

ASSEMBLY BILL 300 (LRB -2294)

An Act to amend 341.52 of the statutes; relating to: registration plates for dealers, distributors, manufacturers, and transporters of motor vehicles. (FE)

2011

10-03. A. Introduced by Representatives **A. Ott, Bies, Doyle, Endsley, Jacque, Jorgensen, Kaufert, Kerkman, Kestell, Knilans, Marklein, Molepske Jr, Petrowski, Steineke, Thiesfeldt, Tranel, Turner, Vos, Weinger and Clark**; cosponsored by Senators **Olsen, Carpenter, Cowles, T. Cullen, Galloway, Hansen, Holperin, Lazich, Leibham, Schultz and Taylor.**

10-03. A. Read first time and referred to committee on Transportation 537

10-05. A. Representative Spanbauer added as a coauthor 545

10-11. A. Fiscal estimate received.

10-11. A. Public hearing held.

10-18. A. Executive action taken.

10-19. A. Report passage recommended by committee on Transportation, Ayes 15, Noes 0 582

10-19. A. Referred to committee on Rules 582

10-20. A. Placed on calendar 10-25-2011 by committee on Rules.

10-25. A. Read a second time 610

10-25. A. Ordered to a third reading 610

10-25. A. Rules suspended 610

10-25. A. Read a third time and **passed** 611

10-25. A. Ordered immediately messaged 611

10-26. S. Received from Assembly 541

10-26. S. Read first time and referred to committee on Senate Organization 542

10-26. S. Available for scheduling.

10-26. S. Public hearing requirement waived by committee on Senate Organization, pursuant to Senate Rule 18 (1m), Ayes 3, Noes 2 539

10-26. S. Placed on calendar 10-27-2011 pursuant to Senate Rule 18(1) 540

10-27. S. Read a second time.

10-27. S. Ordered to a third reading.

10-27. S. Rules suspended.

10-27. S. Read a third time and **concurred in.**

10-27. S. Ordered immediately messaged.

10-27. A. Received from Senate concurred in.

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ADOPTED DOCUMENTS:

Orig **Engr** **SubAmdt**

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Amendments to above (if none, write "NONE"): None

Corrections - show date (if none, write "NONE"): None

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October 3, 2011 - Introduced by Representatives A. OTT, BIES, DOYLE, ENDSLEY, JACQUE, JORGENSEN, KAUFERT, KERKMAN, KESTELL, KNILANS, MARKLEIN, MOLEPSKE JR, PETROWSKI, STEINEKE, THIESFELDT, TRANEL, TURNER, VOS, WEININGER and CLARK, cosponsored by Senators OLSEN, CARPENTER, COWLES, T. CULLEN, GALLOWAY, HANSEN, HOLPERIN, LAZICH, LEIBHAM, SCHULTZ and TAYLOR. Referred to Committee on Transportation.

- 1 **AN ACT** *to amend* 341.52 of the statutes; **relating to:** registration plates for
2 dealers, distributors, manufacturers, and transporters of motor vehicles.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, a dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter of vehicles may register with the Department of Transportation (DOT) and obtain issuance of vehicle registration plates. Under certain circumstances, the dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter may display these plates on an unregistered vehicle and legally operate the vehicle on the highway. Each plate must include a registration number composed of numbers or letters or both. Each plate must also have displayed upon it a symbol capable of distinguishing it from any other plate issued to the same dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter.

Under this bill, DOT is not required to include on plates issued to a dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter a symbol capable of distinguishing the plate from other plates issued to the same dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter. Instead, these plates may have displayed upon them a decal or sticker displaying letters that is approved by DOT and that is capable of distinguishing the plates from other plates which may be issued to the same dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter. If such a decal or sticker is displayed, the bill specifies the location on the plate where the decal or sticker must be placed.

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For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. 341.52 of the statutes, as affected by 2011 Wisconsin Act 32, is
2 amended to read:

3 **341.52 Design of registration plates.** Registration plates for dealers,
4 distributors, manufacturers, and transporters are subject to the provisions of s.
5 341.12 (2) and (3) except s. 341.12 (3) (c). In addition, each plate ~~shall~~ may have
6 displayed upon it a ~~symbol~~ decals or stickers displaying letters that is approved by the
7 department and that is capable of distinguishing it from the plate from any other plate
8 which may be issued to the same dealer, distributor, manufacturer, or transporter.
9 If such a decal or sticker is displayed on a plate, the decal or sticker shall be affixed
10 on the right side of the plate directly to the right of, and in line with, the numbers
11 or letters or both composing the registration number required under s. 341.12 (3) (a).

12 (END)