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AN ACT

To repeal sections 301.020, 301.030, 301.080, 301.129, 301.131, 301.132, 301.140, 301.142, 301.145, 301.177, 301.190, 301.192, 301.215, 301.300, 301.340, 301.370, 301.441, 301.443, 301.444, 301.445, 301.447, 301.448, 301.449, 301.451, 301.453, 301.454, 301.456, 301.457, 301.458, 301.459, 301.461, 301.462, 301.463, 301.464, 301.465, 301.466, 301.467, 301.468, 301.471, 301.472, 301.564, 301.711, 301.800, 301.3041, 301.3051 and 301.3062, RSMo 2000, section 301.064 as enacted by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 3, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, 301.064 as enacted by house bill no. 769, eighty-ninth general assembly, first regular session, 301.130 as enacted by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 3 and senate bill no. 156, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, 301.130 as enacted by conference committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 70, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, 301.144 as enacted by house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 3, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, 301.144 as enacted by conference committee substitute for house substitute for house committee substitute for senate substitute for senate bill no. 70, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, relating to motor vehicle licensing, and to enact in lieu thereof fifty new sections relating to the same subject, with penalty provisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 301.020, 301.030, 301.080, 301.129, 301.131, 301.132, 301.140,
2 301.142, 301.145, 301.177, 301.190, 301.192, 301.215, 301.300, 301.340, 301.370, 301.441,

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

3 301.443, 301.444, 301.445, 301.447, 301.448, 301.449, 301.451, 301.453, 301.454, 301.456,
4 301.457, 301.458, 301.459, 301.461, 301.462, 301.463, 301.464, 301.465, 301.466, 301.467,
5 301.468, 301.471, 301.472, 301.564, 301.711, 301.800, 301.3041, 301.3051 and 301.3062,
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7 senate bill no. 3, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, 301.064 as enacted by
8 house bill no. 769, eighty-ninth general assembly, first regular session, 301.130 as enacted by
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10 eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, 301.130 as enacted by conference
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14 conference committee substitute for house substitute for house committee substitute for senate
15 substitute for senate bill no. 70, eighty-eighth general assembly, first regular session, are repealed
16 and fifty new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 301.020, 301.030,
17 301.064, 301.080, 301.129, 301.130, 301.131, 301.132, 301.140, 301.142, 301.144, 301.145,
18 301.190, 301.192, 301.215, 301.300, 301.340, 301.352, 301.370, 301.441, 301.443, 301.444,
19 301.445, 301.447, 301.448, 301.449, 301.451, 301.453, 301.454, 301.456, 301.457, 301.458,
20 301.459, 301.461, 301.462, 301.463, 301.464, 301.465, 301.466, 301.467, 301.468, 301.471,
21 301.472, 301.564, 301.711, 301.800, 301.3000, 301.3041, 301.3051 and 301.3062, to read as
22 follows:

301.020. 1. Every owner of a motor vehicle or trailer, which shall be operated or driven
2 upon the highways of this state, except as herein otherwise expressly provided, shall annually
3 file, by mail or otherwise, in the office of the director of revenue, an application for registration
4 on a blank to be furnished by the director of revenue for that purpose containing:

5 (1) A brief description of the motor vehicle or trailer to be registered, including the name
6 of the manufacturer, the vehicle identification number, the amount of motive power of the motor
7 vehicle, stated in figures of horsepower and whether the motor vehicle is to be registered as a
8 motor vehicle primarily for business use as defined in section 301.010;

9 (2) The name, the applicant's identification number and address of the owner of such
10 motor vehicle or trailer;

11 (3) The gross weight of the vehicle and the desired load in pounds if the vehicle is a
12 commercial motor vehicle or trailer.

13 2. If the vehicle is a motor vehicle primarily for business use as defined in section
14 301.010 and if such vehicle is five years of age or less, the director of revenue shall retain the
15 odometer information provided in the vehicle inspection report, and provide for prompt access
16 to such information, together with the vehicle identification number for the motor vehicle to

17 which such information pertains, for a period of five years after the receipt of such information.
18 This section shall not apply unless:

19 (1) The application for the vehicle's certificate of ownership was submitted after July 1,
20 1989; and

21 (2) The certificate was issued pursuant to a manufacturer's statement of origin.

22 3. If the vehicle is any motor vehicle other than a motor vehicle primarily for business
23 use, a recreational motor vehicle, motorcycle, motor tricycle, bus or any commercial motor
24 vehicle licensed for over twelve thousand pounds and if such motor vehicle is five years of age
25 or less, the director of revenue shall retain the odometer information provided in the vehicle
26 inspection report, and provide for prompt access to such information, together with the vehicle
27 identification number for the motor vehicle to which such information pertains, for a period of
28 five years after the receipt of such information. This subsection shall not apply unless:

29 (1) The application for the vehicle's certificate of ownership was submitted after July 1,
30 1990; and

31 (2) The certificate was issued pursuant to a manufacturer's statement of origin.

32 4. If the vehicle qualifies as a reconstructed motor vehicle, motor change vehicle,
33 specially constructed motor vehicle, non-USA-std motor vehicle, as defined in section 301.010,
34 the owner or lienholder shall surrender the certificate of ownership. The owner shall make an
35 application for a new certificate of ownership, pay the required title fee, and obtain the vehicle
36 examination certificate required pursuant to section 301.190. [Notarized] Bills of sale along with
37 a copy of the front and back of the certificate of ownership for all major component parts
38 installed on the vehicle and invoices for all essential parts which are not defined as major
39 component parts shall accompany the application for a new certificate of ownership. If the
40 vehicle is a specially constructed motor vehicle, as defined in section 301.010, two pictures of
41 the vehicle shall be submitted with the application. If the vehicle is a kit vehicle, the applicant
42 shall submit the invoice and the manufacturer's statement of origin on the kit. If the vehicle
43 requires the issuance of a special number by the director of revenue or a replacement vehicle
44 identification number, the applicant shall submit the required application and application fee.
45 All applications required [under] **pursuant to** this subsection shall be submitted with any
46 applicable taxes which may be due on the purchase of the vehicle or parts. The director of
47 revenue shall appropriately designate "Reconstructed Motor Vehicle", "Motor Change Vehicle",
48 "Non-USA-Std Motor Vehicle", or "Specially Constructed Motor Vehicle" on the current and
49 all subsequent issues of the certificate of ownership of such vehicle.

50 5. Every insurance company which pays a claim for repair of a motor vehicle which as
51 the result of such repairs becomes a reconstructed motor vehicle as defined in section 301.010
52 shall in writing notify the claimant, if [he] **such person** is the owner of the vehicle, and the

53 lienholder if a lien is in effect, that [he] **such person** is required to surrender the certificate of
54 ownership, and the documents and fees required pursuant to subsection 3 of this section, to the
55 director of revenue. The insurance company shall within thirty days of the payment of such
56 claims report to the director of revenue the name and address of such claimant, the year, make,
57 model, vehicle identification number, and license plate number of the vehicle, and the date of
58 loss and payment.

59 6. Anyone who fails to comply with the requirements of this section shall be guilty of
60 a class B misdemeanor.

61 7. An applicant for registration may make a donation of one dollar to promote a
62 blindness education, screening and treatment program. The director of revenue shall collect the
63 donations and deposit all such donations in the state treasury to the credit of the blindness
64 education, screening and treatment program fund established in section 192.935, RSMo. Moneys
65 in the blindness education, screening and treatment program fund shall be used solely for the
66 purposes established in section 192.935, RSMo, except that the department of revenue shall
67 retain no more than one percent for its administrative costs. The donation prescribed in this
68 subsection is voluntary and may be refused by the applicant for registration at the time of
69 issuance or renewal. The director shall inquire of each applicant at the time the applicant
70 presents the completed application to the director whether the applicant is interested in making
71 the one-dollar donation prescribed in this subsection.

301.030. 1. The director shall provide for the retention of license plates by the owners
2 of motor vehicles, other than commercial motor vehicles, and shall establish a system of
3 registration on a monthly series basis to distribute the work of registering motor vehicles as
4 uniformly as practicable throughout the twelve months of the calendar year. For the purpose of
5 assigning license plate numbers, each type of motor vehicle shall be considered a separate class.
6 Commencing July 1, 1949, motor vehicles, other than commercial motor vehicles, shall be
7 registered for a period of twelve consecutive calendar months. There are established twelve
8 registration periods, each of which shall start on the first day of each calendar month of the year
9 and shall end on the last date of the twelfth month from the date of beginning.

10 2. Motor vehicles, other than commercial motor vehicles, operated for the first time upon
11 the public highways of this state, to and including the fifteenth day of any given month, shall be
12 subject to registration and payment of a fee for the twelve-month period commencing the first
13 day of the month of such operation; motor vehicles, other than commercial motor vehicles,
14 operated for the first time on the public highways of this state after the fifteenth day of any given
15 month shall be subject to registration and payment of a fee for the twelve-month period
16 commencing the first day of the next following calendar month.

17 3. All commercial motor vehicles and trailers, except those licensed under section

18 301.035 and those operated under agreements as provided for in sections 301.271 to 301.279,
19 shall be registered either on a calendar year basis or on a prorated basis as provided in this
20 section. The fees for commercial motor vehicles, trailers, semitrailers, and driveaway vehicles,
21 other than those to be operated under agreements as provided for in sections 301.271 to 301.279
22 shall be payable not later than the last day of February of each year, except when such vehicle
23 is licensed between April first and July first the fee shall be three-fourths the annual fee, when
24 licensed between July first and October first the fee shall be one-half the annual fee and when
25 licensed on or after October first the fee shall be one-fourth the annual fee. Such license plates
26 shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be
27 clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.
28 Local commercial motor vehicle license plates shall also be so stamped, marked or designed as
29 to indicate they are to be used only on local commercial motor vehicles and, in addition to such
30 stamp, mark or design, the letter "F" shall also be displayed on local commercial motor vehicle
31 license plates issued to motor vehicles used for farm or farming transportation operations as
32 defined in section 301.010 in the manner prescribed by the advisory committee established in
33 section 301.129. In addition, all commercial motor vehicle license plates shall be so stamped
34 or marked with a letter, figure or other emblem as to indicate the gross weight for which issued.

35 **4. Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, any commercial motor vehicle**
36 **licensed for eighteen thousand pounds gross weight which is issued a specialized or**
37 **personalized license plate shall be registered for a period of twelve consecutive months as**
38 **determined by the director of revenue.**

39 **5.** The director shall, upon application, issue registration and license plates for nine
40 thousand pounds gross weight for property-carrying commercial motor vehicles referred to
41 herein, upon payment of the fees prescribed for twelve thousand pounds gross weight as provided
42 in section 301.057.

2 [301.064. 1. The annual registration fee for a land improvement contractors'
3 commercial motor vehicle is three hundred and fifty dollars. The maximum gross
4 weight for which such a vehicle may be registered is seventy-three thousand two
5 hundred and eighty pounds. Transporting for hire by such a motor vehicle is
6 prohibited.

7 2. Upon application to the director of revenue accompanied by an affidavit
8 signed by the owner or owners stating that the motor vehicle to be licensed as a land
9 improvement contractors' commercial motor vehicle shall not be operated in any
10 manner other than as prescribed in section 301.010, and by the amount of the
11 registration fee prescribed in subsection 1 of this section, and otherwise complying
12 with the laws relating to the registration and licensing of motor vehicles, the owner
13 or owners shall be issued a distinctive set of land improvement contractors' license
plates. The director of revenue shall by regulation determine the characteristic

14 features of land improvement contractors' license plates so that they may be readily
15 identified as such.]

301.064. 1. The annual registration fee for a land improvement contractors' commercial
2 motor vehicle is three hundred and fifty dollars. The maximum gross weight for which such a
3 vehicle may be registered is eighty thousand pounds. Transporting for hire by such a motor
4 vehicle is prohibited.

5 2. Upon application to the director of revenue accompanied by [an affidavit] **a statement**
6 signed by the owner or owners stating that the motor vehicle to be licensed as a land
7 improvement contractors' commercial motor vehicle shall not be operated in any manner other
8 than as prescribed in section 301.010, and by the amount of the registration fee prescribed
9 [above] **in subsection 1 of this section**, and otherwise complying with the laws relating to the
10 registration and licensing of motor vehicles, the owner or owners shall be issued a set of land
11 improvement contractors' license plates. [The advisory committee established in section 301.129
12 shall determine the characteristic features of land improvement contractors' license plates so that
13 they may be readily identified as such, except that such license plates shall be made with fully
14 reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and
15 shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Any rule or portion of a rule
16 promulgated pursuant to sections 301.010, 301.057, 301.058, and 301.064 may be suspended by
17 the committee on administrative rules until such time as the general assembly may by concurrent
18 resolution reinstate such rule.]

19 **3. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to the authority of this section**
20 **shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter**
21 **536, RSMo.**

301.080. 1. Upon application for registration of a motor vehicle, other than a
2 commercial motor vehicle, by an owner who holds license plates in a registration period which
3 has expired, the director shall register said vehicle for the fraction of the twelve-month period
4 as will enable the owner to use the license plates so held [by him], and [he] **the owner** shall be
5 required to pay a fee computed on the basis of one-twelfth of the full year's registration fee
6 prescribed for such vehicles, multiplied by the number of months remaining in the registration
7 period for which [he] **the owner** shall be required to register. When the registration renewal is
8 subject to the delinquent renewal penalty imposed by section 301.050, the owner shall file [an
9 affidavit] **a statement** of nonoperation for the months during which the license plates were
10 expired or pay the full twelve-month registration fee.

11 2. For new vehicles, other than commercial motor vehicles, not previously registered in
12 this state, the fee shall be computed on the basis of one-twelfth of the full year's registration fee
13 prescribed for such vehicles, multiplied by the number of months of the current registration year

14 which have not fully expired on the date of application. When ownership of a nonregistered
15 vehicle, other than a commercial motor vehicle, which has not been previously operated on the
16 public highways during the current registration year, is transferred, the registration fee to be paid
17 by transferee shall be computed as provided above for new vehicles, providing a satisfactory
18 [affidavit] **statement** of such nonoperation is filed with the department of revenue. In the case
19 of a new vehicle, a vehicle not previously registered in Missouri, or a vehicle which is
20 transferred, the legal date of application for registration shall be the date on which such vehicle
21 was first operated on the public highways after it was acquired by the applicant; provided,
22 however, if the bill of sale is dated prior to the date the vehicle was placed in operation, the
23 applicant must file [an affidavit] **a statement** of nonoperation, provided the later date is
24 fractional in the computation of the registration fee.

301.129. [There is established in this section an advisory committee for the department
2 of revenue, which shall exist solely to develop uniform designs and common colors for motor
3 vehicle license plates issued under this chapter and to determine appropriate license plate
4 parameters for all license plates issued under this chapter. The advisory committee may adopt
5 more than one type of design and color scheme for license plates issued under this chapter;
6 however, each license plate of a distinct type shall be uniform in design and color scheme with
7 all other license plates of that distinct type. The specifications for the fully reflective material
8 used for the plates, as required by section 301.130, shall be determined by the committee. Such
9 plates shall meet any specific requirements prescribed in this chapter. The advisory committee
10 shall consist of the director of revenue, the superintendent of the highway patrol, the correctional
11 enterprises administrator, one person appointed by the governor, one state senator appointed by
12 the president pro tem of the senate and one state representative appointed by the speaker of the
13 house of representatives. Prior to April 1, 1996, the committee shall meet, select a chairman from
14 among their members, and develop uniform design and license plate parameters for the motor
15 vehicle license plates issued under this chapter. Prior to determining the final design of the
16 plates, the committee shall hold at least three public meetings in different areas of the state to
17 invite public input on the final design. Members of the committee shall be reimbursed for their
18 actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of their duties under this section out
19 of funds appropriated for that purpose. The committee shall direct the director of revenue to
20 implement its final design of the uniform motor vehicle license plates and any specific
21 parameters for all license plates developed by the committee not later than April 1, 1996. The
22 committee shall be dissolved upon completion of its duties under this section.] **1. There is**
23 **hereby established an advisory committee for the department of revenue, which shall exist**
24 **to develop guidelines for the issuance of specialized motor vehicle plates pursuant to this**
25 **chapter. The advisory committee shall adopt guidelines to be used by the director of**

26 revenue, which shall include the following:

27 (1) The types of public or private entities, organizations or societies which shall be
28 allowed to have their emblem or other symbol on a license plate;

29 (2) The type of design allowable for, and the general specifications of, an emblem
30 or other symbol on a license plate. The allowable design and specifications of any emblem
31 or symbol shall not unduly conflict with the overall uniformity of the design or color of, the
32 materials used in, standard license plates;

33 (3) Recommendations as to the number of specialized license plates that should be
34 requested before such plates are issued; and

35 (4) Recommendations as to the total number of license plates that should be issued
36 containing any specific emblem or other symbol of a public or private entity, organization
37 or society.

38 2. The advisory committee shall consist of the following:

39 (1) The director of revenue or the director's designee;

40 (2) The director of the department of public safety or the director's designee;

41 (3) The director of the department of corrections or the director's designee;

42 (4) One person appointed by the governor;

43 (5) One state senator appointed by the president pro tem of the senate; and

44 (6) One state representative appointed by the speaker of the house of
45 representatives.

46 3. Before November 1, 2001, the committee shall meet and select a chairman from
47 among its members. Before determining the guidelines, the committee shall hold at least
48 three public meetings in different areas of the state to invite public input on the final
49 guidelines. Members of the committee shall be reimbursed for their actual and necessary
50 expenses incurred in the performance of their duties pursuant to this section out of funds
51 appropriated for that purpose. The committee may use the services of the employees and
52 staff of the department of revenue subject to the approval of the director of the department
53 of revenue. The committee shall direct the director of revenue to implement its guidelines
54 for all specialized license plates not later than July 1, 2002.

2 [301.130. 1. The director of revenue, upon receipt of a proper application for
3 registration, required fees and any other information which may be required by law,
4 shall issue to the applicant a certificate of registration in such manner and form as the
5 director of revenue may prescribe and a set of license plates, or other evidence of
6 registration, as provided herein. Each set of license plates shall bear the name or
7 abbreviated name of this state, the words "Show-Me State", the month and year in
8 which the registration shall expire, and an arrangement of numbers or letters, or both,
9 as shall be assigned from year to year by the director of revenue. Special plates for
qualified disabled veterans will have the "DISABLED VETERAN" wording on the

license plates in preference to the words "Show-Me State" and special plates for members of the national guard will have the "NATIONAL GUARD" wording in preference to the words "Show-Me State".

2. The arrangement of letters and numbers of license plates shall be uniform throughout each classification of registration.

3. The background of all license plates, or the letters and numerals thereof, shall be coated with a material which will reflect the lights of other vehicles. The nature and specifications of this material shall be determined after a public hearing by the director of revenue, director of prison industries, and superintendent of the state highway patrol, and shall meet the standards established by the state transportation department.

4. Figures on license plates, except those which may be used to designate gross weights for which commercial motor vehicles are registered, shall not be less than three inches in height and the strokes thereof not less than five-sixteenths of an inch in width. In the case of motorcycles and motortricycles, the letters and figures shall be not less than one inch in height and the strokes thereof one-eighth of an inch in width. The director may provide for the arrangement of the numbers in groups or otherwise, and for other distinguishing marks on the plates.

5. All property-carrying commercial motor vehicles to be registered at a gross weight in excess of twelve thousand pounds, all passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicles, local transit buses, school buses, trailers, semitrailers, motorcycles, motortricycles, motorscooters and driveaway vehicles shall be registered with the director of revenue as provided for in subsection 3 of section 301.030, but only one license plate shall be issued for each such vehicle.

6. The plates issued to manufacturers and dealers shall bear the letter "D" preceding the number, and the director may place upon the plates other letters or marks to distinguish commercial motor vehicles and trailers and other types of motor vehicles.

7. No motor vehicle or trailer shall be operated on any highway of this state unless it shall have displayed thereon the license plate or set of license plates issued by the director of revenue and authorized by section 301.140. Each such plate shall be securely fastened to the motor vehicle in a manner so that all parts thereof shall be plainly visible and reasonably clean so that the reflective qualities thereof are not impaired. License plates shall be fastened to all motor vehicles except trucks, tractors, truck tractors or truck-tractors licensed in excess of twelve thousand pounds on the front and rear of such vehicles not less than eight nor more than forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The license plates on trailers, motorcycles, motortricycles and motorscooters shall be displayed on the rear of such vehicles, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The license plate on trucks, tractors, truck tractors or truck-tractors licensed in excess of twelve thousand pounds shall be displayed on the front of such vehicles not less than eight nor more than forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The license plate or plates authorized by section

53 301.140, when properly attached, shall be prima facie evidence that the required fees
54 have been paid.

55 8. (1) The director of revenue shall issue annually a tab or set of tabs as
56 evidence of the annual payment of registration fees and the current registration of a
57 vehicle in lieu of the set of plates; except that the director shall annually issue a new
58 license plate or set of plates as provided in this section for vehicles registered
59 pursuant to subsection 2 of section 301.277, commercial motor vehicles in excess of
60 twelve thousand pounds, trailers, buses and dealers.

61 (2) The vehicle owner to whom a tab or set of tabs is issued shall affix and
62 display such tab or tabs on the middle of the license plate, no more than one per plate.

63 (3) A tab or set of tabs issued by the director when attached to a vehicle in
64 the prescribed manner shall be prima facie evidence that the registration fee for such
65 vehicle has been paid.

66 (4) Except as provided in subdivision (1) of this subsection, the director of
67 revenue shall issue plates for a period of at least five years.

68 (5) For those commercial motor vehicles registered pursuant to an agreement
69 under section 301.277, the plate issued by the director of revenue shall be a
70 permanent nonexpiring license plate for which no tabs shall be issued. Nothing in
71 this section shall relieve the owner of any vehicle permanently registered under this
72 section from the obligation to pay the annual registration fee due for the vehicle. The
73 permanent nonexpiring license plate shall be returned to the director of revenue upon
74 the sale or disposal of the vehicle by the owner to whom the permanent nonexpiring
75 license plate is issued, or the plate may be transferred to a replacement commercial
76 motor vehicle when the owner files a supplemental application with the Missouri
77 highway reciprocity commission for the registration of such replacement commercial
78 motor vehicle. Upon payment of the annual registration fee, the director of revenue
79 shall issue a certificate of registration or other suitable evidence of payment of the
80 annual fee, and such evidence of payment shall be carried at all times in the vehicle
81 for which it is issued.

82 (6) Upon the sale or disposal of any vehicle permanently registered under this
83 section, or upon the termination of a lease of any such vehicle, the permanent
84 nonexpiring plate issued for such vehicle shall be returned to the director and shall
85 not be valid for operation of such vehicle, or the plate may be transferred to a
86 replacement vehicle when the owner files a supplemental application with the
87 Missouri highway reciprocity commission for the registration of such replacement
88 vehicle. If a vehicle which is permanently registered under this section is sold,
89 wrecked or otherwise disposed of, or the lease terminated, the registrant shall be
90 given credit for any unused portion of the annual registration fee when the vehicle is
91 replaced by the purchase or lease of another vehicle during the registration year.

92 9. The director of revenue may prescribe rules and regulations for the
93 effective administration of this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated
94 under the authority of this section shall become effective unless it has been
95 promulgated pursuant to the provisions of section 536.024, RSMo.]

301.130. 1. The director of revenue, upon receipt of a proper application for registration, required fees and any other information which may be required by law, shall issue to the applicant a certificate of registration in such manner and form as the director of revenue may prescribe and a set of license plates, or other evidence of registration, as provided in this section. Unless otherwise provided by law, each license plate or set of license plates issued, renewed or replaced on or after January 1, 1997, shall contain the following:

- (1) The name or abbreviated name of this state;
- (2) The words "Show-Me State";
- (3) The month and year in which the registration shall expire;
- (4) An arrangement of numbers or letters, or both, as shall be assigned from year to year by the director of revenue; and
- (5) Fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design for each type of license plate issued under this chapter[, which shall be designated by an advisory committee established in section 301.129]. The license plates shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive. Except as otherwise provided in this section, in addition to all other fees required by law, [applicants for registration of vehicles with license plates that expire between January 1, 1997, and December 31, 1997, applicants for registration of trailers or semitrailers with license plates that expire between January 1, 1997, and December 31, 1999, and] applicants for registration of vehicles that are to be issued new license plates shall pay an additional fee of up to two dollars and twenty-five cents, based on the actual cost of the reissuance, to cover the cost of the fully reflective plates required by this subsection. [Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 3 of section 301.067 to the contrary, every license plate for a trailer or semitrailer which is permanently registered under subsection 3 of section 301.067 shall be returned to the director of revenue between January 1, 1997, and December 31, 1997, and a license plate which conforms to the provisions of this subsection issued as a replacement plate upon the payment of a one dollar and fifteen cent fee per plate prescribed by this subdivision. The additional fee, based on the actual cost, prescribed by this subdivision shall only be one dollar and fifteen cents for issuance of one new plate for vehicles requiring only one license plate pursuant to subsection 5 or 7 of this section.] The additional fee of two dollars and twenty-five cents prescribed in this subsection shall not be charged to persons receiving special license plates issued [under] **pursuant to** section 301.073 or 301.443. [The department of revenue shall adopt a program whereby all motor vehicle registrations renewed on or after January 1, 1997, will have replacement reflective plates issued for such registration prior to January 1, 2000.] Special plates for qualified disabled veterans will have the "DISABLED VETERAN" wording on the license plates in preference to the words "Show-Me State" and special plates for members of the national guard will have the "NATIONAL GUARD" wording in preference to the words "Show-Me

37 State". Veterans' plates shall have a white background with a blue and red configuration [at the
38 discretion of the advisory committee established in section 301.129].

39 2. The arrangement of letters and numbers of license plates shall be uniform throughout
40 each classification of registration.

41 3. The competitive bidding process used to select a vendor for the material to
42 manufacture the license plates shall consider the aesthetic appearance of the plates and the
43 reflective illumination capability for safety reasons. [The advisory committee established in
44 section 301.129 shall adopt specifications for all reflective material. The competitive bidding
45 request for proposal shall contain a deduction in the amount of twenty-eight cents per plate from
46 the cost of the reflective sheeting. The committee may select graphic designs or any of the plate
47 processes approved on January 1, 1997.]

48 4. Figures on license plates, except those which may be used to designate gross weights
49 for which commercial motor vehicles are registered, shall be of a size set by the [advisory
50 committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue**. In the case of motorcycles,
51 motortricycles and trailers that are pulled by motorcycles or motortricycles, the letters and figures
52 shall be of a size set by the [advisory committee] **director of revenue**. The [advisory committee]
53 **director of revenue** may provide for the arrangement of the numbers in groups or otherwise, and
54 for other distinguishing marks on the plates.

55 5. All property-carrying commercial motor vehicles to be registered at a gross weight in
56 excess of twelve thousand pounds, all passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicles, local transit
57 buses, school buses, trailers, semitrailers, motorcycles, motortricycles, motorscooters and
58 driveaway vehicles shall be registered with the director of revenue as provided for in subsection
59 3 of section 301.030, but only one license plate shall be issued for each such vehicle, except as
60 provided in this subsection. The applicant for registration of any property-carrying commercial
61 motor vehicle to be registered at a gross weight in excess of twelve thousand pounds or
62 passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle may request and be issued two license plates for
63 such vehicle, and if such plates are issued, the director of revenue may assess and collect an
64 additional charge from the applicant in an amount not to exceed the fee prescribed for
65 personalized license plates in subsection 1 of section 301.144.

66 6. The plates issued to manufacturers and dealers shall bear the letter "D" preceding the
67 number, and the advisory committee may require the placement upon the plates other letters or
68 marks to distinguish commercial motor vehicles and trailers and other types of motor vehicles.

69 7. No motor vehicle or trailer shall be operated on any highway of this state unless it shall
70 have displayed thereon the license plate or set of license plates issued by the director of revenue
71 and authorized by section 301.140. Each such plate shall be securely fastened to the motor
72 vehicle in a manner so that all parts thereof shall be plainly visible and reasonably clean so that

73 the reflective qualities thereof are not impaired. License plates shall be fastened to all motor
74 vehicles except trucks, tractors, truck tractors or truck-tractors licensed in excess of twelve
75 thousand pounds on the front and rear of such vehicles not less than eight nor more than
76 forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The
77 license plates on trailers, motorcycles, motortricycles and motorscooters shall be displayed on the
78 rear of such vehicles, with the letters and numbers thereon right side up. The license plate on
79 buses, other than school buses, and on trucks, tractors, truck tractors or truck-tractors licensed in
80 excess of twelve thousand pounds shall be displayed on the front of such vehicles not less than
81 eight nor more than forty-eight inches above the ground, with the letters and numbers thereon
82 right side up, or if two plates are issued for the vehicle pursuant to subsection 5 of this section,
83 displayed in the same manner on the front and rear of such vehicles. The license plate or plates
84 authorized by section 301.140, when properly attached, shall be prima facie evidence that the
85 required fees have been paid.

86 8. (1) The director of revenue shall issue annually a tab or set of tabs as evidence of the
87 annual payment of registration fees and the current registration of a vehicle in lieu of the set of
88 plates.

89 (2) The vehicle owner to whom a tab or set of tabs is issued shall affix and display such
90 tab or tabs in the designated area of the license plate, no more than one per plate.

91 (3) A tab or set of tabs issued by the director when attached to a vehicle in the prescribed
92 manner shall be prima facie evidence that the registration fee for such vehicle has been paid.

93 (4) Except as provided in subdivision (1) of this subsection, the director of revenue shall
94 issue plates for a period of at least five years.

95 (5) For those commercial motor vehicles registered pursuant to an agreement [under]
96 **pursuant to** section 301.277, the plate issued by the director of revenue shall be a permanent
97 nonexpiring license plate for which no tabs shall be issued. Nothing in this section shall relieve
98 the owner of any vehicle permanently registered [under] **pursuant to** this section from the
99 obligation to pay the annual registration fee due for the vehicle. The permanent nonexpiring
100 license plate shall be returned to the director of revenue upon the sale or disposal of the vehicle
101 by the owner to whom the permanent nonexpiring license plate is issued, or the plate may be
102 transferred to a replacement commercial motor vehicle when the owner files a supplemental
103 application with the Missouri highway reciprocity commission for the registration of such
104 replacement commercial motor vehicle. Upon payment of the annual registration fee, the director
105 of revenue shall issue a certificate of registration or other suitable evidence of payment of the
106 annual fee, and such evidence of payment shall be carried at all times in the vehicle for which it
107 is issued.

108 (6) Upon the sale or disposal of any vehicle permanently registered [under] **pursuant to**

109 this section, or upon the termination of a lease of any such vehicle, the permanent nonexpiring
110 plate issued for such vehicle shall be returned to the director and shall not be valid for operation
111 of such vehicle, or the plate may be transferred to a replacement vehicle when the owner files a
112 supplemental application with the Missouri highway reciprocity commission for the registration
113 of such replacement vehicle. If a vehicle which is permanently registered [under] **pursuant to**
114 this section is sold, wrecked or otherwise disposed of, or the lease terminated, the registrant shall
115 be given credit for any unused portion of the annual registration fee when the vehicle is replaced
116 by the purchase or lease of another vehicle during the registration year.

117 9. The director of revenue may prescribe rules and regulations for the effective
118 administration of this section.

119 10. [Any rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to this section may be suspended
120 by the joint committee on administrative rules if after hearing thereon the committee finds that
121 such rule or portion of the rule is beyond or contrary to the statutory authority of the agency which
122 promulgated the rule, or is inconsistent with the legislative intent of the authorizing statute. The
123 general assembly may reinstate such rule by concurrent resolution signed by the governor.] **No**
124 **rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to the authority of this section shall become**
125 **effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536, RSMo.**

301.131. 1. Any motor vehicle over twenty-five years old which is owned solely as a
2 collector's item and which is used and intended to be used for exhibition and educational purposes
3 shall be permanently registered upon payment of a registration fee of twenty-five dollars. Upon
4 the transfer of the title to any such vehicle the registration shall be canceled and the license plates
5 issued therefor shall be returned to the director of revenue.

6 2. The owner of any such vehicle shall file an application in a form prescribed by the
7 director, if such vehicle meets the requirements of this section, and a certificate of registration
8 shall be issued therefor. Such certificate need not specify the horsepower of the motor vehicle.

9 3. The director shall issue to the owner of any motor vehicle registered pursuant to this
10 section the same number of license plates which would be issued with a regular annual
11 registration, containing the number assigned to the registration certificate issued by the director
12 of revenue. Such license plates shall be kept securely attached to the motor vehicle registered
13 hereunder. [The advisory committee established in section 301.129 shall determine the
14 characteristic features of such license plates for vehicles registered pursuant to the provisions of
15 this section so that they may be recognized as such, except that] Such license plates shall be made
16 with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at
17 night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

18 4. Historic vehicles may be driven to and from repair facilities one hundred miles from
19 the vehicle's location, and in addition may be driven up to one thousand miles per year for

20 personal use. The owner of the historic vehicle shall be responsible for keeping a log of the miles
21 driven for personal use each calendar year. Such log must be kept in the historic vehicle when
22 the vehicle is driven on any state road. The historic vehicle's mileage driven in an antique auto
23 tour or event and mileage driven to and from such a tour or event shall not be considered mileage
24 driven for the purpose of the mileage limitations in this section. Violation of this section is a
25 class C misdemeanor and in addition to any other penalties prescribed by law, upon conviction
26 thereof, the director of revenue shall revoke the historic motor vehicle license plates of such
27 violator which were issued pursuant to this section.

