

Division of Motorist Services

Procedure RS-54

Motor Vehicle Procedure Manual

Registration

Wheelchair Emblem License Plate for Motorcycles

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Legal Authority

<u>Section 320.08035</u>, <u>Florida Statutes</u>, provides for a motorcycle size international wheelchair user symbol (emblem) license plate to be issued to the owner or lessee of a motorcycle, moped, or motorized disability access vehicle, who resides in this state and qualifies for the disabled person parking permit as defined in <u>Section 320.0848</u>, <u>Florida Statutes</u>. The law also provides that display of the license plate entitles such person the same parking privileges as the parking permit issued per section <u>320.0848</u>, <u>Florida Statutes</u>.

Description and Use

This procedure provides information and instructions to assist employees of the tax collector, license plate agent, and the Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (FLHSMV) in the issuance of the wheelchair emblem license plate for motorcycles.

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A. The Physician's Statement of Certification on form Application for Disabled, Disabled Veteran or Regular

and Motorcycle International Wheelchair Symbol License Plate – HSMV 83007 must be completed by a

certifying authority as listed in section 320.0848, Florida Statutes. This application must be retained by

the county license plate agent. Refer to RS-38 for additional information on other acceptable proof.

B. Wheelchair symbol license plates may be issued on motorcycles, mopeds or motorized disability access

vehicles that are owned or leased. Refer to RS-53 for lessee/registrant information.

C. Fees:

Registration tax as shown in the Tax Due and Credit Manual, using class code 65 or 69, trust fund fees

from the Class Code/Fee Chart, Original Plate fee, Service fee, Branch fee (if applying through a county

branch agency), and Decal on Demand fee. Refer to the Registration Fees and Flat Taxes Distribution

Chart for applicable fees.

Renewals and Transfers

Renewals and transfers may be processed through any local county tax collector or license plate agency.

Replacement License Plates

Replacement license plates may be issued by any local tax collector or license plate agency by submitting

the following:

A. A copy of the current registration certificate.

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B. Form Application for Replacement License Plate, Validation Decal or Parking Permit – HSMV 83146,

accurately completed.

C. Fees: Replacement fee, Service Fee, Branch fee (if applying through a county branch agency), Air

Pollution Control fee, Refelectorization fee, Emergency Medical Service fee, FRVIS fee, Advanced

Replacement fee and Decal on Demand fee. Refer to the Registration Fee and Flat Taxes Distribution

Chart for applicable fees.

D. When a customer reports a license plate or decal as stolen to a law enforcement agency and provides a

police report prepared in response to a report of a stolen license plate or decal, such plate or decal must

be replaced at no charge. A law enforcement agency card, containing the case number for the stolen

report of the license plate or decal may be accepted in lieu of the report. Comments must be reflected in

the motor vehicle issuance system comment area to include the law enforcement agency name and the

stolen report case number

1. If a license plate or decal is replaced using code "SP", Stolen with a Police Report, a copy of the

police report or law enforcement agency card containing the case number for the stolen report must

be attached to the required form HSMV 83146.

2. If the customer does not provide the police report or law enforcement agency card containing the

case number for the stolen report, fees are required along with the HSMV 83146.

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Revision(s) to Procedure

05/29/2019: Added Historical Revisions section, added links to statutes, forms and procedures. Changed applicant to customer and updated to Replacement License Plates section, D.

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