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The bill was read for the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance

A bill for an act
relating to motor vehicles; establishing American Red Cross special license plates; proposing coding for new law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 168.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. **[168.1295] AMERICAN RED CROSS SPECIAL PLATES.**

Subdivision 1. **Issuance and design.** Notwithstanding section 168.1293, the commissioner shall issue American Red Cross plates to an applicant who:

(1) is a registered owner of a passenger automobile, one-ton pickup truck, or recreational vehicle;

(2) pays a fee of $10 for each set of license plates;

(3) contributes a minimum of $25 to the American Red Cross disaster preparedness and relief account; and

(4) complies with this chapter and rules governing registration of motor vehicles and licensing of drivers.

Subd. 2. **Design.** After consultation with the Minnesota chapters of the American Red Cross, the commissioner shall design the special plate.

Subd. 3. **Plates transfer.** On payment of a transfer fee of $5, plates issued under this section may be transferred to another passenger automobile registered to the individual to whom the special plates were issued.

Subd. 4. **Fees.** Fees collected under subdivision 1, clause (2), are credited to the vehicle services operating account in the special revenue fund.

Subd. 5. **Contributions.** Contributions collected under subdivision 1, clause (3), are credited to the American Red Cross disaster preparedness and relief account, which is established in the special revenue fund. Money in the account is appropriated to the

commissioner of public safety for a grant to the Minnesota chapters of the American Red Cross to be used for disaster preparedness, education, and disaster response.

EFFECTIVE DATE. This section is effective the day following final enactment.