
| 147 | sticker shall be placed on the upper right corner of the license |
| 148 | plate. The license plate and validation sticker shall be issued |
| 149 | based on the applicant's appropriate renewal period. The |
| 150 | registration period is 12 months, the extended registration |
| 151 | period is 24 months, and all expirations occur based on the |
| 152 | applicant's appropriate registration period. Rental vehicles |
| 153 | taxed pursuant to s. 320.08(6)(a) may elect a permanent |
| 154 | registration period, provided payment of the appropriate license |
| 155 | taxes and fees occurs annually. A vehicle that has an |
| 156 | apportioned registration shall be issued an annual license plate |
| 157 | and a cab card that denote the declared gross vehicle weight for |
| 158 | each apportioned jurisdiction in which the vehicle is authorized |
| 159 | to operate. |
| 160 | 2. In order to retain the efficient administration of the |
| 161 | taxes and fees imposed by this chapter, the 80-cent fee increase |
| 162 | in the replacement fee imposed by chapter 2009-71, Laws of |
| 163 | Florida, is negated as provided in s. 320.0804. |
| 164 | (c) Registration license plates equipped with validation |
| 165 | stickers subject to the registration period are valid for not |
| 166 | more than 12 months and expire at midnight on the last day of |

167 the registration period. A registration license plate equipped with a validation sticker subject to the extended registration 168 period is valid for not more than 24 months and expires at 169 170 midnight on the last day of the extended registration period. A 171 registration license plate equipped with a validation sticker 172 subject to a permanent registration period is permanently valid 173 but shall become void if appropriate license taxes and fees are not paid annually. For each registration period after the one in 174

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6-00005A-22 2022574 175 which the metal registration license plate is issued, and until 176 the license plate is required to be replaced, a validation 177 sticker showing the month and year of expiration shall be issued 178 upon payment of the proper license tax amount and fees and is 179 valid for not more than 12 months. For each extended registration period occurring after the one in which the metal 180 181 registration license plate is issued and until the license plate 182 is required to be replaced, a validation sticker showing the year of expiration shall be issued upon payment of the proper 183 license tax amount and fees and is valid for not more than 24 184 185 months. For each permanent registration period occurring after 186 the one in which the metal registration license plate is issued 187 and until the license plate is required to be replaced, a validation sticker showing a permanent registration period shall 188 189 be issued upon payment of the proper license tax amount and fees 190 and is permanently valid but shall become void if the proper 191 license taxes and fees are not paid annually. When license 192 plates equipped with validation stickers are issued in any month 193 other than the owner's birth month or the designated 194 registration period for any other motor vehicle, the effective 195 date shall reflect the birth month or month and the year of 196 renewal. However, when a license plate or validation sticker is issued for a period of less than 12 months, the applicant shall 197 198 pay the appropriate amount of license tax and the applicable fee under s. 320.14 in addition to all other fees. Validation 199 200 stickers issued for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(6)(a), for 201 any company that owns 250 vehicles or more, or for semitrailers 202 taxed under the provisions of s. 320.08(5)(a), for any company that owns 50 vehicles or more, may be placed on any vehicle in 203

