

SENATE AMENDMENTS

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By: Bucy, Kacal, Lopez

H.B. No. 1863

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the issuance of Make-A-Wish specialty license plates.

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

SECTION 1. Subchapter G, Chapter 504, Transportation Code, is amended by adding Section 504.675 to read as follows:

Sec. 504.675. MAKE-A-WISH LICENSE PLATES. (a) The department shall issue specialty license plates that include the words "Make-A-Wish." The department shall design the plates in consultation with a Texas chapter of Make-A-Wish.

(b) After deduction of the department's administrative costs, the remainder of the fee for issuance of the license plates shall be deposited to the credit of an account created by the comptroller in the manner provided by Section 504.6012(b). Money deposited to that account may be used only by the Health and Human Services Commission to make grants to a nonprofit organization that has a history of granting wishes for children diagnosed with a critical illness for the purpose of granting those wishes.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2021.

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Secretary of the Senate

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Substitute the following for H.B. No. 1863:

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LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 27, 2021

TO: Honorable Dade Phelan, Speaker of the House, House of Representatives

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1863 by Bucy (Relating to the issuance of Make-A-Wish specialty license plates.), **As Passed 2nd House**

No significant fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

The bill would amend Subchapter G, Chapter 504 of the Transportation Code to require the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles (TxDMV) to issue "Make-A-Wish" specialty license plates. The bill would stipulate that the fee for issuance of the plates, after deduction for DMV administrative costs, is to be deposited to an account created by the Comptroller in the License Plate Trust Fund and may only be used by the Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) to make grants to a certain nonprofit organization. The bill would take effect on September 1, 2021.

Based on information provided by DMV and HHSC, it is assumed any costs or duties associated with implementing the provisions of the bill could be absorbed within the agencies' existing resources. The fee for issuance of a specialty license plate under Subchapter G, Chapter 504 of the Transportation Code is \$30.00. Out of this amount \$7.50 would be deposited to the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles Fund for TxDMV administrative costs, \$0.50 would be retained by the counties for administrative costs, and the remaining \$22.00 would be deposited to the License Plate Trust Fund, pursuant to Transportation Code §504.6012, for use by HHSC as authorized by the bill. Based on the information and analysis provided by DMV, it is assumed the issuance of the new specialty plate would not result in a significant fiscal impact to the State.

Local Government Impact

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

Source Agencies: 304 Comptroller of Public Accounts, 529 Hlth & Human Svcs Comm, 608 Department of Motor Vehicles

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LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 19, 2021

TO: Honorable Robert Nichols, Chair, Senate Committee on Transportation

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1863 by Bucy (relating to the issuance of Make-A-Wish specialty license plates.), **Committee Report 2nd House, Substituted**

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LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 12, 2021

TO: Honorable Robert Nichols, Chair, Senate Committee on Transportation

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1863 by Bucy (Relating to the issuance of Make-A-Wish specialty license plates.), **As Engrossed**

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LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 87TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

April 11, 2021

TO: Honorable Terry Canales, Chair, House Committee on Transportation

FROM: Jerry McGinty, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB1863 by Bucy (Relating to the issuance of Make-A-Wish specialty license plates.), **As Introduced**

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