28 5. Notwithstanding any provisions of this section to the contrary, any person possessing
29 a license plate issued by the state of Missouri [prior to 1979] **that is over twenty-five years old,**
30 in which the year of the issuance of such plate is consistent with the year of the manufacture of
31 the vehicle, the owner of the vehicle may register such plate as [a personalized plate by following
32 the procedures for personalized license plate registration and paying the same fees as prescribed
33 in section 301.144] **an historic vehicle plate as set forth in subsections 1 and 2 of this section,**
34 **provided that the configuration of letters, numbers and combination of letters and numbers**
35 **of such plate are not identical to the configuration of letters, numbers or combination of**
36 **letters and numbers of any plates already issued to an owner by the director.** Such license
37 plate shall not be required to possess the characteristic features of reflective material and common
38 color scheme and design as prescribed in section 301.130. **The owner of the historic vehicle**
39 **registered pursuant to this subsection shall keep the certificate of registration in the vehicle**
40 **at all times. The certificate of registration shall be prima facie evidence that the vehicle has**
41 **been properly registered with the director and that all fees have been paid.**

301.132. 1. Any motor vehicle manufactured in 1948 or before which is modified for
2 safe road use, including but not limited to modifications to the drive train, suspension, brake
3 system, and any safety or comfort apparatus and which is not owned solely as a collector's item
4 and which is not used or intended to be used solely for exhibition and educational purposes only,
5 may be specially registered as a "street rod" upon payment of an annual fee equal to the fee
6 charged for personalized license plates in section 301.144 in addition to the regular annual
7 registration fees. Upon the transfer of the title to any such vehicle the registration shall be
8 canceled and the license plates issued therefor shall be returned to the director of revenue.

9 2. The owner of any such vehicle shall file an application in a form prescribed by the
10 director[, verified by affidavit, providing] **and shall certify** that such vehicle meets the
11 requirements which shall be issued by the director for classification as a "street rod", and a
12 certificate of registration shall be issued therefor.

13 3. The director shall issue to the owner of any motor vehicle registered [under] **pursuant**
14 **to this section two license plates containing the number assigned to the registration certificate**

15 issued by the director of revenue, and the following words: "Street Rod"[, "State of Missouri"].
16 Such license plates shall be kept securely attached to the motor vehicle registered hereunder.
17 [The advisory committee established in section 301.129 shall determine the characteristic features
18 of such license plates for vehicles registered under the provisions of this section so that they may
19 be recognized as such, except that] Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material
20 with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be
21 aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

22 4. Motor vehicles registered [under] **pursuant to** this section are subject to the motor
23 vehicle safety inspection requirements of sections 307.350 to 307.390, RSMo.

301.140. 1. Upon the transfer of ownership of any motor vehicle or trailer, the certificate
2 of registration and the right to use the number plates shall expire and the number plates shall be
3 removed by the owner at the time of the transfer of possession, and it shall be unlawful for any
4 person other than the person to whom such number plates were originally issued to have the same
5 in his or her possession whether in use or not; except that the buyer of a motor vehicle or trailer
6 who trades in **or purchases from an individual** a motor vehicle or trailer may attach the license
7 plates from the traded-in **or replaced** motor vehicle or trailer to the newly purchased motor
8 vehicle or trailer. The operation of a motor vehicle with such transferred plates shall be lawful
9 for no more than thirty days. As used in this subsection, the term "trade-in motor vehicle or
10 trailer" shall include any single motor vehicle or trailer sold by the buyer of the newly purchased
11 vehicle or trailer, as long as the license plates for the trade-in motor vehicle or trailer are still
12 valid.

13 2. In the case of a transfer of ownership the original owner may register another motor
14 vehicle under the same number, upon the payment of a fee of two dollars, if the motor vehicle is
15 of horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle)
16 seating capacity, not in excess of that originally registered. When such motor vehicle is of greater
17 horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle)
18 seating capacity, for which a greater fee is prescribed, applicant shall pay a transfer fee of two
19 dollars and a pro rata portion for the difference in fees. When such vehicle is of less horsepower,
20 gross weight or (in case of a passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, for
21 which a lesser fee is prescribed, applicant shall not be entitled to a refund.

22 3. License plates may be transferred from a motor vehicle which will no longer be
23 operated to a newly purchased motor vehicle by the owner of such vehicles. The owner shall pay
24 a transfer fee of two dollars if the newly purchased vehicle is of horsepower, gross weight or (in
25 the case of a passenger-carrying commercial motor vehicle) seating capacity, not in excess of that
26 of the vehicle which will no longer be operated. When the newly purchased motor vehicle is of
27 greater horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying commercial motor

28 vehicle) seating capacity, for which a greater fee is prescribed, the applicant shall pay a transfer
29 fee of two dollars and a pro rata portion of the difference in fees. When the newly purchased
30 vehicle is of less horsepower, gross weight or (in the case of a passenger-carrying commercial
31 motor vehicle) seating capacity, for which a lesser fee is prescribed, the applicant shall not be
32 entitled to a refund.

33 4. [Upon the sale of a motor vehicle or trailer by a dealer, a buyer who has made
34 application for registration, by mail or otherwise, may operate the same for a period of thirty days
35 after taking possession thereof, if during such period the motor vehicle or trailer shall have
36 attached thereto, in the manner required by section 301.130, number plates issued to the dealer.
37 Upon application and presentation of satisfactory evidence that the buyer has applied for
38 registration, a dealer may furnish such number plates to the buyer for such temporary use. In such
39 event, the dealer shall require the buyer to deposit the sum of ten dollars and fifty cents to be
40 returned to the buyer upon return of the number plates as a guarantee that said buyer will return
41 to the dealer such number plates within thirty days.] The director shall issue a temporary permit
42 or paper plate authorizing the operation of a motor vehicle or trailer by a [buyer] **resident or**
43 **nonresident** for not more than thirty days of the date of purchase.

44 5. The temporary permit or paper plate shall be made available by the director of revenue
45 and may be purchased from the department of revenue upon proof of purchase of a motor vehicle
46 or trailer for which the buyer has no registration plate available for transfer, or from a dealer upon
47 purchase of a motor vehicle or trailer for which the buyer has no registration plate available for
48 transfer. The director shall make temporary plates or permits available to registered dealers in
49 this state in sets of ten plates or permits. The fee for the temporary permit or plate shall be seven
50 dollars and fifty cents for each permit or plate issued. No dealer shall charge more than seven
51 dollars and fifty cents for each permit issued. The permit or plate shall be valid for a period of
52 thirty days from the date of purchase of a motor vehicle or trailer, or from the date of sale of the
53 motor vehicle or trailer by a dealer for which the purchaser obtains a permit or plate as set out
54 above.

55 6. The permit or plate shall be issued on a form prescribed by the director and issued only
56 for the applicant's use in the operation of the motor vehicle or trailer purchased to enable the
57 applicant to legally operate the vehicle while proper title and registration plate are being obtained,
58 and shall be displayed on no other vehicle. Permits or paper plates issued pursuant to this section
59 shall not be transferable or renewable and shall not be valid upon issuance of proper registration
60 plates for the motor vehicle or trailer. The director shall determine the size and numbering
61 configuration, construction, and color of the permit and plate.

62 7. The dealer or authorized agent shall insert the date of issuance and expiration date,
63 year, make, and manufacturer's number of vehicle on the paper plate or permit when issued to the

64 buyer. The dealer shall also insert such dealer's number on the paper plate. Every dealer that
65 issues a temporary permit or paper plate shall keep, for inspection of proper officers, a correct
66 record of each permit or plate issued by recording the permit or plate number, buyer's name and
67 address, year, make, manufacturer's number of vehicle on which the permit or plate is to be used,
68 and the date of issuance.

69 8. Upon the transfer of ownership of any currently registered motor vehicle wherein the
70 owner cannot transfer the license plates due to a change of vehicle category, the owner may
71 surrender the license plates issued to the motor vehicle and receive credit for any unused portion
72 of the original registration fee against the registration fee of another motor vehicle. Such credit
73 shall be granted based upon the date the license plates are surrendered. No refunds shall be made
74 on the unused portion of any license plates surrendered for such credit.

301.142. 1. As used in this section the term "physically disabled" means a natural person
2 who is a blind person, as defined in section 8.700, RSMo, or a natural person with disabilities
3 which limit or impair the ability to walk, as determined by a licensed physician as follows:

- 4 (1) The person cannot walk fifty feet without stopping to rest; or
- 5 (2) The person cannot walk without the use of, or assistance from, a brace, cane, crutch,
6 another person, prosthetic device, wheelchair, or other assistive device; or
- 7 (3) Is restricted by lung disease to such an extent that the person's forced respiratory
8 expiratory volume for one second, when measured by spirometry, is less than one liter, or the
9 arterial oxygen tension is less than sixty mm/hg on room air at rest; or
- 10 (4) Uses portable oxygen; or
- 11 (5) Has a cardiac condition to the extent that the person's functional limitations are
12 classified in severity as class III or class IV according to standards set by the American Heart
13 Association; or
- 14 (6) Is severely limited in the applicant's ability to walk due to an arthritic, neurological,
15 or orthopedic condition.

16 2. "Temporarily disabled person" means a physically disabled person whose disability or
17 incapacity can be expected to last for not more than one hundred eighty days.

18 3. Owners of motor vehicles who are residents of the state of Missouri, and who are
19 physically disabled, owners of motor vehicles operated at least fifty percent of the time by a
20 physically disabled person, or owners of motor vehicles used to transport physically disabled
21 members of the owner's household may obtain disabled person license plates. Such owners, upon
22 application, accompanied by the documents and fees provided for in this section, and by state
23 motor vehicle laws relating to registration and licensing of motor vehicles shall be issued motor
24 vehicle license plates for vehicles, other than commercial vehicles with a gross weight in excess
25 of twenty-four thousand pounds, upon which shall be inscribed the international wheelchair

26 accessibility symbol and the word "disabled" in addition to a combination of letters and numbers.
27 Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and
28 design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by
29 section 301.130. Handicapped parking places may only be used when a physically disabled
30 occupant is in the motor vehicle at the time of parking or when a physically disabled person is
31 being delivered or collected by a properly marked vehicle which is parked for the sole use of the
32 physically disabled person. No vehicle shall park in the access aisle. Such parking violation shall
33 be an infraction. The use of a vehicle displaying a disabled license plate or windshield placard
34 to park in a parking space designated for the disabled by a person not transporting the individual
35 for whom the license or placard was issued shall be an infraction. Upon conviction thereof,
36 violators shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than three hundred
37 dollars.

38 4. No additional fee shall be paid to the director of revenue for the issuance of the special
39 license plates provided in this section, except for special personalized license plates and other
40 license plates described in this subsection. Priority for any specific set of special license plates
41 shall be given to the applicant who received the number in the immediately preceding license
42 period subject to the applicant's compliance with the provisions of this section and any applicable
43 rules or regulations issued by the director. [If determined feasible by the advisory committee
44 established in section 301.129,] Any special license plate issued pursuant to this section may be
45 adapted to also include the international wheelchair accessibility symbol and the word "disabled"
46 as prescribed in subsection 3 of this section and such plate may be issued to any applicant who
47 meets the requirements of this section and the other appropriate provision of this chapter, subject
48 to the requirements and fees of the appropriate provision of this chapter.

49 5. Any physically disabled person, or the parent or guardian of any such person, or any
50 not-for-profit group, organization, or other entity which transports more than one physically
51 disabled person, may apply to the director of revenue for a removable windshield placard to be
52 hung from the rearview mirror of a parked motor vehicle. When there is no rearview mirror, the
53 placard shall be displayed on the dashboard on the driver's side. The removable windshield
54 placard shall conform to the specifications, in respect to size, color, and content, as set forth in
55 federal regulations published by the Department of Transportation. The fee for each removable
56 windshield placard shall be two dollars and the removable windshield placard shall be renewed
57 every year. Only one removable placard may be issued to an applicant who has been issued
58 disabled person license plates. Upon request, one additional windshield placard shall be issued
59 to an applicant who has not been issued disabled person license plates. A temporary windshield
60 placard shall be issued to any physically disabled person, or the parent or guardian of any such
61 person who otherwise qualifies except that the physical disability, in the opinion of the physician,

62 is not expected to exceed a period of one hundred eighty days. The temporary windshield placard
63 shall conform to the specifications, in respect to size, color, and content, as set forth in federal
64 regulations published by the Department of Transportation. The fee for the temporary windshield
65 placard shall be two dollars. Upon request, one additional temporary windshield placard shall be
66 issued to an applicant. Temporary windshield placards shall be issued upon presentation of the
67 physician's statement provided by this section and shall be displayed in the same manner as
68 removable windshield placards. A person or entity shall be qualified to possess and display a
69 temporary removable windshield placard for six months and the placard may be renewed once
70 for an additional six months if a physician's statement pursuant to subsection 6 of this section is
71 supplied to the director of revenue at the time of renewal. The placard shall be renewable only
72 by the person or entity to which the placard was originally issued. Any placard issued pursuant
73 to this section shall only be used when a physically disabled occupant is in the motor vehicle at
74 the time of parking or when a physically disabled person is being delivered or collected by a
75 properly marked vehicle which is parked for the sole use of the physically disabled person.

76 6. Application for license plates or windshield placards issued pursuant to this section
77 shall be made to the director of revenue and shall be accompanied by a statement signed by a
78 licensed physician which certifies that the applicant, user, or member of the applicant's household
79 is a physically disabled person as defined by this section. The physician's statement shall be on
80 a form prescribed by the director of revenue which shall include the physician's license number.
81 If it is the professional opinion of the physician who issues the statement that the physical
82 disability of the applicant, user, or member of the applicant's household is permanent, this shall
83 be noted on the statement. In such instances, the applicant shall present the physician's statement
84 which states that the applicant's disability is permanent to the director of revenue the first time
85 the applicant applies for license plates or a removable windshield placard. The applicant shall
86 not be required to obtain a new physician's statement each time that the applicant applies for or
87 renews license plates or a removable windshield placard; but, the applicant shall present a
88 physician's statement each time the applicant applies for a temporary windshield placard or
89 renews a temporary windshield placard. Such physician's statement shall state the expiration date
90 for the temporary windshield placard. If the physician fails to record an expiration date on the
91 physician's statement, the director shall issue the temporary windshield placard for a period of
92 thirty days. The director of revenue upon receiving a physician's statement pursuant to this
93 subsection shall check with the state board of registration for the healing arts created in section
94 334.120, RSMo, or the Missouri state board of chiropractic examiners established in section
95 331.090, RSMo, with respect to physician's statements signed by licensed chiropractors, or with
96 the board of optometry established in section 336.130, RSMo, with respect to physician's
97 statements signed by licensed optometrists, or the state board of podiatric medicine created in

98 section 330.100, RSMo, with respect to physician's statements signed by physicians of the foot
99 or podiatrists to determine whether the physician is duly licensed and registered pursuant to law.
100 The boards shall cooperate with the director and shall supply information requested pursuant to
101 this subsection. The director may, in cooperation with the boards which shall assist the director,
102 establish a list of all physicians' names and of any other information necessary to administer this
103 subsection within the department of revenue if the director determines that such listing is
104 necessary to carry out the provisions of this subsection.

105 7. Where the owner's application is based on the fact that the vehicle is used at least fifty
106 percent of the time by a physically disabled person, the applicant shall submit [an affidavit
107 stating] **a statement to** this fact, in addition to the physician's statement. The [affidavit]
108 **statement** shall be signed by both the owner of the vehicle and the physically disabled person.
109 The applicant shall be required to submit this [affidavit] **statement** with each application for
110 license plates.

111 8. The director of revenue shall enter into reciprocity agreements with other states for the
112 purpose of recognizing disabled person license plates or windshield placards issued to physically
113 disabled persons in those states.

114 9. When a person to whom disabled person license plates or a removable or temporary
115 windshield placard or both have been issued dies, the personal representative of such person shall
116 return the plates or placards or both to the director of revenue under penalty of law. The director
117 of revenue may order any person issued disabled person license plates or windshield placards to
118 submit to an examination by a chiropractor, osteopath, or physician, or to such other investigation
119 as will determine whether such person qualifies for the special plates or placards. If such person
120 refuses to submit or is found to no longer qualify for special plates or placards provided for in this
121 section, the director of revenue shall collect the special plates or placards, and shall furnish
122 license plates to replace the ones collected as provided by this chapter.

123 10. In the event a removable or temporary windshield placard is lost, stolen, or mutilated,
124 the lawful holder thereof shall, within five days, file with the director of revenue an application
125 and [an affidavit] **a statement** stating such fact, in order to purchase a new placard. The fee for
126 the replacement windshield placard shall be two dollars.

127 11. Beginning after September 1, 1998, and prior to August 31, 1999, the director of
128 revenue shall authorize a one-time recertification and review of all permanent disabled person
129 license plates and windshield placards, including physician's license numbers and related
130 information that the director has on file pursuant to subsection 6 of this section to determine if
131 such numbers and information are current and correct. The director shall require the presentation

132 of a new physician's statement and other information deemed necessary by the director to
133 administer the provisions of this section.

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135 The recertification and review shall be conducted in a manner as determined by the director.

136 12. Fraudulent application, renewal, issuance, procurement or use of disabled person
137 license plates or windshield placards shall be a class A misdemeanor. It is a class B misdemeanor
138 for a physician, chiropractor, podiatrist or optometrist to certify that an individual or family
139 member is qualified for a license plate or windshield placard based on a disability, the diagnosis
140 of which is outside their scope of practice or if there is no basis for the diagnosis.

2 [301.144. 1. The director of revenue shall establish and issue special
3 personalized license plates containing letters or numbers or combinations of letters
4 and numbers, not to exceed six characters in length. Any person desiring to obtain
5 a special personalized license plate for any motor vehicle other than a commercial
6 motor vehicle licensed for more than twelve thousand pounds shall apply to the
7 director of revenue on a form provided by the director and shall pay a fee of fifteen
8 dollars in addition to the regular registration fees. The director of revenue shall issue
9 rules and regulations setting the standards and establishing the procedure for
10 application for and issuance of the special personalized license plates and shall
11 provide a deadline each year for the applications. No rule or portion of a rule
12 promulgated under the authority of this section shall become effective unless it has
13 been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of section 536.024, RSMo. No two
14 owners shall be issued identical plates. An owner shall make a new application and
15 pay a new fee each year he desires to obtain or retain special personalized license
16 plates; however, notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 8 of section 301.130
17 to the contrary, the director shall allow the special personalized license plates to be
18 replaced with new plates every three years without any additional charge, above the
19 fee established in this section, to the renewal applicant. Any person currently in
20 possession of an approved personalized license plate shall have first priority on that
21 particular plate for each of the following years that timely and appropriate application
22 is made.

23 2. No personalized license plates shall be issued containing any letters,
24 numbers or combination of letters and numbers which are obscene, profane,
25 inflammatory or contrary to public policy. The director may recall any personalized
26 license plates, including those issued prior to August 28, 1992, if he determines that
27 the plates are obscene, profane, inflammatory or contrary to public policy. Where the
28 director recalls such plates under the provisions of this subsection, he shall reissue
29 personalized license plates to the owner of the motor vehicle for which they were
30 issued at no charge, if the new plates proposed by the owner of the motor vehicle
31 meet the standards established under this section. Nothing contained in this
32 subsection shall be interpreted to prohibit the use of license plates, which are no
33 longer valid for registration purposes, as collector's items or for decorative purposes.

3. The director may also establish categories of specialized personalized

license plates from which license plates may be issued. Any such person that desires a special personalized license plate from any such category shall pay the same additional fee and make the same kind of application as that required by subsection 1 of this section, and the director shall issue such plates in the same manner as other special personalized license plates are issued.

4. The director of revenue shall issue to residents of the state of Missouri who hold an unrevoked and unexpired official amateur radio license issued by the Federal Communications Commission, upon application and upon payment of the additional fee specified in subsection 1 of this section, special personalized license plates bearing the official amateur radio call letters assigned by the Federal Communications Commission to the applicant. The application shall be accompanied by an affidavit stating that the applicant has an unrevoked and unexpired amateur radio license issued by the Federal Communications Commission and the official radio call letters assigned by the Federal Communications Commission to the applicant.

5. Notwithstanding any other provision to the contrary, any business listed in subsection 1 of section 301.256 that repossesses motor vehicles or trailers and sells or otherwise disposes of them shall be issued a placard displaying the word "Repossessed", provided such business pays the fees presently required of a manufacturer, distributor, or dealer in subsection 1 of section 301.253. Such placard shall bear a number and shall be in such form as the director of revenue shall determine, and shall be only used for demonstrations when displayed substantially as provided for number plates on the rear of the motor vehicle or trailer.]

301.144. 1. The director of revenue shall establish and issue [special] personalized license plates containing letters or numbers or combinations of letters and numbers. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Any person desiring to obtain a [special] personalized license plate for any motor vehicle other than **an apportioned motor vehicle** or a commercial motor vehicle licensed [for more than twelve] **in excess of eighteen** thousand pounds **gross weight** shall apply to the director of revenue on a form provided by the director and shall pay a fee of fifteen dollars in addition to the regular registration fees. **Upon application for a personalized plate by the owner of a motor vehicle for which the owner has no registration plate available for transfer as prescribed by section 301.140, the director shall issue a temporary permit authorizing the operation of the motor vehicle, for a period not to exceed thirty days.** The director of revenue shall issue rules and regulations setting the standards and establishing the procedure for application for and issuance of the [special] personalized license plates and shall provide a deadline each year for the applications. No rule or [regulation promulgated pursuant to this section shall become effective until approved by the joint committee on administrative rules] **portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to the authority of this section shall become effective unless it**

18 **has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536, RSMo.** No two owners
19 shall be issued identical plates. An owner shall make a new application and pay a new fee each
20 year [he] **such owner** desires to obtain or retain [special] personalized license plates; however,
21 notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 8 of section 301.130 to the contrary, the director
22 shall allow the [special] personalized license plates to be replaced with new plates every three
23 years without any additional charge, above the fee established in this section, to the renewal
24 applicant. Any person currently in possession of an approved personalized license plate shall
25 have first priority on that particular plate for each of the following years that timely and
26 appropriate application is made.

27 2. No personalized license plates shall be issued containing any letters, numbers or
28 combination of letters and numbers which are obscene, profane, inflammatory or contrary to
29 public policy. The director may recall any personalized license plates, including those issued
30 prior to August 28, 1992, if [he] **the director** determines that the plates are obscene, profane,
31 inflammatory or contrary to public policy. Where the director recalls such plates [under]
32 **pursuant to** the provisions of this subsection, [he] **the director** shall reissue personalized license
33 plates to the owner of the motor vehicle for which they were issued at no charge, if the new
34 plates proposed by the owner of the motor vehicle meet the standards established [under]
35 **pursuant to** this section. Nothing contained in this subsection shall be interpreted to prohibit
36 the use of license plates, which are no longer valid for registration purposes, as collector's items
37 or for decorative purposes.

38 3. The director may also establish categories of specialized [personalized] license plates
39 from which license plates may be issued. Any such person that desires a [special personalized]
40 **specialized** license plate from any such category shall pay the same additional fee and make the
41 same kind of application as that required by subsection 1 of this section, and the director shall
42 issue such plates in the same manner [as other] special personalized license plates are issued.

43 4. The director of revenue shall issue to residents of the state of Missouri who hold an
44 unrevoked and unexpired official amateur radio license issued by the Federal Communications
45 Commission, upon application and upon payment of the additional fee specified in subsection
46 1 of this section, [special personalized] **motor vehicle** license plates bearing the official amateur
47 radio call letters assigned by the Federal Communications Commission [to the applicant] **and**
48 **the words "AMATEUR RADIO" in place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE"**. The
49 application shall be accompanied by [an affidavit] **a statement** stating that the applicant has an
50 unrevoked and unexpired amateur radio license issued by the Federal Communications
51 Commission and the official radio call letters assigned by the Federal Communications
52 Commission to the applicant.

53 5. Notwithstanding any other provision to the contrary, any business listed in subsection

54 1 of section 301.570 that repossesses motor vehicles or trailers and sells or otherwise disposes
55 of them shall be issued a placard displaying the word "Repossessed", provided such business
56 pays the fees presently required of a manufacturer, distributor, or dealer in section 301.560. Such
57 placard shall bear a number and shall be in such form as the director of revenue shall determine,
58 and shall be only used for demonstrations when displayed substantially as provided for number
59 plates on the rear of the motor vehicle or trailer.

301.145. Any person who has been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor may
2 apply for [special] **Congressional Medal of Honor** motor vehicle license plates for any vehicle
3 [he] **the person** owns, either solely or jointly, other than **an apportioned motor vehicle or a**
4 commercial [vehicles weighing over twelve] **licensed in excess of eighteen** thousand pounds[,
5 as provided in this section] **gross weight**. Any such person shall make application for the
6 [special] license plates on a form provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof of
7 receipt of the Congressional Medal of Honor as the director may require. The director shall then
8 issue license plates bearing the words "CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR" [in a form
9 prescribed by the advisory committee established in section 301.129, except that] such license
10 plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall
11 be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.
12 **There shall be no fee charged for plates issued pursuant to this section. Notwithstanding**
13 **the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization**
14 **of license plates issued pursuant to this section. There shall be no limit on the number of**
15 **license plates any person qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set**
16 **of plates issued pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by**
17 **such person.**

[301.177. 1. The director shall issue a temporary permit authorizing the
2 operation of a motor vehicle or trailer by a nonresident buyer for not more than
3 fifteen days from the date of purchase. Proof of ownership must be presented to the
4 director and application for such permit shall be made upon a blank form furnished
5 by the director of revenue and shall contain a full description of the motor vehicle,
6 including manufacturer's or other identifying number.

2. The director of revenue shall use reasonable diligence in ascertaining
8 whether the facts stated in such application are true, and, if satisfied that the applicant
9 is the lawful owner of such motor vehicle, issuance of such permit shall be granted
10 and the director shall furnish an appropriate placard evidencing the issuance thereof
11 to be displayed on the vehicle. A fee of ten dollars shall be collected upon the
12 issuance of each such permit.]

301.190. 1. No certificate of registration of any motor vehicle or trailer, or number plate
2 therefor, shall be issued by the director of revenue unless the applicant therefor shall make
3 application for and be granted a certificate of ownership of such motor vehicle or trailer, or shall

4 present satisfactory evidence that such certificate has been previously issued to the applicant for
5 such motor vehicle or trailer. Application shall be made within thirty days after the applicant
6 acquires the motor vehicle or trailer upon a blank form furnished by the director of revenue and
7 shall contain the applicant's identification number, a full description of the motor vehicle or
8 trailer, the vehicle identification number, and the mileage registered on the odometer at the time
9 of transfer of ownership, as required by section 407.536, RSMo, together with a statement of the
10 applicant's source of title and of any liens or encumbrances on the motor vehicle or trailer,
11 provided that for good cause shown the director of revenue may extend the period of time for
12 making such application.

13 2. The director of revenue shall use reasonable diligence in ascertaining whether the facts
14 stated in such application are true and shall, to the extent possible without substantially delaying
15 processing of the application, review any odometer information pertaining to such motor vehicle
16 that is accessible to the director of revenue. If satisfied that the applicant is the lawful owner of
17 such motor vehicle or trailer, or otherwise entitled to have the same registered in his name, the
18 director shall thereupon issue an appropriate certificate over his signature and sealed with the
19 seal of his office, procured and used for such purpose. The certificate shall contain on its face
20 a complete description, vehicle identification number, and other evidence of identification of the
21 motor vehicle or trailer, as the director of revenue may deem necessary, together with the
22 odometer information required to be put on the face of the certificate pursuant to section
23 407.536, RSMo, a statement of any liens or encumbrances which the application may show to
24 be thereon, and, if ownership of the vehicle has been transferred, the name of the state issuing
25 the transferor's title and whether the transferor's odometer mileage statement executed pursuant
26 to section 407.536, RSMo, indicated that the true mileage is materially different from the number
27 of miles shown on the odometer, or is unknown.

28 3. The director of revenue shall appropriately designate on the current and all subsequent
29 issues of the certificate the words "Reconstructed Motor Vehicle", "Motor Change Vehicle",
30 "Specially Constructed Motor Vehicle", or "Non-USA-Std Motor Vehicle", as defined in section
31 301.010. Effective July 1, 1990, on all original and all subsequent issues of the certificate for
32 motor vehicles as referenced in subsections 2 and 3 of section 301.020, the director shall print
33 on the face thereof the following designation: "Annual odometer updates may be available from
34 the department of revenue.". On any duplicate certificate, the director of revenue shall reprint
35 on the face thereof the most recent of either:

36 (1) The mileage information included on the face of the immediately prior certificate and
37 the date of purchase or issuance of the immediately prior certificate; or

38 (2) Any other mileage information provided to the director of revenue, and the date the
39 director obtained or recorded that information.

40 4. The certificate of ownership issued by the director of revenue shall be manufactured
41 in a manner to prohibit as nearly as possible the ability to alter, counterfeit, duplicate, or forge
42 such certificate without ready detection. In order to carry out the requirements of this subsection,
43 the director of revenue may contract with a nonprofit scientific or educational institution
44 specializing in the analysis of secure documents to determine the most effective methods of
45 rendering Missouri certificates of ownership nonalterable or noncounterfeitable.

46 5. The fee for each original certificate so issued shall be eight dollars and fifty cents, in
47 addition to the fee for registration of such motor vehicle or trailer. If application for the
48 certificate is not made within thirty days after the vehicle is acquired by the applicant, a
49 delinquency penalty fee of twenty-five dollars for the first thirty days of delinquency and
50 twenty-five dollars for each thirty days of delinquency thereafter, not to exceed a total of one
51 hundred dollars, shall be imposed, but such penalty may be waived by the director for a good
52 cause shown. If the director of revenue learns that any person has failed to obtain a certificate
53 within thirty days after acquiring a motor vehicle or trailer or has sold a vehicle without
54 obtaining a certificate, he shall cancel the registration of all vehicles registered in the name of
55 the person, either as sole owner or as a co-owner, and shall notify the person that the cancellation
56 will remain in force until the person pays the delinquency penalty fee provided in this section,
57 together with all fees, charges and payments which he should have paid in connection with the
58 certificate of ownership and registration of the vehicle. The certificate shall be good for the life
59 of the motor vehicle or trailer so long as the same is owned or held by the original holder of the
60 certificate and shall not have to be renewed annually.

61 6. Any applicant for a certificate of ownership requesting the department of revenue to
62 process an application for a certificate of ownership in an expeditious manner requiring special
63 handling shall pay a fee of five dollars in addition to the regular certificate of ownership fee.

64 7. It is unlawful for any person to operate in this state a motor vehicle or trailer required
65 to be registered under the provisions of the law unless a certificate of ownership has been issued
66 as herein provided.

67 8. Before an original Missouri certificate of ownership is issued, an inspection of the
68 vehicle and a verification of vehicle identification numbers shall be made by the Missouri state
69 highway patrol on vehicles for which there is a current title issued by another state if a Missouri
70 salvage certificate of title has been issued for the same vehicle but no prior inspection and
71 verification has been made in this state, except that if such vehicle has been inspected in another
72 state by a law enforcement officer in a manner comparable to the inspection process in this state
73 and the vehicle identification numbers have been so verified, the applicant shall not be liable for
74 the twenty-five dollar inspection fee if such applicant submits proof of inspection and vehicle
75 identification number verification to the director of revenue at the time of the application. The

76 applicant, who has such a title for a vehicle on which no prior inspection and verification have
77 been made, shall pay a fee of twenty-five dollars for such verification and inspection, payable
78 to the director of revenue at the time of the request for the application, which shall be deposited
79 in the state treasury to the credit of the state highway fund.

80 9. Each application for an original Missouri certificate of ownership for a vehicle which
81 is classified as a reconstructed motor vehicle, specially constructed motor vehicle, kit vehicle,
82 motor change vehicle, non-USA-std motor vehicle, or other vehicle as required by the director
83 of revenue, shall be accompanied by a vehicle examination certificate issued by the Missouri
84 state highway patrol, or other law enforcement agency as authorized by the director of revenue.
85 The vehicle examination shall include a verification of vehicle identification numbers and a
86 determination of the classification of the vehicle. The owner of a vehicle which requires a
87 vehicle examination certificate shall present the vehicle for examination and obtain a completed
88 vehicle examination certificate prior to submitting an application for a certificate of ownership
89 to the director of revenue. The fee for the vehicle examination application shall be twenty-five
90 dollars and shall be collected by the director of revenue at the time of the request for the
91 application and shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the state highway fund.

