ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions regarding the fees for certain special motor vehicle license plates.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

Section 1. That § 32-5-65.1 be amended to read as follows:

32-5-65.1. Any owner of a motor vehicle who holds an unrevoked and unexpired official amateur radio license, is a resident of this state and has complied with all the laws of this state in regards to the registration of a motor vehicle, may apply for a set of special plates bearing an inscription thereon of the call letters authorized for the owner's amateur radio license by making application therefor as provided in § 32-5-66. The special plates are in lieu of the regular number plates issued for the motor vehicle. The special plates shall be displayed as set forth in § 32-5-98. In addition to the noncommercial license plate fees, an additional fee of ten dollars shall be charged for the initial issuance of the special license plates to the department. The secretary shall make the necessary changes in the registration file. The owner shall obtain regular number plates. Failure to surrender the special license plates as required by this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.

Section 2. That § 32-5-65 be amended to read as follows:

32-5-65. Any commercial radio station or broadcasting company that holds an unrevoked and unexpired official license issued by the federal communications commission or employees of the station or company when requested and approved by the station or the company, and who are residents of this state and have complied with all the laws of this state in regards to the registration of a motor vehicle, may apply for a set of special plates bearing an inscription thereon of the call letters authorized for the station or company radio license by making application therefor as provided in § 32-5-66. The special plates are in lieu of the regular number plates issued for the motor vehicle.

The special plates shall be displayed as set forth in § 32-5-98. In addition to the noncommercial license plate fees, an additional fee of ten dollars shall be charged for the initial issuance of the special plates. If the federal communication commission's license is revoked, the owner shall surrender the special license plates to the department. If the employee is no longer employed by the station or the broadcasting company, the employee shall surrender the special license plates to the department. The secretary shall make the necessary changes in the registration file. The owner shall obtain regular number plates. Failure to surrender the special license plates as required by this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.

Section 3. That § 32-5-114 be amended to read as follows:

32-5-114. In addition to the noncommercial license plates fees, a firefighter receiving the special license plates shall pay an additional fee of ten dollars for the initial issuance of the special license plates. The special license plate fee collected under this section shall be placed in the license plate special revenue fund, as provided under § 32-5-67.

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I certify that the attached Act originated in the

HOUSE as Bill No. 1171

Chief Clerk

Speaker of the House

Attest:

Chief Clerk

President of the Senate

Secretary of the Senate

_____ Received at this Executive Office this _____ day of ______,

20_____ at ______ M.

By_____ for the Governor ------

The attached Act is hereby approved this _____ day of _____, A.D., 20____

Governor

_____ STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, SS. Office of the Secretary of State

Filed ______, 20____ at ______ o'clock ___ M.

Secretary of State

Asst. Secretary of State

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By _____

Attest: