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AN ACT

RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES; PROVIDING FOR A SPECIAL  
REGISTRATION PLATE FOR SUPPORTERS OF RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE  
CHARITIES OF NEW MEXICO; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. A new section of the Motor Vehicle Code is  
enacted to read:

"SPECIAL RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE SUPPORT REGISTRATION  
PLATE.--

A. The department shall issue a standardized  
special Ronald McDonald house support registration plate with  
a logo specified in Section 66-3-424 NMSA 1978 indicating  
that the recipient supports Ronald McDonald house charities  
of New Mexico.

B. For a fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00),  
which shall be in addition to the regular motor vehicle  
registration fees, a motor vehicle owner who supports Ronald  
McDonald house charities of New Mexico may apply for the  
issuance of a special registration plate as provided in  
Subsection A of this section. No two owners shall be issued  
identically lettered or numbered registration plates.

C. The thirty-five-dollar (\$35.00) fee provided in  
Subsection B of this section shall be waived for each  
registration period in which a validating sticker is issued

1 under the provisions of Section 66-3-17 NMSA 1978, in lieu of  
2 the issuance of a special Ronald McDonald house support  
3 registration plate.

4 D. The revenue from the special Ronald McDonald  
5 house support registration plate fee imposed by Subsection B  
6 of this section shall be distributed as follows:

7 (1) ten dollars (\$10.00) of the fee  
8 collected for each registration plate shall be retained by  
9 the department and is appropriated to the department for the  
10 manufacture and issuance of the registration plates; and

11 (2) twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) of the fee  
12 collected for each registration plate shall be appropriated  
13 to the board of regents of the university of New Mexico for  
14 expenditure by Carrie Tingley crippled children's  
15 hospital." \_\_\_\_\_