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     the fleet so long as the vehicle receiving the validation
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     sticker has the same owner's name and address as the vehicle to
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     which the validation sticker was originally assigned.
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           (2) The department shall provide the several tax collectors
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     and license plate agents with the necessary number of validation
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     stickers.
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          (3) (a) Registration license plates must be made of metal
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     specially treated with a retroreflection material, as specified
     by the department. The registration license plate is designed to
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     increase nighttime visibility and legibility and must be at
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     least 6 inches wide and not less than 12 inches in length,
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     unless a plate with reduced dimensions is deemed necessary by
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     the department to accommodate motorcycles, mopeds, or similar
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     smaller vehicles. Validation stickers must also be treated with
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     a retroreflection material, must be of such size as specified by
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     the department, and must adhere to the license plate. The
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     registration license plate must be imprinted with a combination
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     of bold letters and numerals or numerals, not to exceed seven
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     digits, to identify the registration license plate number. The
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     license plate must be imprinted with the word "Florida" at the
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     top and the name of the county in which it is sold, the state
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     motto, or the words "Sunshine State" at the bottom. Apportioned
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     license plates must have the word "Apportioned" at the bottom,
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     and license plates issued for vehicles taxed under s.
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     320.08(3)(d), (4)(m) or (n), (5)(b) or (c), or (14) must have
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     the word "Restricted" at the bottom. License plates issued for
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     vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(12) must be imprinted with the
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     word "Florida" at the top and the word "Dealer" at the bottom
     unless the license plate is a specialty license plate as
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6-00005A-22 2022574 233 authorized in s. 320.08056. Manufacturer license plates issued 234 for vehicles taxed under s. 320.08(12) must be imprinted with 235 the word "Florida" at the top and the word "Manufacturer" at the 236 bottom. License plates issued for vehicles taxed under s. 237 320.08(5)(d) or (e) must be imprinted with the word "Wrecker" at 238 the bottom. Any county may, upon majority vote of the county 239 commission, elect to have the county name removed from the 240 license plates sold in that county. The state motto or the words 241 "Sunshine State" shall be printed in lieu thereof. A license plate issued for a vehicle taxed under s. 320.08(6) may not be 242 243 assigned a registration license number, or be issued with any 244 other distinctive character or designation, that distinguishes 245 the motor vehicle as a for-hire motor vehicle. (b) An additional fee of 50 cents shall be collected on 246

each motor vehicle registration or motor vehicle renewal registration issued in this state in order for all license plates and validation stickers to be fully treated with retroreflection material. The fee shall be deposited into the Highway Safety Operating Trust Fund.

252 (4) The corporation organized under chapter 946 may 253 manufacture license plates, validation stickers, and decals, as 254 well as temporary tags, disabled hang tags, vessel decals, and 255 fuel use decals, for the Department of Highway Safety and Motor 256 Vehicles as provided in this chapter and chapter 327. The 257 Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles is not required 258 to obtain competitive bids in order to contract with the 259 corporation.

(5) The department may conduct a pilot program to evaluatethe designs, concepts, and technologies for alternative license

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| 263 | investigate the feasibility and use of alternative license plate |
| 264 | technologies and the long-term cost impact to the consumer. The |
| 265 | pilot program shall be limited to license plates that are used |
| 266 | on government-owned motor vehicles as described in s. 320.0655. |
| 267 | Such license plates are exempt from the requirements in |
| 268 | paragraph (3)(a). |
| 269 | (6) All license plates issued pursuant to this chapter are |
| 270 | the property of the state. |
| 271 | Section 5. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section |
| 272 | 320.0605, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: |
| 273 | 320.0605 Certificate of registration; possession required; |
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| 275 | (1)(a) The registration certificate or an official copy |
| 276 | thereof, a registration certificate card, a true copy or an |
| 277 | electronic copy of rental or lease documentation issued for a |
| 278 | motor vehicle or issued for a replacement vehicle in the same |
| 279 | registration period, a temporary receipt printed upon self- |
| 280 | initiated electronic renewal of a registration via the Internet, |
| 281 | or a cab card issued for a vehicle registered under the |
| 282 | International Registration Plan shall, at all times while the |
| 283 | vehicle is being used or operated on the roads of this state, be |
| 284 | in the possession of the operator thereof or be carried in the |
| 285 | vehicle for which issued and shall be exhibited upon demand of |
| 286 | any authorized law enforcement officer or any agent of the |
| 287 | department, except for a vehicle registered under s. 320.0657. |
| 288 | This section does not apply during the first 30 days after |
| 289 | purchase of a replacement vehicle. A violation of this section |
| 290 | is a noncriminal traffic infraction, punishable as a nonmoving |
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2022574 ____ 6-00005A-22 291 violation as provided in chapter 318. 292 Section 6. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1), paragraph (a) 293 of subsection (5), and subsection (7) of section 320.0609, 294 Florida Statutes, are amended to read: 295 320.0609 Transfer and exchange of registration license 296 plates; transfer fee.-297 (1) (a) The registration license plate, and certificate of registration, and registration certificate card shall be issued 298 299 to, and remain in the name of, the owner of the vehicle 300 registered and may be transferred by the owner from the vehicle 301 for which the registration license plate was issued to any 302 vehicle which the owner may acquire within the same classification; or, subject to the procedures set forth in 303 304 subsection (2), such plate may be surrendered to the department 305 in exchange for a license plate of the appropriate 306 classification, if the replacement vehicle is of a different 307 classification. 308 (5) For a transfer or exchange other than one specified in 309 paragraph (2)(b), the following provisions apply: 310 (a) If the replacement motor vehicle requires the same 311 amount of license tax under s. 320.08 as the original vehicle to 312 be replaced, no additional tax other than the transfer fee of 313 \$4.50, accompanied by an application for transfer on a form 314 supplied by the department, is required to transfer or exchange 315 a registration license plate for use on a replacement vehicle 316 for the duration of a current registration period and to issue a 317 new certificate of registration and, at the request of the owner, a new registration certificate card. 318 319 (7) A surviving spouse of a registered owner of any motor

