HB 1366 -- BIENNIAL LICENSE PLATES

SPONSOR: Dougherty

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "do pass" by the Committee on Transportation and Motor Vehicles by a vote of 17 to 1.

This bill allows for reimbursement equivalent to a pro rata amount of a one-year registration fee of a biennial plate when plates are returned before the year has passed. These plates cannot be returned in cases of license suspension or revocation.

FISCAL NOTE: No impact on General Revenue Fund in FY 2005, FY 2006, and FY 2007. Estimated Cost on Other State Funds of Unknown in FY 2005, FY 2006, and FY 2007.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that persons who can no longer drive for various reasons should be allowed a refund on their biennial registration if the plates are returned before expiration.

Testifying for the bill was Representative Dougherty.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

OTHERS: Others testifying on the bill informed the committee on how the refund system would be implemented.

Others testifying on the bill was Department of Revenue.

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