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MEMORANDUM

To: Representative Schneider

From: Aaron Gary, Legislative Attorney, (608) 261-6926

Subject: Technical Memorandum to **2007 AB 629** (LRB-2988/1) by **DOT**

We received the attached technical memorandum relating to your bill. This copy is for your information and your file.

If you wish to discuss this memorandum or the necessity of revising your bill or preparing an amendment, please contact me.

January 15, 2008

To: Legislative Reference Bureau
From: Department of Transportation
Subject: Technical note, 2007 AB 629

The bill on page 2, line 16, and on page 3, lines 3 and 7, directs DOT to "affix" to the plates the decal that we'd issue under this bill.

However, DMV's plate issuance process is completely automated, and for us to "affix" decals to the plates we would need to pull those plates out of the process, open the plate envelope and affix the decal, put the plates back into the envelope and address the mailing label -- all manually.

What we actually do is send the plates, and the decal, to the registrant, with instructions on how the registrant should affix the decal.

We ask that the author amend the bill to eliminate the language that requires us to affix the decal to the plate.

Thank you.