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| 321 | registration certificate, a registration certificate card, and |
| 322 | transfer of the registration license plate. If the surviving |
| 323 | spouse does not present the death certificate, the department or |
| 324 | its agent may verify the necessary information through the |
| 325 | electronic file of death records maintained by the Department of |
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| 327 | Section 7. Section 320.061, Florida Statutes, is amended to |
| 328 | read: |
| 329 | 320.061 Unlawful to alter motor vehicle registration |
| 330 | certificates, registration certificate cards, license plates, |
| 331 | temporary license plates, mobile home stickers, or validation |
| 332 | stickers or to obscure license plates; penalty.—A person may not |
| 333 | alter the original appearance of a vehicle registration |
| 334 | certificate, registration certificate card, license plate, |
| 335 | temporary license plate, mobile home sticker, or validation |
| 336 | sticker issued for and assigned to a motor vehicle or mobile |
| 337 | home, whether by mutilation, alteration, defacement, or change |
| 338 | of color or in any other manner. A person may not apply or |
| 339 | attach a substance, reflective matter, illuminated device, |
| 340 | spray, coating, covering, or other material onto or around any |
| 341 | license plate which interferes with the legibility, angular |
| 342 | visibility, or detectability of any feature or detail on the |
| 343 | license plate or interferes with the ability to record any |
| 344 | feature or detail on the license plate. A person who violates |
| 345 | this section commits a noncriminal traffic infraction, |
| 346 | punishable as a moving violation as provided in chapter 318. |
| 347 | Section 8. Paragraph (b) of subsection (4) of section |
| 348 | 320.07, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: |

