

No. 1986-65

AN ACT

HB 401

Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, providing for special plates for recipients of the Purple Heart; and imposing limitations on certain reduced registration recipients.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Title 75 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a section to read:

§ 1346. *Special plates for recipients of Purple Heart.*

Upon application of any person who is a recipient of the Purple Heart, the department shall issue to such person a special registration plate designating the vehicle so licensed as belonging to a person who is a recipient of the Purple Heart. A severely disabled veteran, as described in section 1342(a) (relating to veteran plates and placard), who is qualified to receive a plate under this section may also elect to receive a placard under section 1342(b). The special registration plate may be used only on one passenger vehicle or one other vehicle with a registered gross weight of not more than 9,000 pounds.

Section 2. Section 1901(d) of Title 75 is amended to read:

§ 1901. Exemption of entities and vehicles from fees.

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(d) Limitations.—

(1) Vehicles titled and registered under the provisions of this section shall be operated and used exclusively for the purpose for which the vehicles were entitled to the exemptions from fees.

(2) Only one passenger vehicle or one other vehicle with a gross weight or registered gross weight of not more than 9,000 pounds may be registered to any person under the provisions of subsection (b)(4) and subsection (c)(16) [and (17)], (17), (18) and (19).

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Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.

APPROVED—The 12th day of June, A. D. 1986.

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