

# HOUSE BILL No. 5334

October 23, 2001, Introduced by Rep. Callahan and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled  
"Michigan vehicle code,"  
(MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding sections 217i and 217j.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1 SEC. 217I. (1) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DEVELOP AND  
2 ISSUE AN "AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS" FUND-RAISING PLATE. THE  
3 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL DESIGN THE PLATE, HAVING THE WORDS "RED  
4 CROSS" AND THE LOGO OF THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS INSCRIBED  
5 ON THE PLATE. THE WORD "MICHIGAN" SHALL APPEAR ON THE PLATE.

6 (2) THE OWNER OF A VEHICLE REQUIRED TO BE REGISTERED UNDER  
7 THIS ACT MAY APPLY, ON A FORM PRESCRIBED BY THE SECRETARY OF  
8 STATE, FOR AN AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS REGISTRATION PLATE  
9 INSTEAD OF A STANDARD REGISTRATION PLATE.

10 (3) UPON APPLICATION AND PAYMENT OF THE REGULAR REGISTRATION  
11 TAX AND A \$10.00 SERVICE FEE AND A DONATION OF \$25.00, THE

1 SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL ISSUE AN AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS  
2 REGISTRATION PLATE FOR THE VEHICLE.

3 (4) THE SECRETARY OF STATE SHALL TRANSFER THE \$25.00 DONA-  
4 TION TO THE STATE TREASURER FOR CREDIT TO THE AMERICAN NATIONAL  
5 RED CROSS DISASTER RELIEF FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SECTION 217J.

6 SEC. 217J. (1) THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS DISASTER  
7 RELIEF FUND IS CREATED WITHIN THE STATE TREASURY.

8 (2) THE STATE TREASURER MAY RECEIVE MONEY OR OTHER ASSETS  
9 FROM ANY SOURCE FOR DEPOSIT INTO THE FUND. THE STATE TREASURER  
10 SHALL DIRECT THE INVESTMENT OF THE FUND. THE STATE TREASURER  
11 SHALL CREDIT TO THE FUND INTEREST AND EARNINGS FROM FUND  
12 INVESTMENTS.

13 (3) MONEY IN THE FUND AT THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEAR SHALL  
14 REMAIN IN THE FUND AND SHALL NOT LAPSE TO THE GENERAL FUND.

15 (4) THE STATE TREASURER SHALL DISBURSE MONEY IN THE FUND ON  
16 A QUARTERLY BASIS TO THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS.

17 (5) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "FUND" MEANS THE FUND CREATED  
18 IN SUBSECTION (1).

19 (6) THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS SHALL PROVIDE AN ANNUAL  
20 ACCOUNTING OF THE MONEY RECEIVED UNDER THIS SECTION TO THE STATE  
21 TREASURER.