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          320.07 Expiration of registration; renewal required;
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     penalties.-
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           (b) A person who has been assessed a penalty pursuant to s.
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     316.545(2)(b) for failure to have a valid vehicle registration
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     certificate is not subject to the delinquent fee authorized by
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     this subsection if such person obtains a valid registration
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     certificate or registration certificate card within 10 working
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     days after such penalty was assessed. The official receipt
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     authorized by s. 316.545(6) constitutes proof of payment of the
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     penalty authorized in s. 316.545(2)(b).
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          Section 9. Subsection (1) of section 320.0843, Florida
     Statutes, is amended to read:
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          320.0843 License plates for persons with disabilities
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     eligible for permanent disabled parking permits.-
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           (1) Any owner or lessee of a motor vehicle who resides in
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     this state and qualifies for a disabled parking permit under s.
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     320.0848(2), upon application to the department and payment of
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     the license tax for a motor vehicle registered under s.
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     320.08(2), (3)(a), (b), (c), or (e), (4)(a) or (b), (6)(a), or
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     (9)(c) or (d), shall be issued a license plate as provided by s.
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     320.06 which, in lieu of the serial number prescribed by s.
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     320.06, shall be stamped with the international wheelchair user
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     symbol after the serial number of the license plate. The license
     plate entitles the person to all privileges afforded by a
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     parking permit issued under s. 320.0848. When more than one
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     registrant is listed on the registration issued under this
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     section, the eligible applicant shall be noted on the
     registration certificate and registration certificate card.
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          Section 10. Subsection (5) of section 320.086, Florida
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     Statutes, is amended to read:
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          320.086 Ancient or antique motor vehicles; horseless
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     carriage, antique, or historical license plates; former military
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     vehicles.-
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           (5) A former military vehicle that is used only in
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     exhibitions, parades, or public display is exempt from the
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     requirement to display a license plate or registration insignia
     if the exemption is necessary to maintain the vehicle's accurate
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     military markings. However, the license plate and registration
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     certificate or registration certificate card issued under this
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     section must be carried within the vehicle and available for
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     inspection by any law enforcement officer.
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          Section 11. Section 320.1325, Florida Statutes, is amended
     to read:
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          320.1325 Registration required for the temporarily
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     employed.-Motor vehicles owned or leased by persons who are
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     temporarily employed within the state but are not residents are
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     required to be registered. Upon payment of the fees prescribed
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     in this section and proof of insurance coverage as required by
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     the applicant's resident state, the department shall provide a
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     temporary registration plate, and a registration certificate,
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     and, upon request, a registration certificate card valid for 90
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     days to an applicant who is temporarily employed in this state.
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     The temporary registration plate may be renewed one time for an
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     additional 90-day period. At the end of the 180-day period of
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     temporary registration, the applicant shall apply for a
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     permanent registration if there is a further need to remain in
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     this state. A temporary license registration plate may not be
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| 407 | issued for any commercial motor vehicle as defined in s. 320.01. |
| 408 | The fee for the 90-day temporary registration plate shall be \$40 |
| 409 | plus the applicable service charge required by s. 320.04. |
| 410 | Subsequent permanent registration and titling of a vehicle |
| 411 | registered hereunder shall subject the applicant to providing |
| 412 | proof of Florida insurance coverage as specified in s. 320.02 |
| 413 | and payment of the fees required by s. 320.072, in addition to |
| 414 | all other taxes and fees required. |
| 415 | Section 12. Subsection (2) of section 320.58, Florida |
| 416 | Statutes, is amended to read: |
| 417 | 320.58 License inspectors; powers, appointment |
| 418 | (2) Any person who fails or refuses to surrender his or her |
| 419 | driver license, registration certificate, registration |
| 420 | certificate card, and license plate upon lawful demand of an |
| 421 | inspector, supervisor, or authorized agent of the department is |
| 422 | guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree, punishable as |
| 423 | provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083. |
| 424 | Section 13. Paragraph (b) of subsection (9) of section |
| 425 | 320.27, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: |
| 426 | 320.27 Motor vehicle dealers |
| 427 | (9) DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION |
| 428 | (b) The department may deny, suspend, or revoke any license |
| 429 | issued hereunder or under the provisions of s. 320.77 or s. |
| 430 | 320.771 upon proof that a licensee has committed, with |
| 431 | sufficient frequency so as to establish a pattern of wrongdoing |
| 432 | on the part of a licensee, violations of one or more of the |
| 433 | following activities: |
| 434 | 1. Representation that a demonstrator is a new motor |
| 435 | vehicle, or the attempt to sell or the sale of a demonstrator as |

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6-00005A-22 2022574 436 a new motor vehicle without written notice to the purchaser that 437 the vehicle is a demonstrator. For the purposes of this section, 438 a "demonstrator," a "new motor vehicle," and a "used motor 439 vehicle" shall be defined as under s. 320.60. 440 2. Unjustifiable refusal to comply with a licensee's 441 responsibility under the terms of the new motor vehicle warranty 442 issued by its respective manufacturer, distributor, or importer. 443 However, if such refusal is at the direction of the 444 manufacturer, distributor, or importer, such refusal shall not 445 be a ground under this section. 446 3. Misrepresentation or false, deceptive, or misleading 447 statements with regard to the sale or financing of motor 448 vehicles which any motor vehicle dealer has, or causes to have, 449 advertised, printed, displayed, published, distributed, 450 broadcast, televised, or made in any manner with regard to the 451 sale or financing of motor vehicles. 452 4. Failure by any motor vehicle dealer to provide a 453 customer or purchaser with an odometer disclosure statement and 454 a copy of any bona fide written, executed sales contract or 455 agreement of purchase connected with the purchase of the motor 456 vehicle purchased by the customer or purchaser. 457 5. Failure of any motor vehicle dealer to comply with the 458 terms of any bona fide written, executed agreement, pursuant to the sale of a motor vehicle. 459 460 6. Failure to apply for transfer of a title as prescribed

