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H.B. No. 3135

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

# 1 AN ACT

2 relating to the issuance of specialty license plates for retired  
3 firefighters.

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

5 SECTION 1. Subchapter F, Chapter 504, Transportation Code,  
6 is amended by adding Section 504.5131 to read as follows:

7                   Sec. 504.5131. RETIRED FIREFIGHTERS. (a) In this section,

8 "retired firefighter" means a person who was formerly:

9 (1) a volunteer firefighter certified by:

10 (A) the Texas Commission on Fire Protection; or

11 (B) the State Firefighters' and Fire Marshals'

## 12 Association of Texas; or

15            (b) The department shall design and issue specialty license  
16 plates for retired firefighters.

(c) There is no fee for the issuance of the license plates.

18 SECTION 2 This Act takes effect September 1, 2025