92 10. When an application is made for an original Missouri certificate of ownership for a
93 motor vehicle previously registered or titled in a state other than Missouri, it shall be
94 accompanied by a current inspection form certified by a duly authorized official inspection
95 station as described in chapter 307, RSMo. The completed form shall certify that the
96 manufacturer's identification number for the vehicle has been inspected, that it is correctly
97 displayed on the vehicle and shall certify the reading shown on the odometer at the time of
98 inspection. The inspection station shall collect the same fee as authorized in section 307.365,
99 RSMo, for making the inspection, and the fee shall be deposited in the same manner as provided
100 in section 307.365, RSMo. If the vehicle is also to be registered in Missouri, the safety and
101 emissions inspections required in chapter 307, RSMo, shall be completed and only the fees
102 required by sections 307.365 and 307.366, RSMo, shall be charged to the owner. This section
103 shall not apply to vehicles being transferred on a manufacturer's statement of origin.

104 11. Motor vehicles brought into this state in a wrecked or damaged condition or after
105 being towed as an abandoned vehicle pursuant to another state's abandoned motor vehicle
106 procedures shall, in lieu of the inspection required by subsection 10 of this section, be inspected
107 by the Missouri state highway patrol in accordance with subsection 9 of this section. If the
108 inspection reveals the vehicle to be in a salvage or junk condition, the director shall so indicate
109 on any Missouri certificate of ownership issued for such vehicle. Any salvage designation shall
110 be carried forward on all subsequently issued certificates of title for the motor vehicle.

111 12. When an application is made for an original Missouri certificate of ownership for a

112 motor vehicle previously registered or titled in a state other than Missouri, and the certificate of
113 ownership has been appropriately designated by the issuing state as reconstructed motor vehicle,
114 motor change vehicle, specially constructed motor vehicle, the director of revenue shall
115 appropriately designate on the current Missouri and all subsequent issues of the certificate of
116 ownership the name of the issuing state and such prior designation.

117 13. When an application is made for an original Missouri certificate of ownership for a
118 motor vehicle previously registered or titled in a state other than Missouri, and the certificate of
119 ownership has been appropriately designated by the issuing state as non-USA-std motor vehicle,
120 the director of revenue shall appropriately designate on the current Missouri and all subsequent
121 issues of the certificate of ownership the words "Non-USA-Std Motor Vehicle".

122 14. The director of revenue and the superintendent of the Missouri state highway patrol
123 shall make and enforce rules for the administration of the inspections required by this section.

124 **15. When the director of revenue discovers that a certificate of ownership or**
125 **certificate of ownership and registration has been issued improperly or contains incorrect**
126 **information the director may recall, cancel or void said title and registration.**

301.192. 1. In addition to any other requirements of section 301.190, when application
2 is made for a certificate of ownership for a motor vehicle or trailer seven years old or older and
3 the value of vehicle does not exceed three thousand dollars, for which no record of any prior
4 application for a certificate of ownership exists in the records of the director of revenue or for
5 which the records of the director of revenue reflect incomplete or conflicting documentation of
6 ownership, the director of revenue may issue a certificate of ownership, not less than thirty days
7 after receiving the completed application, provided it is accompanied by:

8 (1) [An affidavit] **A statement** explaining how the motor vehicle or trailer was acquired
9 and the reasons a valid certificate of ownership cannot be furnished;

10 (2) Presentation of all evidence of ownership in the applicant's possession;

11 (3) Title verification from a state in which the vehicle was previously titled or registered
12 if known, provided the vehicle was so previously titled or registered;

13 (4) A notarized lien release from any lienholder of record;

14 (5) A vehicle examination certificate issued by the Missouri state highway patrol, or
15 other law enforcement agency as authorized by the director of revenue. The vehicle examination
16 shall include a verification of the vehicle's identification number and a determination that the
17 vehicle has not been reported stolen in Missouri or any other state. The fee for the vehicle
18 examination certificate shall be twenty-five dollars and shall be collected by the director of
19 revenue at the time of the request for the application;

20 (6) A statement certifying the odometer reading of the motor vehicle if less than ten years
21 of age; and

22 (7) A surety bond or a suitable financial security instrument in a form prescribed by the
23 director of revenue and executed by the applicant and a person authorized to conduct surety
24 business in this state. The bond shall be an amount equal to two times the value of the vehicle
25 as determined by the Kelly Blue Book, NADA Used Car Guide or two appraisals from a licensed
26 motor vehicle dealer. The bond shall be for a minimum of one hundred dollars and conditioned
27 to indemnify any prior owner or lienholder and any subsequent purchaser of the vehicle or person
28 acquiring any security interest in it, and their respective successors in interest, against any
29 expense, loss or damage including reasonable attorneys fees, by reason of the issuance of the
30 certificate of ownership of the vehicle or on account of any defect in or undisclosed security
31 interest upon the right, title and interest of the applicant in and to the vehicle. Any such
32 interested person has a right of action to recover on the bond for any breach of its conditions, but
33 the aggregate liability of the surety to all persons shall not exceed the amount of the bond. The
34 bond shall be returned at the end of three years, unless the department has been notified of the
35 pendency of an action to recover on the bond.

36 2. Upon satisfaction with the genuineness of the application and supporting documents,
37 the director of revenue shall issue a new certificate of ownership. The certificate of ownership
38 shall appropriately be designated with the words "BONDED VEHICLE".

301.215. 1. When the holder of any indebtedness secured by a security agreement or
2 other contract for security covering a motor vehicle or trailer repossesses the motor vehicle or
3 trailer either by legal process or in accordance with the terms of a contract authorizing the
4 repossession of the vehicle without legal process, the holder may obtain a certificate of
5 ownership from the director of revenue upon presentation of (1) an application which shall be
6 upon a blank form furnished by the director of revenue and shall contain a full description of the
7 motor vehicle or trailer and the manufacturer's or other identifying number; (2) [an affidavit] **a**
8 **statement** of the holder that the debtor defaulted in payment of the debt, and that the holder
9 repossessed the motor vehicle or trailer either by legal process or in accordance with the terms
10 of the contract, and the specific address where the vehicle or trailer is held; and (3) the original
11 or a conformed or photostatic copy of the original of the security agreement or other contract for
12 security and the instrument or instruments evidencing the indebtedness secured by the security
13 agreement or other contract for security. The director may by regulation prescribe for the
14 inclusion in either or both the application or [affidavit] **statement** any other information [that
15 he from time to time deems] **deemed** necessary or advisable and may prescribe that the
16 [affidavit] **statement** be part of the application.

17 2. Upon the holder's presentation of the papers and payment of a fee of ten dollars, the
18 director of revenue, if [he is] satisfied with the genuineness of the papers, shall issue and deliver
19 to the holder a certificate of ownership which shall be in its usual form except it shall be clearly

20 captioned "Repossessed Title"; provided, however, that unless the application is accompanied
21 by the written consent, acknowledged before an officer authorized to take acknowledgments, of
22 the owners and other lienholders, if any, of the motor vehicle or trailer as shown by the last prior
23 certificate of ownership, if any, issued on the motor vehicle or trailer, for the issuance of a
24 repossessed title to the applicant, no such repossessed title may be issued by the director of
25 revenue unless the director shall first give ten days' written notice by first class United States
26 mail postage prepaid to each of the owners and other lienholders, if any, of the motor vehicle or
27 trailer at each of their last mailing addresses as shown by the last prior certificate of ownership,
28 if any, issued on the motor vehicle or trailer, that an application for a repossessed title has been
29 made and the date the repossessed title will be issued, and the notice shall be accompanied by
30 a copy, photostatic or otherwise, of each the application and [affidavit] **statement**. The
31 application for repossessed title may be withdrawn by the applicant at any time before the
32 granting thereof. Each repossessed title so issued shall for all purposes be treated as an original
33 certificate of ownership and shall supersede the outstanding certificate of ownership, if any, and
34 duplicates thereof, if any, on the motor vehicle or trailer, all of which shall become null and void.

35 3. In any case where there is no certificate of ownership or duplicate thereof outstanding
36 in the name of the debtor on the repossessed motor vehicle or trailer, the director of revenue shall
37 issue a repossessed title to the holder and shall proceed to collect all unpaid fees, taxes, charges
38 and penalties from the debtor as provided in section 301.190.

301.300. 1. In event of the loss, theft, mutilation or destruction of any certificate of
2 ownership, number plate, tab or set of tabs issued by the director of revenue, the lawful holder
3 thereof shall, within five days, file with the director of revenue, [an affidavit] **a statement**
4 showing such fact, and shall, on the payment of a fee of eight dollars and fifty cents, obtain a
5 duplicate or replacement of such plate, certificate, tab or set of tabs. Any duplicate certificate
6 issued for any "motor vehicle primarily for business use", as defined in section 301.010, shall
7 be issued only to the owner of record.

8 2. Upon filing [affidavit] **a statement** of lost, stolen, mutilated or destroyed certificate
9 of registration, the director of revenue shall issue to the lawful owner a duplicate or replacement
10 thereof upon payment of a fee of eight dollars and fifty cents.

11 3. Vehicle owners who elect not to transfer or renew multiyear plates shall be charged
12 a fee equal to that charged for a lost plate in addition to the registration fee prescribed by law at
13 the time the new plate or plates are issued.

301.340. 1. Municipalities, by ordinance, may levy and collect license taxes from the
2 owners of and dealers in motor vehicles, residing in such municipalities, and may require the
3 display of license plates or stickers. Municipal license taxes, including the cost of plates, stickers
4 and notarial fees shall not exceed the amounts in effect on September 28, 1985, or the amounts

5 approved by the voters of the municipality on or after September 28, 1985, whichever is greater.

6 2. Upon approval of the voters of any city, the amount of the motor vehicle license tax
7 imposed by such city shall be:

8 (1) Uniform for all motor vehicles; or

9 (2) At three different rates for passenger cars, trucks, and motorcycles; or

10 (3) At rates which are based on the horsepower of motor vehicles other than commercial
11 motor vehicles and the tonnage of commercial motor vehicles.

12 3. Other provisions of the law to the contrary notwithstanding, any motor vehicle license
13 tax imposed by any city may, by ordinance recommended by the license collector of such city,
14 be included as a charge on bills issued for personal property taxes and may be collected, with and
15 in the same payment as personal property taxes, by the collector of revenue. The collector of
16 revenue may collect delinquent receipts of such motor vehicle license taxes, and penalties
17 thereon, in the same manner and form as provided by law for the collection of delinquent ad
18 valorem property taxes.

19 4. No municipal license tax shall be collected from a resident of any municipality for
20 motor vehicles used exclusively outside of such municipality, and that fact may be shown by [an
21 affidavit] **a statement** of the motor vehicle owner for the purpose of securing a state registration
22 certificate without producing a receipt for municipal license taxes. When the owner of any motor
23 vehicle or trailer, or chauffeur, or registered operator shall have complied with the requirements
24 of this section, [he] **such person** shall not be required to pay any license tax or fee to any
25 municipality, or to submit to any other requirement, except as authorized by this section, in any
26 municipality of this state.

27 5. Municipalities may impose occupation taxes on the business of transporting
28 passengers, freight and merchandise for hire carried on within their limits, and may measure such
29 taxes by the number of motor vehicles engaged in such transportation.

30 6. At no time shall any municipality propose a percentage increase in the municipal
31 license tax on commercial motor vehicles higher than that of other motor vehicles.

32 7. In lieu of the license tax prescribed pursuant to this section, the governing body of any
33 city in which the voters of the city have approved such a license tax may submit to the qualified
34 voters of the city a proposal to either increase the city property tax levy imposed pursuant to
35 sections 94.010 to 94.330, RSMo, or increase the city sales tax levied pursuant to sections 94.510
36 to 94.550, RSMo, by an amount to generate approximately the same amount of revenue as the
37 license tax prescribed by this section generates. No such proposal shall become effective unless
38 and until the majority of the qualified voters in the city approve such proposal at a citywide
39 election held for such purpose. Any proposal approved by the voters shall cause the property or
40 sales tax to increase by the approved amount and shall cause the motor vehicle license tax

41 imposed pursuant to this section to be eliminated in that city.

2 **301.352. Any person who makes a false statement or declaration to the director of**
3 **revenue pursuant to any provisions of sections 301.010 to 301.800 shall be guilty of a class**
4 **A misdemeanor.**

2 301.370. 1. Nothing in sections 301.010 to 301.440 shall be construed to prohibit the
3 owner of a duly registered motor vehicle from removing the motor or engine from such vehicle
4 and replacing it with a new or reconditioned motor or engine of the same make or manufacture.

4 2. The owner and the person removing and replacing such motor or engine shall join in
5 [an affidavit] **a statement** showing the number of the motor or engine removed, the date of
6 removal, the reason for removal, and a description of the motor or engine replaced in the vehicle.

7 3. If the motor to be installed is a reconditioned motor, it shall bear the same number as
8 the motor removed but shall be preceded by the symbol "RC". If the motor installed is a new
9 motor, it shall bear a special number to be secured as provided in section 301.380.

10 4. The [affidavit] **statement**, together with the original certificate of title, shall be sent
11 to the director of revenue at Jefferson City, Missouri, with a fee of one dollar for registering such
12 change of motor or engine. The director of revenue shall file the [affidavit] **statement** and
13 certificate in [his] **the director's** office and shall issue and deliver a new certificate of title to the
14 owner.

15 5. The owner of a motor vehicle that is identified on the appropriate Missouri certificate
16 of ownership by a manufacturer's number other than the engine or motor number shall be exempt
17 from the provisions of subsections 2, 3 and 4.

18 6. The director of revenue may adopt and enforce the rules and regulations, compatible
19 with this chapter, that he deems necessary to properly administer this section.

2 301.441. Any person who is a retired member of the United States Army, Navy, Air
3 Force, Marine Corps or Coast Guard may apply for [issuance of special] **retired military** motor
4 vehicle license plates for any [passenger motor vehicle subject to the registration fees provided
5 in section 301.055, or for a nonlocal property carrying] **motor vehicle the person owns, either**
6 **solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a** commercial motor vehicle
7 licensed [for a gross weight of nine thousand one pounds to twelve] **in excess of eighteen**
8 **thousand pounds [as provided in section 301.057, whether such vehicle is owned solely or**
9 **jointly] gross weight. There shall be no limit on the number of license plates any person**
10 **qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set of license plates issued**
11 **pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person. No**
12 **additional fee shall be charged for [a set of special] license plates issued pursuant to this section.**
13 **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for**
the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section. Such person shall make

14 application for the [special] license plates on a form provided by the director of revenue and
15 furnish such proof of retired status from that particular branch of the United States armed forces
16 as the director may require. The plates shall have a white background with a blue and red
17 configuration [at the discretion of the advisory committee established in section 301.129]. The
18 director shall then issue license plates bearing the words "RETIRED MILITARY" in preference
19 to the words "SHOW-ME STATE" [in a form prescribed by the advisory committee established
20 in section 301.129]. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material, shall be
21 clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

301.443. 1. Any legal resident of the state of Missouri who is a veteran of service in the
2 armed forces of the United States and has been honorably discharged from such service and who
3 is a former prisoner of war and any legal resident of the state of Missouri who is a former
4 prisoner of war and who was a United States citizen not in the armed forces of the United States
5 during such time is, upon filing an application for registration together with such information and
6 proof in the form of a statement from the United States Veterans Administration or the
7 Department of Defense or any other form of proof as the director may require, entitled to receive
8 annually one certificate of registration and one set of license plates or other evidence of
9 registration as provided in section 301.130 for [a motor] **any vehicle the person owns, either**
10 **solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or** a commercial motor vehicle
11 licensed in excess of [twelve] **eighteen** thousand pounds gross weight. There shall be no fee
12 charged for **the first set of** license plates issued [under the provisions of] **pursuant to** this
13 section, **but a fee of fifteen dollars in addition to the regular registration fees may be**
14 **charged for each subsequent set of license plates issued pursuant to this section for each**
15 **other vehicle owned and titled to such person. Notwithstanding the provisions of section**
16 **301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates issued**
17 **pursuant to this section.**

18 2. [Not more than one certificate of registration and one corresponding set of motor
19 vehicle license plates or other evidence of registration as provided in section 301.130 shall be
20 issued each year to a qualified former prisoner of war under this section.] **There shall be no**
21 **limit on the number of license plates any person qualified pursuant to this section may**
22 **obtain so long as each set of license plates issued pursuant to this section is issued for**
23 **vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person.**

24 3. Proof of ownership and vehicle inspection of the particular motor vehicle for which
25 a registration certificate and set of license plates is requested must be shown at the time of
26 application. Proof of status as a former prisoner of war as required in subsection 1 of this section
27 shall only be required on the initial application.

28 4. As used in this section, "former prisoner of war" means any person who was taken as

29 an enemy prisoner during World War I, World War II, the Korean Conflict, or the Vietnam
30 Conflict.

