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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES KINGERY (Sponsor), PRATT, WHORTON, QUINN, SAGER,
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STEPHEN S. DAVIS, Chief Clerk

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 301, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to special license plates for Boy Scouts.

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

Section A. Chapter 301, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be
2 known as section 301.3139, to read as follows:

301.3139. 1. Any Boy Scout of appropriate age as prescribed by law or parent of
2 a Boy Scout may receive special license plates as prescribed by this section, for any motor
3 vehicle such person owns, either solely or jointly, other than an apportioned motor vehicle
4 or a commercial motor vehicle licensed in excess of eighteen thousand pounds gross weight,
5 after an annual payment of an emblem-use authorization fee to the Boy Scouts of America
6 Council of which the person is a member or the parent of a member. The Boy Scouts of
7 America hereby authorizes the use of its official emblem to be affixed on multiyear
8 personalized license plates as provided in this section. Any contribution to the Boy Scouts
9 of America derived from this section, except reasonable administrative costs, shall be used
10 solely for the purposes of the Boy Scouts of America. Any Boy Scout or parent of a Boy
11 Scout may annually apply for the use of the emblem and pay the twenty-five dollar
12 emblem-use authorization fee at any local district council in the state.

13 2. Upon annual application and payment of a twenty-five dollar emblem-use
14 contribution to the Boy Scouts of America, the organization shall issue to the vehicle
15 owner, without further charge, an emblem-use authorization statement, which shall be
16 presented by the owner to the department of revenue at the time of registration of a motor
17 vehicle. Upon presentation of the annual statement, payment of a fifteen dollar fee in
18 addition to the registration fee and documents which may be required by law, the

19 department of revenue shall issue to the vehicle owner a personalized license plate which
20 shall bear the emblem of the Boy Scouts of America and the words "BOY SCOUTS OF
21 AMERICA" in place of the words "SHOW-ME STATE". Such license plates shall be
22 made with fully reflective material with a common color scheme and design, shall be
23 clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as prescribed by section
24 301.130. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 301.144, no additional fee shall be
25 charged for the personalization of license plates pursuant to this section.

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