By the Committee on Transportation; and Senator Yarborough

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An act relating to specialty license plates; amending s. 320.08058, F.S.; directing the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to develop a Cure Diabetes license plate; providing for distribution and use of fees collected from the sale of the plate; providing an effective date.

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

- Section 1. Subsection (127) is added to section 320.08058, Florida Statutes, to read:
  - 320.08058 Specialty license plates.
  - (127) CURE DIABETES LICENSE PLATES.—
- (a) The department shall develop a Cure Diabetes license plate as provided in this section and s. 320.08053. The plate must bear the colors and design approved by the department. The word "Florida" must appear at the top of the plate, and the words "Cure Diabetes" must appear at the bottom of the plate.
- (b) The annual use fees from the sale of the plate must be distributed equally to the following organizations:
  - 1. The Diabetes Research Institute Foundation;
- 2. The Northern Florida Chapter of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation;
- 3. The Southern Florida Chapter of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation; and
  - 4. The University of Florida Diabetes Institute.
- (c) Each organization may use up to 10 percent of the proceeds received by the organization to promote and market the

596-03096-23 2023634c1 30 plate. All remaining proceeds must be used for the purpose of funding research to cure Type 1 diabetes. 31 32 Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2023.