

House Bill 4879

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled
"Michigan vehicle code,"
(MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding section 811d.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 811D. (1) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEVELOP AND,
2 UPON APPLICATION, MAY ISSUE A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGIS-
3 TRATION PLATE TO AN APPLICANT FOR USE ON THE PASSENGER MOTOR
4 VEHICLE, PICKUP TRUCK, VAN, MOTOR HOME, HEARSE, BUS, TRAILER
5 COACH, OR TRAILER FOR WHICH THE REGISTRATION PLATE IS ISSUED
6 INSTEAD OF A STANDARD REGISTRATION PLATE. MICHIGAN VETERANS
7 MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATES SHALL BEAR LETTERS AND NUMBERS THAT
8 THE SECRETARY OF STATE PRESCRIBES. THE PLATE SHALL BE OF A
9 DESIGN AS DETERMINED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE. THE WORD
10 "MICHIGAN" SHALL APPEAR ON EACH MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL
11 REGISTRATION PLATE.

1 (2) AN APPLICATION FOR A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL
2 REGISTRATION PLATE SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE
3 PURSUANT TO THE PROCEDURES PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 217.
4 APPLICATION FOR AN ORIGINAL OR RENEWAL MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL
5 REGISTRATION PLATE SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED WITH PAYMENT OF THE REGU-
6 LAR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX IN ADDITION TO A SERVICE FEE AS
7 FOLLOWS:

8 (A) FOR AN ORIGINAL MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION
9 PLATE, \$3.00 FOR THE FIRST MONTH AND \$2.00 PER MONTH FOR EACH
10 ADDITIONAL MONTH OF THE REGISTRATION PERIOD.

11 (B) FOR A RENEWAL MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION
12 PLATE, \$10.00.

13 (3) A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATE SHALL
14 EXPIRE AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 226. UPON THE ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL
15 OF A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, THE SECRETARY
16 OF STATE MAY ISSUE A TAB OR TABS DESIGNATING THE MONTH AND YEAR
17 OF EXPIRATION.

18 (4) THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY ISSUE A TEMPORARY REGISTRA-
19 TION PERMIT TO A PERSON WHO SUBMITS AN APPLICATION AND THE PROPER
20 PAYMENTS FOR A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATE IF
21 THE APPLICANT'S CURRENT VEHICLE REGISTRATION WILL EXPIRE BEFORE
22 HIS OR HER RECEIPT OF A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION
23 PLATE. THE TEMPORARY REGISTRATION SHALL EXPIRE UPON RECEIPT OF A
24 MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATE OR 60 DAYS AFTER
25 THE ISSUANCE OF A MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATE,
26 WHICHEVER OCCURS FIRST. THE TEMPORARY PERMIT SHALL BE ISSUED
27 WITHOUT A SEPARATE FEE.

1 (5) MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION PLATE SERVICE
2 FEES COLLECTED UNDER THIS SECTION BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL
3 BE IDENTIFIED AND SEGREGATED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE INTO A
4 SEPARATE ACCOUNT. AFTER DEDUCTING THE MANUFACTURING AND ADMINIS-
5 TRATIVE COSTS OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, INCLUDING ADMINISTRATIVE
6 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ISSUING, REPLACING, AND SUBSTITUTING
7 PLATES, THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ON A QUARTERLY BASIS TRANS-
8 FER THE BALANCE OF THE MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMORIAL REGISTRATION
9 PLATE SERVICE FEES TO THE STATE TREASURER WHO SHALL CREDIT THE
10 FEE MONEY TO THE VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL MONUMENT FUND CREATED
11 IN SECTION 3 OF THE MICHIGAN VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL ACT, 1988
12 PA 234, MCL 35.1053. THESE FUNDS SHALL BE USED EXCLUSIVELY FOR
13 THE PURPOSES DESCRIBED IN SECTIONS 5 AND 7 OF THE MICHIGAN
14 VIETNAM VETERANS MEMORIAL ACT, 1988 PA 234, MCL 35.1055 AND
15 35.1057.

16 (6) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "MICHIGAN VETERANS MEMO-
17 RIAL REGISTRATION PLATE" MEANS A REGISTRATION PLATE CONTAINING A
18 SPECIALIZED DESIGN PERTAINING TO MICHIGAN VETERANS.