461 in s. 319.23(6). 462 7. Use of the dealer license identification number by any

463 person other than the licensed dealer or his or her designee. 464

8. Failure to continually meet the requirements of the

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| 465 | licensure law. |
| 466 | 9. Representation to a customer or any advertisement to the |
| 467 | public representing or suggesting that a motor vehicle is a new |
| 468 | motor vehicle if such vehicle lawfully cannot be titled in the |
| 469 | name of the customer or other member of the public by the seller |
| 470 | using a manufacturer's statement of origin as permitted in s. |
| 471 | 319.23(1). |
| 472 | 10. Requirement by any motor vehicle dealer that a customer |
| 473 | or purchaser accept equipment on his or her motor vehicle which |
| 474 | was not ordered by the customer or purchaser. |
| 475 | 11. Requirement by any motor vehicle dealer that any |
| 476 | customer or purchaser finance a motor vehicle with a specific |
| 477 | financial institution or company. |
| 478 | 12. Requirement by any motor vehicle dealer that the |
| 479 | purchaser of a motor vehicle contract with the dealer for |
| 480 | physical damage insurance. |
| 481 | 13. Perpetration of a fraud upon any person as a result of |
| 482 | dealing in motor vehicles, including, without limitation, the |
| 483 | misrepresentation to any person by the licensee of the |
| 484 | licensee's relationship to any manufacturer, importer, or |
| 485 | distributor. |
| 486 | 14. Violation of any of the provisions of s. 319.35 by any |
| 487 | motor vehicle dealer. |
| 488 | 15. Sale by a motor vehicle dealer of a vehicle offered in |
| 489 | trade by a customer prior to consummation of the sale, exchange, |
| 490 | or transfer of a newly acquired vehicle to the customer, unless |
| 491 | the customer provides written authorization for the sale of the |
| 492 | trade-in vehicle prior to delivery of the newly acquired |
| 493 | vehicle. |

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| 494 | 16. Willful failure to comply with any administrative rule |
| 495 | adopted by the department or the provisions of s. 320.131(8). |
| 496 | 17. Violation of chapter 319, this chapter, or ss. 559.901- |
| 497 | 559.9221, which has to do with dealing in or repairing motor |
| 498 | vehicles or mobile homes. Additionally, in the case of used |
| 499 | motor vehicles, the willful violation of the federal law and |
| 500 | rule in 15 U.S.C. s. 2304, 16 C.F.R. part 455, pertaining to the |
| 501 | consumer sales window form. |
| 502 | 18. Failure to maintain evidence of notification to the |
| 503 | owner or co-owner of a vehicle regarding registration or titling |
| 504 | fees owed as required in <u>s. 320.02(18)</u> s. 320.02(17) . |
| 505 | 19. Failure to register a mobile home salesperson with the |
| 506 | department as required by this section. |
| 507 | Section 14. Paragraph (a) of subsection (2) of section |
| 508 | 322.121, Florida Statutes, is amended to read: |
| 509 | 322.121 Periodic reexamination of all drivers |
| 510 | (2) For each licensee whose driving record does not show |
| 511 | any revocations, disqualifications, or suspensions for the |
| 512 | preceding 7 years or any convictions for the preceding 3 years |
| 513 | except for convictions of the following nonmoving violations: |
| 514 | (a) Failure to exhibit a vehicle registration certificate, |
| 515 | vehicle registration certificate card, rental agreement, or cab |
| 516 | card pursuant to s. 320.0605; |
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| 518 | the department shall cause such licensee's license to be |
| 519 | prominently marked with the notation "Safe Driver." |
| 520 | Section 15. This act shall take effect July 1, 2022. |
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