

# SENATE AMENDMENTS

2<sup>nd</sup> Printing

By: Klick, et al.

H.B. No. 2115

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1  
2 relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for persons  
3 who serve or have served in the Third United States Infantry  
4 Regiment as a guard for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

6 SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 504, Transportation Code,  
7 is amended by adding Section 504.323 to read as follows:

8 Sec. 504.323. TOMB GUARD. The department shall issue  
9 specialty license plates for persons who serve or have served in the  
10 Third United States Infantry Regiment as a guard for the Tomb of the  
11 Unknown Soldier and are awarded the Guard, Tomb of the Unknown  
12 Soldier Identification Badge. The license plates must include a  
13 likeness of the Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier Identification  
14 Badge and must include the words "Tomb Guard" at the bottom of each  
15 plate.

16 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

ADOPTED

MAY 19 2017

BY:

WATSON

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. 1

*Arlene Spaw*  
Secretary of the Senate

1 Amend H.B. No. 2115 (senate committee printing) by adding  
2 the following appropriately numbered SECTIONS to the bill and  
3 renumbering subsequent SECTIONS of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. The heading to Section 504.320,  
5 Transportation Code, as added by Chapter 708 (H.B. 1128), Acts  
6 of the 84th Legislature, Regular Session, 2015, is amended to  
7 read as follows:

8 Sec. 504.320. RECIPIENTS OF CERTAIN COMBAT BADGES, MEDALS,  
9 OR RIBBONS [ACTION BADGE, MEDAL, OR RIBBON RECIPIENTS].

10 SECTION \_\_\_\_\_. Section 504.320, Transportation Code, as  
11 added by Chapter 708 (H.B. 1128), Acts of the 84th Legislature,  
12 Regular Session, 2015, is amended by adding Subsection (c-1) and  
13 amending Subsection (d) to read as follows:

14 (c-1) The department shall issue specialty license plates  
15 for recipients of the Combat Medical Badge. License plates  
16 issued under this subsection must include the Combat Medical  
17 Badge emblem and must include the words "Combat Medical Badge"  
18 at the bottom of each plate.

19 (d) A specialty license plate issued under this section  
20 for a badge or ribbon that may be awarded more than once shall  
21 [For purposes of Subsections (a) and (c), if a branch of the  
22 United States armed forces awards a Combat Action Badge or  
23 Ribbon with a unique emblem for each award of the Combat Action  
24 Badge or Ribbon to a recipient, the department shall only issue  
25 specialty license plates that] include only the [unique] emblem  
26 of the first award badge or ribbon.

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 20, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Joe Straus, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2115** by Klick (Relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for persons who serve or have served in the Third United States Infantry Regiment as a guard for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.), **As Passed 2nd House**

<p><b>No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.</b></p>
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The bill would amend the Transportation Code to require the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles (TxDMV) to issue specialty license plates for persons who serve or have served in the Third United States Infantry Regiment as a guard for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and are awarded the Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier Identification Badge. License plates issued must include a likeness of the Guard, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier Identification Badge and must include the words "Tomb Guard" at the bottom of each plate.

The bill would amend the Transportation Code to require TxDMV to issue specialty license plates for recipients of the Combat Medical Badge. License plates issued must include the Combat Medical Badge emblem and must include the words "Combat Medical Badge" at the bottom of each plate.

Based on the information and analysis provided by TxDMV, it is assumed any costs or duties associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within the agency's existing resources.

**Local Government Impact**

No significant fiscal implication to units of local government is anticipated.

**Source Agencies:** 608 Department of Motor Vehicles

**LBB Staff:** UP, SD, SLE, LBO, TG

**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD**  
**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**May 12, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Donna Campbell, Chair, Senate Committee on Veteran Affairs & Border Security

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE:** **HB2115** by Klick (Relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for persons who serve or have served in the Third United States Infantry Regiment as a guard for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.), **As Engrossed**

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**Austin, Texas**

**FISCAL NOTE, 85TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION**

**April 25, 2017**

**TO:** Honorable Roland Gutierrez, Chair, House Committee on Defense & Veterans' Affairs

**FROM:** Ursula Parks, Director, Legislative Budget Board

**IN RE: HB2115** by Klick (Relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for persons who serve or have served in the Third United States Infantry Regiment as a guard for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.), **As Introduced**

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Based on the information and analysis provided by TxDMV, it is assumed any costs or duties associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within the agency's existing resources.

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