31 5. The director shall furnish each former prisoner of war obtaining a set of license plates
32 [~~under the provisions of~~] **pursuant to** subsections 1 to 4 of this section [~~special~~] plates which
33 shall have the words "FORMER P.O.W." on the license plates in preference to the words
34 "SHOW-ME STATE" [as provided in section 301.130 in a form prescribed by the advisory
35 committee established in section 301.129]. Such license plates shall be made with fully
36 reflective material, shall have a white background with a blue and red configuration [at the
37 discretion of the advisory committee established in section 301.129], shall be clearly visible at
38 night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

39 6. Registration certificates and license plates issued [~~under the provisions of~~] **pursuant**
40 **to** this section shall not be transferable to any other person except that any registered co-owner
41 of the motor vehicle will be entitled to operate the motor vehicle for the duration of the year
42 licensed in the event of the death of the qualified former prisoner of war.

43 7. (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 6 of this section to the contrary, the
44 surviving spouse of a former prisoner of war who has not remarried and who has been issued
45 license plates described in subsection 5 of this section shall be entitled to transfer such license
46 plates to the motor [~~vehicle~~] **vehicles** of the surviving spouse and receive annually one certificate
47 of registration and one set of license plates or other evidence of registration as provided in
48 section 301.130 **per vehicle owned by and titled to such spouse** as if a former prisoner of war
49 until remarriage. There shall be no fee charged for the transfer of such license plates.

50 (2) The department of revenue shall promulgate rules for the obtaining of a set of license
51 plates described in subsection 5 of this section by the surviving spouse of the former prisoner of
52 war when such license plates are not issued prior to the death of the former prisoner of war. The
53 surviving spouse shall be entitled to receive annually one certificate of registration and one set
54 of license plates or other evidence of registration as provided in section 301.130 **per vehicle**
55 **owned by and titled to such spouse** as if a former prisoner of war until remarriage. There shall
56 be no fee charged for the license plates issued pursuant to this subdivision, **but a fee of fifteen**
57 **dollars in addition to the regular registration fees may be charged for each subsequent set**
58 **of license plates issued pursuant to this subdivision for each other vehicle owned and titled**
59 **to such spouse. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall**
60 **be charged for the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.**

301.444. 1. Owners or a joint owner of motor vehicles who are residents of the state of
2 Missouri, and who are directors of a fire protection district or who are compensated, partially
3 compensated or volunteer members of any fire department, fire protection district or voluntary
4 fire protection association in this state, upon application accompanied by [~~affidavit~~] **a statement**

5 as prescribed in this section, complying with the state motor vehicle laws relating to registration
6 and licensing of motor vehicles, and upon payment of a fee as prescribed in this section, shall
7 be issued [a set of] license plates for [noncommercial vehicles or a commercial motor vehicle
8 licensed for no more than twelve thousand pounds] **any motor vehicle other than an**
9 **apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen**
10 **thousand pounds gross weight.** The license plates shall be inscribed with a variation of the
11 Maltese cross that signifies the universally recognized symbol for firefighters. In addition, upon
12 such set of license plates shall be inscribed, in lieu of the words "Show-Me State", the word
13 "FIREFIGHTER" in addition to a combination of letters and numbers [in a form prescribed by
14 the advisory committee established in section 301.129]. Such license plates shall be made with
15 fully reflective material, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as
16 prescribed by section 301.130.

17 2. Applications for license plates issued [under] **pursuant to** this section shall be made
18 to the director of revenue and shall be accompanied by [an affidavit] **a statement** stating that the
19 applicant is a person described in subsection 1 of this section. Any person who is lawfully in
20 possession of such plates who resigns, is removed, or otherwise terminates or is terminated from
21 [his] **such person's** association with such fire department, fire protection district or voluntary
22 fire protection association shall return such [special] plates to the director within fifteen days.

23 3. [An additional annual fee equal to that charged for personalized license plates in
24 section 301.144] **A fee of fifteen dollars in addition to the regular registration fees** shall be
25 paid to the director of revenue for the issuance of the license plates provided for in this section.
26 **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for**
27 **the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section. There shall be no limit**
28 **on the number of license plates any person qualified pursuant to this section may obtain**
29 **so long as each set of license plates issued pursuant to this section are issued for vehicles**
30 **owned solely or jointly by such person.**

301.445. Any person who has been awarded the combat infantry badge may apply for
2 [special] **combat infantryman** motor vehicle license plates for any vehicle such person owns,
3 either solely or jointly, [for issuance either to passenger motor vehicles subject to the registration
4 fees provided in section 301.055, or for a nonlocal property-carrying] **other than an**
5 **apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross weight not in**
6 **excess of twelve] in excess of eighteen** thousand pounds [as provided in section 301.057] **gross**
7 **weight.** Any such person shall make application for the special license plates on a form provided
8 by the director of revenue and furnish such proof as a recipient of the combat infantry badge as
9 the director may require. **Upon presentation of proof of eligibility,** the director shall then issue
10 license plates bearing the words "COMBAT INFANTRYMAN" in place of the words

11 "SHOW-ME STATE" [in a form prescribed by the director, except that such license plates shall
12 be made with fully reflective material, shall have a white background with a blue and red
13 configuration at the discretion of the director, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be
14 aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130]. Such plates shall also bear an image
15 of the combat infantry badge[. There shall be an additional fee charged for each set of special
16 combat infantry badge license plates issued equal to the fee charged for personalized license
17 plates in section 301.144. No more than one set of combat infantry badge license plates shall be
18 issued to a qualified applicant.] **and shall have a common blue and white color scheme and**
19 **design in a manner prescribed by the director of the department of revenue. There shall**
20 **be a fee of fifteen dollars in addition to the regular registration fees charged for plates**
21 **issued pursuant to this section. There shall be no limit on the number of license plates any**
22 **person qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set of license plates**
23 **issued pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person.**
24 License plates issued pursuant to the provisions of this section shall not be transferable to any
25 other person except that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle shall be entitled to operate
26 the motor vehicle with such plates for the duration of the year licensed in the event of the death
27 of the qualified person.

301.447. 1. Any member of the United States Military Service who was stationed on or
2 within three miles of the Hawaiian Island of Oahu on December 7, 1941, during the enemy attack
3 on Pearl Harbor and other related military installations may apply for [special] **Pearl Harbor**
4 motor vehicle license plates for [one] **any vehicle [he] such person** owns, either solely or jointly,
5 [as provided in this section] **other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor**
6 **vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight.** Any such person shall
7 make application for the [special] license plates on a form provided by the director of revenue
8 and pay [an additional fee equal to the fee charged for personalized license plates in section
9 301.144 for the issuance of the license plates provided for herein] **a fee of fifteen dollars in**
10 **addition to the regular registration fees charged for plates issued pursuant to this section.**
11 **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for**
12 **the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** Applications for license
13 plates issued [under] **pursuant to** this section shall be accompanied by such proof of eligibility
14 as the director may require.

15 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.130, each such license plate shall be
16 embossed with the words "PEARL HARBOR SURVIVOR" at the bottom of the plate [in the
17 form prescribed by the advisory committee established in section 301.129]. Such license plates
18 shall be made with fully reflective material, shall have a white background with a blue and red
19 configuration [at the discretion of the advisory committee established in section 301.129], shall

20 be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.
21 [Such plates shall be available for issuance either to passenger motor vehicles subject to the
22 registration fees provided in section 301.055, or to nonlocal property-carrying commercial motor
23 vehicles licensed for a gross weight of six thousand pounds up through and including twelve
24 thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057.]

25 3. [No more than one set of Pearl Harbor survivor plates shall be issued to a qualified
26 applicant] **There shall be no limit on the number of license plates any person qualified**
27 **pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set of license plates issued pursuant to**
28 **this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person.** License plates
29 issued [under] **pursuant to** the provisions of this section shall not be transferable to any other
30 person except as provided herein. Any registered co-owner of a motor vehicle will be entitled
31 to operate the motor vehicle for the duration of the year licensed in the event of the death of the
32 qualified applicant. Pearl Harbor survivor plates issued [under] **pursuant to** the provisions of
33 this section shall be transferable only to a widow or widower of a Pearl Harbor survivor.

301.448. Any person who has served and was honorably discharged or currently serves
2 in any branch of the United States armed forces or reserves, the United States Coast Guard or
3 reserve, the United States Merchant Marines or reserve or the Missouri national guard, or any
4 subdivision of any of such services or a member of the United States Marine Corps League may
5 apply for [special] motor vehicle license plates **pursuant to this section for any vehicle the**
6 **person owns**, either solely or jointly, [for issuance either to passenger motor vehicles subject to
7 the registration fees provided in section 301.055, or to nonlocal property-carrying] **other than**
8 **an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor [vehicles] vehicle** licensed [for a gross
9 weight of six thousand pounds up through and including twelve] **in excess of eighteen** thousand
10 pounds [as provided in section 301.057] **gross weight.** Any such person shall make application
11 for the [special] license plates **authorized by this section** on a form provided by the director of
12 revenue and furnish such proof that such person is a member or former member of any such
13 branch of service as the director may require. Upon presentation of the proof of eligibility and
14 annual payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in section 301.144, and other]
15 **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees and presentation of documents**
16 which may be required by law, the department shall issue personalized license plates which shall
17 bear the seal, logo or emblem, along with a word or words designating the branch or subdivision
18 of such service for which the person applies. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section**
19 **301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates issued**
20 **pursuant to this section.** All seals, logos, emblems or special symbols shall become an integral
21 part of the license plate; however, no plate shall contain more than one seal, logo, emblem or
22 special symbol and the design of such plates shall be approved by the [advisory committee]

23 established in section 301.129] **director of revenue** and by the branch or subdivision of such
24 service or the Marine Corps League prior to issuing such plates. The plates shall have a white
25 background with a blue and red configuration [at the discretion of the advisory committee
26 established in section 301.129]. The bidding process used to select a vendor for the material to
27 manufacture the license plates authorized by this section shall consider the aesthetic appearance
28 of the plate. The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and regulations for the
29 enforcement of this section, and shall design all necessary forms. [The director of revenue shall
30 not authorize the manufacture of the material to produce such license plates with the individual
31 seal, logo, or emblem until such time he has received one hundred applications for such plates
32 for each branch or subdivision of such service. License plates indicating army reserve, naval
33 reserve, air force reserve, marine corps reserve, coast guard reserve, issued prior to January 1,
34 1994, will still be in full force and effect until such time the one hundred minimum applications
35 for such branch of service is met.] All license plates issued [under] **pursuant to** this provision
36 must be renewed in accordance with law. License plates issued under the provisions of this
37 section shall not be transferable to any other person, except that any registered co-owner of the
38 motor vehicle shall be entitled to operate the motor vehicle for the duration of the year licensed,
39 in the event of the death of the qualified applicant. **There shall be no limit on the number of**
40 **license plates any person qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set**
41 **of license plates issued pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly**
42 **by such person.**

301.449. Any community college or four-year public or private institution of higher
2 education located in the state of Missouri may authorize the use of its official emblem to be
3 affixed on multiyear personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution
4 to such institution derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used
5 for scholarship endowment or other academically related purposes. Any vehicle owner may
6 annually apply to the institution for the use of the emblem. Upon annual application and
7 payment of an emblem use contribution to the institution, which shall be set by the governing
8 body of the institution at an amount of at least twenty-five dollars, the institution shall issue to
9 the vehicle owner, without further charge, an "emblem use authorization statement", which shall
10 be presented by the vehicle owner to the department of revenue at the time of registration. Upon
11 presentation of the annual statement and payment of the [fee required for personalized license
12 plates in section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration**
13 **fees and presentation of** documents which may be required by law, the department of revenue
14 shall issue a personalized license plate, which shall bear the seal, emblem or logo of the
15 institution, to the vehicle owner. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no**
16 **additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to**

17 **this section.** The license plate authorized by this section shall use the school colors of the
18 institution, and those colors shall be constructed upon the license plate using a process to ensure
19 that the school emblem shall be displayed upon the license plate in the clearest and most
20 attractive manner possible. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with
21 a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically
22 attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. The license plate authorized by this section shall
23 be issued with a design approved by both the institution of higher education and the [advisory
24 committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue.** A vehicle owner, who was
25 previously issued a plate with an institutional emblem authorized by this section and does not
26 provide an emblem use authorization statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be
27 issued a new plate which does not bear the institutional emblem, as otherwise provided by law.
28 The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and regulations for the enforcement of this
29 section, and shall design all necessary forms including establishing a minimum number of license
30 plates which can be issued with the authorized emblem of a participating institution.

301.451. Any person who has been awarded the purple heart medal may apply for
2 [special] **purple heart** motor vehicle license plates for any vehicle [he] **such person** owns, either
3 solely or jointly, other than **an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial [vehicles weighing**
4 **over twelve thousand pounds] motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds**
5 **gross weight.** Any such person shall make application for the [special] license plates on a form
6 provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof as a recipient of the purple heart
7 medal as the director may require. The director shall then issue license plates bearing letters or
8 numbers or a combination thereof, with the words "PURPLE HEART" in place of the words
9 "SHOW-ME STATE" [in a form prescribed by the advisory committee established in section
10 301.129]. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color
11 scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as
12 prescribed by section 301.130. There shall be [an additional] **a fee of fifteen dollars in addition**
13 **to the regular registration fees** charged for each set of [special] purple heart license plates
14 [issued equal to the fee charged for personalized license plates], but the additional fee shall only
15 have to be paid once by the qualified applicant at the time of initial application. [No more than
16 two sets of purple heart license plates shall be issued to a qualified applicant.] **Notwithstanding**
17 **the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization**
18 **of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** License plates issued [under] **pursuant to**
19 the provisions of this section shall not be transferable to any other person except that any
20 registered co-owner of the motor vehicle shall be entitled to operate the motor vehicle for the
21 duration of the year licensed in the event of the death of the qualified person.

301.453. 1. Any member of the general assembly of the state of Missouri while holding

2 office, upon application [and], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in
3 section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees and**
4 **presentation of** documents which may be required by law, may apply for [special personalized]
5 license plates bearing the state seal in gold and black colors along with the words
6 "Representative" or "Senator" in preference to the words "Show-Me State" **for any vehicle the**
7 **member owns, either solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a**
8 **commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight.** The
9 director of revenue shall annually set aside [special personalized] license plates bearing the
10 letters and numbers S-1 to S-34 and S01 to S034, R-1 to R-163 and R01 to R0163 to be issued
11 to a member of the general assembly of the state of Missouri while such member is holding that
12 office, upon such member's written request. For the first set of [special personalized] license
13 plates issued to a member of the general assembly, such plates shall bear the letter "S" and the
14 number of the senator's district for a member of the state senate or the letter "R" and the number
15 of the representative's district for a member of the house of representatives and for the second
16 set of plates issued to a member of the general assembly, such plates shall bear the letter "S" and
17 the number of the senator's district preceded by the numeral "0" for a member of the state senate
18 or the letter "R" and the number of the representative's district preceded by the numeral "0" for
19 a member of the house of representatives. Only two sets of such plates may be issued to any one
20 member of the general assembly.

21 2. Any member of the United States Congress while [he] **the member** is holding that
22 office, upon [his] written request and upon a payment of [the additional fee required for
23 personalized plates in section 301.144] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular**
24 **registration fees,** may apply for [special personalized] license plates bearing the state seal in
25 gold and black along with the words "Member of Congress" instead of the words "Show-Me
26 State" and either the letters and numbers "USS1" and "USS2" for the senior and junior United
27 States Senators from Missouri, respectively, or, in the case of members of the United States
28 House of Representatives, bearing the letters "USC" together with the number of the
29 representative's district **for any vehicle the member owns, either solely or jointly, other than**
30 **an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen**
31 **thousand pounds gross weight.** Only one set of such plates may be issued to any one
32 individual congressman.

33 3. The director shall annually set aside [special personalized] license plates bearing the
34 state seal in gold and black and the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 along with the words "Governor",
35 "Lieutenant Governor", "Secretary of State", "State Auditor", "State Treasurer" and "Attorney
36 General" in preference to the words "Show-Me State" to be issued to the governor, lieutenant
37 governor, secretary of state, state auditor, state treasurer, and attorney general, respectively, upon

38 written request and upon payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in section
39 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration** fees and
40 documents as may be required by law. These plates shall be held by the appropriate public
41 official only while such person remains in that office. Upon leaving that office the public official
42 shall surrender the [personalized] license plates to the director, who shall make them available
43 as provided in this subsection to the succeeding public official.

44 4. All [special] license plates issued [under] **pursuant to** this section shall be made with
45 fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night,
46 and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

301.454. Any school or nonprofit organization connected with and designated by a
2 school located in this state may authorize the use of the "helping schools" official emblem
3 described in this section to be affixed on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in
4 this section. Any vehicle owner may annually apply to a participating school or designated
5 nonprofit organization for the use of the emblem. Upon annual application and payment of a
6 fifteen dollar emblem-use contribution to any participating school or designated nonprofit
7 organization, such school or nonprofit organization shall issue to the vehicle owner, without
8 further charge, an "emblem-use authorization statement", which shall be presented by the vehicle
9 owner to the department of revenue at the time of registration. Upon presentation of the annual
10 statement [and], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in section 301.144,
11 and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration** fees and documents
12 which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a personalized license plate,
13 which shall bear the "helping schools" emblem described in this section, to the vehicle owner.
14 **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for**
15 **the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** Each such license plate
16 shall be embossed with the words "HELPING SCHOOLS" at the bottom of the plate. The
17 license plate authorized by this section shall be made with fully reflective material with a
18 common color scheme and design approved by both the department of elementary and secondary
19 education and the [advisory committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue**;
20 however, it shall include an emblem depicting books or other scholastic equipment or materials,
21 as determined appropriate by the department of elementary and secondary education. The plates
22 shall be clearly visible at night and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section
23 301.130. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the emblem authorized by
24 this section who does not provide an emblem-use authorization statement at a subsequent time
25 of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear the prescribed emblem, as
26 otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and regulations
27 for the enforcement of this section and shall design all necessary forms. Any contribution to a

28 school or designated nonprofit organization derived from this section may be used for any
29 academically related purpose deemed appropriate by the school or nonprofit organization.

301.456. Any person who has been awarded the military service award known as the
2 "Silver Star" may apply for [special] **silver star** motor vehicle license plates for any vehicle such
3 person owns, either solely or jointly, [for issuance either to passenger motor vehicles subject to
4 the registration fees provided in section 301.055 or for a nonlocal property-carrying] **other than**
5 **an apportioned motor vehicle or a** commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross weight of
6 nine thousand one pounds to twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057] **in excess**
7 **of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight.** Any such person shall make application for the
8 special license plates on a form provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof as a
9 recipient of the silver star as the director may require. The director shall then issue license plates
10 bearing letters or numbers or a combination thereof [as determined by the advisory committee
11 established in section 301.129], with the words "SILVER STAR" in place of the words
12 "SHOW-ME STATE". Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a
13 common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically
14 attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Such plates shall also bear an image of the silver
15 star. There shall be [an additional fee] **a fee of fifteen dollars in addition to the regular**
16 **registration fees** charged for each set of silver star license plates issued pursuant to this section
17 [equal to the fee charged for personalized license plates. No more than one set of silver star
18 license plates shall be issued to a qualified applicant]. **Notwithstanding the provisions of**
19 **section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates**
20 **issued pursuant to this section. There shall be no limit on the number of license plates any**
21 **person qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set of license plates**
22 **issued pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person.**
23 License plates issued [under] **pursuant to** the provisions of this section shall not be transferable
24 to any other person except that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle shall be entitled to
25 operate the motor vehicle with such plates for the duration of the year licensed in the event of
26 the death of the qualified person.

301.457. Any person who served in the Vietnam Conflict and either currently serves in
2 any branch of the United States armed forces or was honorably discharged from such service may
3 apply for [special] **Vietnam veteran** motor vehicle license plates **for any vehicle the person**
4 **owns**, either solely or jointly, [for issuance either for any passenger motor vehicle subject to the
5 registration fees provided in section 301.055 or for a nonlocal property-carrying] **other than an**
6 **apportioned motor vehicle or a** commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross weight of nine
7 thousand one pounds to twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057, whether such
8 vehicle is owned solely or jointly] **in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight.** Any

9 such person shall make application for the [special] license plates on a form provided by the
10 director of revenue and furnish such proof of service in the Vietnam Conflict and status as
11 currently serving in a branch of the armed forces of the United States or as an honorably
12 discharged veteran as the director may require. Upon presentation of the proof of eligibility [and
13 annual payment of the fee required for personalized license plates prescribed by section 301.144,
14 and other], **payment of a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration** fees and
15 **presentation of documents** which may be required by law, the director shall [then] issue license
16 plates bearing letters or numbers or a combination thereof [as determined by the advisory
17 committee established in section 301.129], with the words "VIETNAM VETERAN" in place of
18 the words "SHOW-ME STATE". **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no**
19 **additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to**
20 **this section.** Such plates shall also bear an image of the Vietnam service medal. The plates shall
21 be clearly visible at night and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.
22 [No more than one set of special license plates shall be issued pursuant to this section to a
23 qualified applicant.] **There shall be no limit on the number of license plates any person**
24 **qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long as each set of license plates issued**
25 **pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person.**
26 License plates issued pursuant to this section shall not be transferable to any other person except
27 that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle may operate the motor vehicle for the duration
28 of the year licensed in the event of the death of the qualified person.

301.458. 1. Any member of a lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge Ancient,
2 Free and Accepted Masons, which shall include the Prince Hall Masons, of the state of Missouri
3 may receive [special] **motor vehicle** license plates as prescribed in this section after an annual
4 payment of an emblem use authorization fee to the Grand Lodge Ancient, Free and Accepted
5 Masons **or the Prince Hall Masons** of the state of Missouri. The grand [lodge] **lodges** described
6 in this section hereby [authorizes] **authorize** the use of [its] **their** official emblem to be affixed
7 on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution to [such]
8 **a** grand lodge derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used
9 solely for one or more of the grand lodge's charitable programs. Any member of a lodge under
10 the jurisdiction of the grand lodge may annually apply to [the] **a** grand lodge for the use of the
11 emblem.

12 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution
13 to [the] **a** grand lodge, [the] **such** grand lodge shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further
14 charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the member to the
15 department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation of the
16 annual statement [and], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in section

17 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees and**
18 **presentation of** documents which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue
19 a personalized license plate, which shall bear the emblem of the grand lodge, to the vehicle
20 owner. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be**
21 **charged for the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.**

22 3. The license plate authorized by this section shall be in a form prescribed by the
23 [advisory committee established in section 301.129], except that such license plates shall be
24 made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly
25 visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. The
26 bidding process used to select a vendor for the material to manufacture the license plates
27 authorized by this section shall consider the aesthetic appearance of the plate.

28 4. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the grand lodge emblem
29 authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization statement at
30 a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear the grand lodge
31 emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and
32 regulations for the enforcement of this section, and shall design all necessary forms required by
33 this section.

301.459. 1. Any member of the Knights of Columbus of the state of Missouri may
2 receive [special] **motor vehicle** license plates as prescribed in this section after an annual
3 payment of an emblem-use authorization fee to the Knights of Columbus. The Knights of
4 Columbus hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be affixed on [multiyear]
5 personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution to the Knights of
6 Columbus derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used solely
7 for the educational programs or purposes of the Knights of Columbus. Any member of the
8 Knights of Columbus may annually apply for the use of the emblem.

9 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution
10 to the Knights of Columbus, the Knights of Columbus shall issue to the vehicle owner, without
11 further charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the member
12 to the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation
13 of the annual statement [and], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in
14 section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees and**
15 **presentation of** documents which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue
16 a personalized license plate, which shall bear the emblem of the Knights of Columbus in a form
17 prescribed by the [advisory committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue** to
18 the vehicle owner. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall**
19 **be charged for the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** Such

20 license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and
21 design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by
22 section 301.130.

23 3. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the Knights of Columbus
24 emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization
25 statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear
26 the Knights of Columbus emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall
27 make necessary rules and regulations for the enforcement of this section, and shall design all
28 necessary forms required by this section.

301.461. 1. Any member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles of the state of Missouri may
2 receive [special] **motor vehicle** license plates as prescribed in this section after an annual
3 payment of an emblem-use authorization fee to the Fraternal Order of Eagles. The Fraternal
4 Order of Eagles hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be affixed on [multiyear]
5 personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution to the Fraternal Order
6 of Eagles derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used solely
7 for the educational programs or purposes of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Any member of the
8 Fraternal Order of Eagles may annually apply for the use of the emblem.

9 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution
10 to the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the Fraternal Order of Eagles shall issue to the vehicle owner,
11 without further charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the
12 member to the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon
13 presentation of the annual statement [and], payment of [the fee required for personalized license
14 plates in section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration**
15 **fees and presentation of documents** which may be required by law, the department of revenue
16 shall issue a personalized license plate, which shall bear the emblem of the Fraternal Order of
17 Eagles in a form prescribed by [the advisory committee established in section 301.129] **director**
18 **of revenue** to the vehicle owner. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no**
19 **additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to**
20 **this section.** Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common
21 color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as
22 prescribed by section 301.130.

23 3. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the Fraternal Order of Eagles
24 emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization
25 statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear
26 the Fraternal Order of Eagles emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue
27 shall make necessary rules and regulations for the enforcement of this section, and shall design

28 all necessary forms required by this section.

301.462. 1. Any member of a lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of Missouri Order of the Eastern Star may receive [special] **motor vehicle** license plates as prescribed in this section after an annual payment of an emblem-use authorization fee to the Grand Chapter of Missouri Order of the Eastern Star. The grand chapter described in this section hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be affixed on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution to such grand chapter derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used solely for one or more of the grand chapter's charitable programs. Any member of a lodge under the jurisdiction of the grand chapter may annually apply to the grand chapter for the use of the emblem.

2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution to the grand chapter, the grand chapter shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the member to the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation of the annual statement [and], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees and presentation of documents** which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a personalized license plate, which shall bear the emblem of the grand chapter, to the vehicle owner. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged with the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.**

3. The license plate authorized by this section shall be in a form prescribed by the [advisory committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue**, except that such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. The bidding process used to select a vendor for the material to manufacture the license plates authorized by this section shall consider the aesthetic appearance of the plate.

4. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the grand chapter emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear the grand chapter emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and regulations for the enforcement of this section, and shall design all necessary forms required by this section.

301.463. The children's trust fund board established in section 210.170, RSMo, may authorize the use of their logo to be incorporated on multiyear [personalized] license plates as provided in this section. The license plate shall contain an emblem designed by the board depicting two handprints of a child and the words "Children's Trust Fund" and the children's trust

5 fund logo in preference to the words "SHOW-ME STATE". The license plates shall have a
6 common background and shall bear as many letters and numbers as will fit on the plate without
7 damaging the plate's aesthetic appearance as determined by the director of revenue. Any vehicle
8 owner may annually apply to the board **or director** for the use of the logo. **Application for use**
9 **of the logo and payment of the twenty-five dollar contribution may also be made at the**
10 **time of registration to the director, who shall deposit such contribution in the state treasury**
11 **to the credit of the children's trust fund.** Upon annual application and payment of a
12 twenty-five dollar logo use contribution to the board, the board shall issue to the vehicle owner,
13 without further charge, a "logo use authorization statement", which shall be presented by the
14 vehicle owner to the department of revenue at the time of registration. **Application for use of**
15 **the logo and payment of the twenty-five dollar contribution may also be made at the time**
16 **of registration to the director, who shall deposit such contribution in the state treasury to**
17 **the credit of the children's trust fund.** Upon presentation of the annual statement [and],
18 payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates in section 301.144, and other] **a**
19 **fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration** fees and **presentation of** documents
20 which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a [personalized] license
21 plate described in this section to the vehicle owner. **Notwithstanding the provisions of section**
22 **301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license plates issued**
23 **pursuant to this section.** The license plate authorized by this section shall be issued with a
24 design approved by both the board and the director of revenue. The bidding process used to
25 select a vendor for the material to manufacture the license plates authorized by this section shall
26 consider the aesthetic appearance of the plate. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a
27 plate with [an emblem] **a logo** authorized by this section and who does not provide [an emblem]
28 **a logo** use authorization statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new
29 plate which does not bear the [emblem] **logo**, as otherwise provided by law. Any contribution
30 to the board derived from this section shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the
31 children's trust fund established in section 210.173, RSMo.

301.464. Any person who served in the Korean War and was honorably discharged from
2 such service may apply for [special] **Korean War** motor vehicle license plates **for any vehicle**
3 **the person owns**, either solely or jointly, [for issuance either for any passenger motor vehicle
4 subject to the registration fees provided in section 301.055, or for a nonlocal property carrying]
5 **other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a** commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross
6 weight of nine thousand one pounds to twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057,
7 whether such vehicle is owned solely or jointly] **in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross**
8 **weight.** Any such person shall make application for the [special] license plates on a form
9 provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof of service in the Korean War and

10 status as an honorably discharged veteran as the director may require. Upon presentation of the
11 proof of eligibility [and annual], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates
12 prescribed by section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular**
13 **registration** fees and **presentation of** documents which may be required by law, the director
14 shall then issue license plates bearing letters or numbers or a combination thereof as determined
15 by the [advisory committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue**, with the words
16 "KOREAN WAR VETERAN" in place of the words "SHOW-ME-STATE". **Notwithstanding**
17 **the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization**
18 **of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** Such plates shall also bear an image of the
19 Korean War service medal. The plates shall be clearly visible at night and shall be aesthetically
20 attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. [No more than one set of special license plates shall
21 be issued pursuant to this section to a qualified applicant.] **There shall be no limit on the**
22 **number of license plates any person qualified pursuant to this section may obtain so long**
23 **as each set of license plates issued pursuant to this section is issued for vehicles owned**
24 **solely or jointly by such person.** License plates issued pursuant to this section shall not be
25 transferable to any other person except that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle may
26 operate the motor vehicle for the duration of the year licensed in the event of the death of the
27 qualified person.

301.465. Any person who served in World War II and was honorably discharged from
2 such service may apply for [special] **World War II** motor vehicle license plates **for any vehicle**
3 **the person owns**, either solely or jointly, [for issuance either for any passenger motor vehicle
4 subject to the registration fees provided in section 301.055, or for a nonlocal property carrying]
5 **other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a** commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross
6 weight of nine thousand one pounds to twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057,
7 whether such vehicle is owned solely or jointly] **in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross**
8 **weight.** Any such person shall make application for the [special] license plates on a form
9 provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof of service in World War II and status
10 as an honorably discharged veteran as the director may require. Upon presentation of the proof
11 of eligibility [and annual], payment of [the fee required for personalized license plates prescribed
12 by section 301.144, and other] **a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration** fees
13 and **presentation of** documents which may be required by law, the director shall then issue
14 license plates bearing letters or numbers or a combination thereof as determined by the [advisory
15 committee established in section 301.129] **director of revenue**, with the words "WORLD WAR
16 II VETERAN" in place of the words "SHOW-ME-STATE". **Notwithstanding the provisions**
17 **of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization of license**
18 **plates issued pursuant to this section.** Such plates shall also bear an image of the World War

19 II service medal, **known as the victory medal**. The plates shall be clearly visible at night and
20 shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. [No more than one set of
21 special license plates shall be issued pursuant to this section to a qualified applicant.] **There**
22 **shall be no limit on the number of license plates any person qualified pursuant to this**
23 **section may obtain so long as each set of license plates issued pursuant to this section is**
24 **issued for vehicles owned solely or jointly by such person.** License plates issued pursuant to
25 this section shall not be transferable to any other person except that any registered co-owner of
26 the motor vehicle may operate the motor vehicle for the duration of the year licensed in the event
27 of the death of the qualified person.

301.466. 1. Any person who is an active member or alumni member of any Missouri
2 chapter of the junior chamber of commerce may apply for [special] **Missouri Jaycees** motor
3 vehicle license plates for any vehicle [he] **such person** owns, either solely or jointly, [for
4 issuance either to passenger motor vehicles subject to the registration fees provided in section
5 301.055, or for a nonlocal property-carrying] **other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a**
6 commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross weight of nine thousand one pounds up through
7 and including twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057] **in excess of eighteen**
8 **thousand pounds gross weight.**

9 2. Any such person shall make application for the [special] license plates on a form
10 provided by the director of revenue and furnish such proof of membership in the junior chamber
11 of commerce as the director may require. The director shall then issue license plates bearing the
12 words "MISSOURI JAYCEES" in place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE" [in a form
13 prescribed by the advisory committee established in section 301.129]. Such license plates shall
14 be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly
15 visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. Such
16 plates shall also bear the shield of the Missouri junior chamber of commerce to the left of the
17 letters or numbers or combination thereof.

