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A BUDGET BILL submitted by the Governor in accordance with Article VII of the Constitution

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to establishing and providing distinctive license plates for gold star families (Part);

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 PART ___

- 2 Section 1. The vehicle and traffic law is amended by adding a new
- 3 section 404-ii to read as follows:
- 4 § 404-ii. Distinctive plates for gold star families. 1. Any gold star
- 5 family recipient or the spouse of a gold star family recipient residing
- 6 in this state shall, upon request, be issued a license plate bearing the
- 7 words "gold star family". If a distinctive plate is issued to a gold
- 8 star family recipient pursuant to this section, additional distinctive
- 9 plates may be issued for every vehicle registered in the name of the
- 10 gold star family recipient residing in this state or the spouse of such
- 11 gold star family recipient. Application for said license plate shall be
- 12 filed with the commissioner in such form and detail as the commissioner
- 13 shall prescribe.
- 14 2. The distinctive plate authorized herein shall be issued upon proof,
- 15 satisfactory to the commissioner, that the applicant or the spouse of
- 16 the applicant is a gold star family recipient.
- 17 3. A distinctive plate issued pursuant to this section shall be issued
- 18 in the same manner as other number plates upon payment of the regular

- 1 registration fee prescribed by section four hundred one of this article,
- 2 provided, however, that no service charge shall be charged for such
- 3 plate, as well as no bond requirement to offset costs associated with
- 4 the production of such license plate.
- § 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after
- 6 it shall have become a law.