18 3. There shall be a **fifteen dollar fee in addition to the regular registration fees**
19 charged for each set of Missouri junior chamber of commerce license plates [issued equal to the
20 fee charged for personalized license plates in addition to other fees required by law].
21 **Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for**
22 **the personalization of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** No more than one set
23 of Missouri junior chamber of commerce license plates shall be issued to a qualified applicant.
24 License plates issued [under] **pursuant to** the provisions of this section shall not be transferable
25 to any other person except that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle shall be entitled to
26 operate the motor vehicle with such plates for the duration of the year licensed in the event of
27 the death of the qualified person.

301.467. 1. Any paramedic or emergency medical technician may, after an annual payment of an emblem-use authorization fee to the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association as provided in subsection 2 of this section, apply for emergency medical services license plates for any motor vehicle such person owns, either solely or jointly, [for issuance either for a passenger motor vehicle subject to the registration fees as provided in section 301.055, or for a local or nonlocal property-carrying] **other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed [for a gross weight not] in excess of [twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057 or 301.058] eighteen thousand pounds gross weight.** The Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be affixed on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in this section.

2. Upon annual application and payment of a fifteen dollar emblem-use contribution to the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association, the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association shall issue to the person, without further charge, an emblem-use authorization statement which shall be presented by the member to the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation of the annual statement and payment of [the] **a fifteen dollar fee [required] in addition to the regular registration fees charged for each Missouri medical services license plate. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged** for personalized license plates [in section 301.144, and other fees and documents which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a personalized] **issued pursuant to this section. The** license plate[, which] shall bear the emblem of the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association and the words "PARAMEDIC" or the words "EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN" in place of the words "SHOW-ME-STATE" to the person. The emblem, seal or logo shall be reproduced on the license plate in as a clear and defined manner as possible. If the emblem, seal or logo is unacceptable to the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association, it shall be the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association's responsibility to furnish the artwork in a digitalized format. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

3. The director shall issue no more than one set of such license plates to a qualified applicant. License plates issued pursuant to the provisions of this section shall not be transferable to any other person, except that any registered co-owner of the motor vehicle shall be entitled to operate the motor vehicle with such plates for the duration of the year licensed in the event of the death of the qualified person.

301.468. 1. Any vehicle owner who has obtained an annual emblem-use authorization statement from the Lions Club may, subject to the registration fees provided in section 301.055,

3 apply for Lions Club license plates for any motor vehicle such person owns, **either solely or**
4 **jointly**, other than **an apportioned motor vehicle or** a commercial motor vehicle licensed [for
5 a gross weight] in excess of [twelve] **eighteen** thousand pounds **gross weight**. The Lions Club
6 hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be affixed on [multiyear] **personalized** license
7 plates as provided in this section. Any vehicle owner may annually apply for the use of the
8 emblem.

9 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution
10 to the Lions Club, the Lions Club shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further charge, an
11 emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the vehicle owner to the
12 department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle.

13 3. Upon presentation of the annual statement and payment of a fifteen dollar fee in
14 addition to the regular registration fees and presentation of other documents which may be
15 required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a license plate to the vehicle owner, which
16 shall bear the emblem of the Lions Club in a form prescribed by the director, shall bear six letters
17 or numbers and shall bear the words "LIONS CLUB" in place of the words "SHOW-ME
18 STATE". Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color
19 scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as
20 prescribed by section 301.130. A fee for the issuance of personalized license plates pursuant to
21 section 301.144 shall not be required for plates issued pursuant to this section.

22 4. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the Lions Club emblem
23 authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization statement at
24 a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear the Lions Club
25 emblem, as otherwise provided by law.

26 5. The director of revenue may promulgate rules and regulations for the administration
27 of this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to the authority of this section
28 shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536,
29 RSMo.

301.471. 1. Any person may receive license plates as prescribed in this section, [for
2 issuance either to passenger motor vehicles subject to the registration fees provided in section
3 301.055, or for a local or nonlocal property-carrying commercial motor vehicle licensed for a
4 gross weight not in excess of twelve thousand pounds as provided in section 301.057 or
5 301.058,] **for any vehicle the person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an**
6 **apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen**
7 **thousand pounds gross weight**, after an annual payment of an emblem-use authorization fee
8 to Ducks Unlimited. Ducks Unlimited hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be
9 affixed on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution

10 to Ducks Unlimited derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be
11 used solely for the purposes of Ducks Unlimited. Any member of Ducks Unlimited may
12 annually apply for the use of the emblem.

13 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution
14 to Ducks Unlimited, Ducks Unlimited shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further charge,
15 an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the owner to the department
16 of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation of the annual
17 statement, payment of a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the registration fees and documents
18 which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue to the vehicle owner a
19 personalized license plate which shall bear the emblem of Ducks Unlimited. **Notwithstanding**
20 **the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be charged for the personalization**
21 **of license plates issued pursuant to this section.** Such license plates shall be made with fully
22 reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and
23 shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

24 3. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the Ducks Unlimited
25 emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization
26 statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear
27 the Ducks Unlimited emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall make
28 necessary rules and regulations for the administration of this section, and shall design all
29 necessary forms required by this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to
30 the authority of this section shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to
31 the provisions of chapter 536, RSMo.

301.472. 1. Any motor vehicle owner may receive special license plates for any vehicle
2 the person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a
3 commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight as
4 prescribed in this section after an annual payment of an emblem-use authorization fee to a
5 professional sports team which has made an agreement pursuant to subsection 5 of this section.
6 For the purposes of this section a "professional sports team" shall mean an organization located
7 in this state franchised by the National Professional Soccer League, the National Football
8 League, the National Basketball Association, the National Hockey League, the International
9 Hockey League, or the American League or the National League of Major League Baseball or
10 a team playing in Major League Soccer.

11 2. The professional sports team which has made an agreement pursuant to subsection 5
12 of this section and which receives the emblem-use authorization fee hereby authorizes the use
13 of its official emblem to be affixed on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in this
14 section. Any vehicle owner may annually apply for the use of the emblem. [The director of

15 revenue shall not authorize the manufacturer of the material to produce such license plates with
16 the individual seal, logo, or emblem until the department of revenue receives a minimum of one
17 hundred applications for each specific professional sports team.]

18 3. Upon annual application and payment of a thirty-five- dollar emblem-use contribution
19 to the professional sports team such team shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further charge,
20 an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the owner to the director
21 of the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation
22 of the annual statement and payment of a fifteen- dollar fee in addition to the regular registration
23 fees, and presentation of other documents which may be required by law, the director shall issue
24 a personalized license plate, which shall bear the official emblem of the professional sports team
25 in a manner determined by the director. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective
26 material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be
27 aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130. A fee for the issuance of personalized
28 license plates issued pursuant to section 301.144 shall not be required for plates issued pursuant
29 to this section.

30 4. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with a professional sports team
31 emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization
32 statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear
33 the professional sports team emblem, as otherwise provided by law.

34 5. The director of the department of revenue is authorized to make agreements with
35 professional sports teams on behalf of the state which allow the use of any such team's official
36 emblem pursuant to the provisions of this section as consideration for receiving a thirty-five-
37 dollar emblem-use contribution.

38 6. A professional sports team receiving a thirty-five- dollar contribution shall forward
39 such contribution, less an amount not in excess of five percent of the contribution for the costs
40 of administration, to the Jackson County Sports Authority or the St. Louis Regional Convention
41 and Visitors Commission. The moneys shall be administered as follows:

42 (1) The sports authority may retain not in excess of five percent of all funds forwarded
43 to it pursuant to this section for the costs of administration and shall expend the remaining
44 balance of such funds, after consultation with a professional sports team within the authority's
45 area, on marketing and promoting such team. The amount of money expended from the funds
46 obtained pursuant to this section by the authority per professional sports team shall be in the
47 same proportion to the total funds available to be expended on such team as the proportion of
48 contributions forwarded by the team to the authority is to the total contributions received by the
49 authority;

50 (2) The regional convention and visitors commission shall hold the revenues received

51 from the professional sports teams in the St. Louis area in separate accounts for each team. Each
52 team may submit an annual marketing plan to the commission. Expenses of a team which are
53 in accordance with the marketing plan shall be reimbursed by the commission as long as moneys
54 are available in the account. The commission may retain not in excess of five percent for the
55 costs of administration. If no marketing plan is submitted by a team, the commission shall
56 market and promote the team.

57 7. The director of the department of revenue shall promulgate rules and regulations for
58 the administration of this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to the
59 authority of this section shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the
60 provisions of chapter 536, RSMo.

301.564. 1. Any person or [his] **such person's** agent licensed or registered as a
2 manufacturer, motor vehicle dealer, wholesale motor vehicle dealer, boat dealer, wholesale
3 motor vehicle auction or a public motor vehicle auction pursuant to the provisions of sections
4 301.550 to 301.573, shall permit an employee of the department of revenue or any law
5 enforcement official to inspect, during normal business hours, any of the following documents
6 which are in [his] **such person's** possession or under [his] **such person's** custody or control:

- 7 (1) Any title to any motor vehicle or vessel;
- 8 (2) Any application for title to any motor vehicle or vessel;
- 9 (3) Any affidavit **or statement** provided pursuant to sections 301.550 to 301.573 or
10 chapter 407, RSMo;
- 11 (4) Any assignment of title to any motor vehicle or vessel;
- 12 (5) Any disclosure statement or other document relating to mileage or odometer readings
13 required by the laws of the United States or any other state;
- 14 (6) Any inventory and related documentation.

15 2. For purposes of this section, the term "law enforcement official" shall mean any of the
16 following:

- 17 (1) Attorney general, or any person designated by [him] **the attorney general** to make
18 such an inspection;
- 19 (2) Any prosecuting attorney or any person designated by a prosecuting attorney to make
20 such an inspection;
- 21 (3) Any member of the highway patrol or water patrol;
- 22 (4) Any sheriff or deputy sheriff;
- 23 (5) Any peace officer certified pursuant to chapter 590, RSMo, acting in [his] **such**
24 **peace officer's** official capacity.

301.711. 1. Upon receipt of the application for registration and the appropriate fee, the
2 department of revenue shall issue a decal showing the registration number and expiration date.

3 The decal shall be displayed at all times and be affixed to the right front fork or frame of the
4 all-terrain vehicle where it is clearly visible.

5 2. The fee for registration of an all-terrain vehicle shall be ten dollars. The registration
6 of an all-terrain vehicle shall be valid for a period of three years. The penalty fee of five dollars
7 shall be paid on all delinquent registrations at the time the owner makes application for
8 registration.

9 3. In the event of the loss, mutilation or destruction of any certificate of registration or
10 decal issued by the director of revenue, the lawful holder thereof shall, within five days, file with
11 the director of revenue an application and [an affidavit] **a statement** stating such fact, and shall
12 on the payment of seven dollars and fifty cents, obtain a duplicate of such certificate of
13 registration or decal.

14 4. The director of revenue shall deposit all fees collected pursuant to sections 301.707
15 to 301.714 in the state treasury to the credit of the general revenue fund.

301.800. 1. Any motor vehicle assembled by a two- or four-year institution of higher
2 education exclusively utilizing solar power and built to compete in a national competition
3 organized to foster interest in solar energy shall be registered and titled by the director of
4 revenue, other laws regulating licensing of motor vehicles to the contrary notwithstanding.

5 2. Such institution shall file an application in a form prescribed by the director, [verified
6 by affidavit] **accompanied by a statement**, that such vehicle meets the requirements of
7 subsection 1 of this section.

8 3. The plate issued by the director shall be the collegiate plate of the institution and shall
9 display the term "solar" in a manner prescribed by the director.

10 4. The institution shall pay the applicable fees as determined by the director.

11 5. Such motor vehicle shall be exempt from the inspections required by sections 307.350
12 and 307.366, RSMo, and shall only be operated on the streets and highways with the approval
13 of the institution of higher education.

**301.3000. An emblem, seal or logo reproduced on a license plate pursuant to this
2 chapter, shall be reproduced as clearly and distinctly as possible. If the emblem, seal or
3 logo is unacceptable to an organization authorizing the use of such emblem, seal or logo,
4 then it shall be the responsibility of the organization to furnish the artwork contained in
5 the emblem, seal or logo, in a digitized format.**

301.3041. 1. The Wilson's Creek National Battlefield Foundation may authorize the use
2 of its official emblem to be applied on multiyear personalized license plates **for any motor
3 vehicle the person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle
4 licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight** as provided in this section.

5 2. Any contribution to the Wilson's Creek National Battlefield Foundation derived from

6 this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used for the purpose of promoting
7 and supporting the objectives of the Wilson's Creek National Battlefield Park. Any vehicle
8 owner may annually apply to the foundation for use of the emblem. Upon annual application and
9 payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution to the foundation, the foundation shall
10 issue to the vehicle owner, without further charge, an "emblem-use authorization statement",
11 which shall be presented by the vehicle owner to the department of revenue at the time of
12 registration.

13 3. Upon presentation of the annual statement and payment of the fee required for
14 personalized license plates in section 301.144, and other fees and documents which may be
15 required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a personalized license plate, which shall
16 bear the seal, emblem or logo of the foundation, **and the words "WILSON CREEK**
17 **BATTLEFIELD" in place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE"**, to the vehicle owner. The
18 license plate authorized by this section shall use a process to ensure that the emblem shall be
19 displayed upon the license plate in the clearest and most attractive manner possible. The license
20 plate authorized by this section shall be issued with a design approved by both the foundation
21 and the director of revenue. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with
22 a common color scheme and design and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section
23 301.130.

24 4. A vehicle owner who was previously issued a plate with an institutional emblem
25 authorized by this section and who does not provide an emblem use authorization statement at
26 a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear the emblem,
27 as otherwise provided by law.

301.3051. 1. Any member of the Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of
2 North America (Shriners) or any person living within the state of Missouri and who has a motor
3 vehicle which complies with the provisions of section 303.025, RSMo, may receive special
4 license plates as prescribed in this section **for any motor vehicle the person owns, either solely**
5 **or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed**
6 **in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight** after an annual payment of an emblem-use
7 authorization fee to the Shrine temple to which the person is a member in good standing. The
8 Shrine temple described in this section shall authorize the use of its official emblem to be affixed
9 on [multiyear] personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution to such
10 Shrine temple derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be
11 contributed to the Shriners Hospitals for Crippled and Burned Children. Any member of such
12 Shrine temple may annually apply to the temple for the use of the emblem.

13 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five-dollar emblem-use contribution
14 to the Shrine temple, the temple shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further charge, an

15 emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented by the member to the department
16 of revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle. Upon presentation of the annual
17 statement, payment of a fifteen dollar fee in addition to the registration fees and documents
18 which may be required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a personalized license plate,
19 which shall bear the emblem of the Shrine **and the words "SHRINERS" in place of the words**
20 **"SHOW-ME STATE"**, to the vehicle owner.

21 3. The license plate authorized by this section shall be in a form as prescribed [in section
22 301.129] **by the director of revenue**, except that such license plates shall be made with fully
23 reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and
24 shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section 301.130.

25 4. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the Shrine emblem
26 authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization statement at
27 a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear the Shrine
28 emblem, as otherwise provided by law. The director of revenue shall make necessary rules and
29 regulations for the enforcement of this section, and shall design all necessary forms required by
30 this section.

301.3062. 1. Any vehicle owner who is a member of and has obtained an annual
2 emblem-use authorization statement from the American Legion may apply for American Legion
3 license plates for any motor vehicle the person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an
4 apportioned motor vehicle or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen
5 thousand pounds gross weight. The American Legion hereby authorizes the use of their official
6 emblem to be affixed on multiyear personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any
7 vehicle owner may annually apply for the use of the emblem.

8 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use contribution
9 to the American Legion, the American Legion shall issue to the vehicle owner, without further
10 charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be presented to the department of
11 revenue at the time of registration of a motor vehicle.

12 3. Upon presentation of the annual statement and payment of a fifteen-dollar fee in
13 addition to the regular registration fees and presentation of other documents which may be
14 required by law, the department of revenue shall issue a personalized license plate to the vehicle
15 owner, which shall bear the emblem of the American Legion **and the words "AMERICAN**
16 **LEGION" in place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE"** in a form prescribed by the director.
17 Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and
18 design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by
19 section 301.130. A fee for the issuance of personalized license plates issued pursuant to section
20 301.144 shall not be required for plates issued pursuant to this section.

21 4. A vehicle owner, who was previously issued a plate with the American Legion
22 emblem authorized by this section but who does not provide an emblem-use authorization
23 statement at a subsequent time of registration, shall be issued a new plate which does not bear
24 the American Legion emblem, as otherwise provided by law.

25 5. The director of revenue may promulgate rules and regulations for the administration
26 of this section. No rule or portion of a rule promulgated pursuant to the authority of this section
27 shall become effective unless it has been promulgated pursuant to the provisions of chapter 536,
28 RSMo.