

HOUSE No. 3437

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Paul A. Schmid, III

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to reduce the fee for motor vehicle veteran registration plates.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	DATE ADDED:
<i>Paul A. Schmid, III</i>	<i>8th Bristol</i>	<i>1/20/2017</i>
<i>F. Jay Barrows</i>	<i>1st Bristol</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>
<i>Jennifer E. Benson</i>	<i>37th Middlesex</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>
<i>Donald R. Berthiaume, Jr.</i>	<i>5th Worcester</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Paul Brodeur</i>	<i>32nd Middlesex</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Daniel Cahill</i>	<i>10th Essex</i>	<i>1/25/2017</i>
<i>Kate D. Campanale</i>	<i>17th Worcester</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Linda Dean Campbell</i>	<i>15th Essex</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>William L. Crocker, Jr.</i>	<i>2nd Barnstable</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>
<i>Marjorie C. Decker</i>	<i>25th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>David F. DeCoste</i>	<i>5th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>
<i>Michelle M. DuBois</i>	<i>10th Plymouth</i>	<i>1/31/2017</i>
<i>Carole A. Fiola</i>	<i>6th Bristol</i>	<i>1/23/2017</i>
<i>Colleen M. Garry</i>	<i>36th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>Susan Williams Gifford</i>	<i>2nd Plymouth</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>
<i>Carlos González</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Patricia A. Haddad</i>	<i>5th Bristol</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>Louis L. Kafka</i>	<i>8th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/30/2017</i>

<i>Joseph D. McKenna</i>	<i>18th Worcester</i>	<i>1/25/2017</i>
<i>Michael O. Moore</i>	<i>Second Worcester</i>	<i>2/3/2017</i>
<i>Frank A. Moran</i>	<i>17th Essex</i>	<i>2/2/2017</i>
<i>David K. Muradian, Jr.</i>	<i>9th Worcester</i>	<i>1/26/2017</i>
<i>Keiko M. Orrall</i>	<i>12th Bristol</i>	<i>1/25/2017</i>
<i>John H. Rogers</i>	<i>12th Norfolk</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>
<i>Alan Silvia</i>	<i>7th Bristol</i>	<i>1/23/2017</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>	<i>1/24/2017</i>
<i>Timothy R. Whelan</i>	<i>1st Barnstable</i>	<i>1/21/2017</i>

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By Mr. Schmid of Westport, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3437) of Paul A. Schmid, III and others for legislation to reduce registration fees on veteran plates. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the One Hundred and Ninetieth General Court
(2017-2018)

An Act to reduce the fee for motor vehicle veteran registration plates.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. The fifteenth paragraph of section 2 of said chapter 90 of the General Laws,
2 as appearing in the 2014 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in lines, 418
3 through 421, inclusive, the sentence “There shall be an annual \$20 fee for such "VETERAN"
4 plates in addition to the established registration fee for private passenger motor vehicles and
5 motorcycles.” and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:-

6 “The fee for such “VETERAN” plates shall be the established registration fee for private
7 passenger motor vehicles and motorcycles.”

8 SECTION 2. Notwithstanding any other general or special law, or regulation to the
9 contrary, the fee for the issuance or renewal of distinctive motor vehicle registration plates
10 bearing the word “VETERAN” under the fifteenth paragraph of section 2 of chapter 90 of the
11 General Laws, as amended by section 1 of this act, shall not be increased by any additional
12 registration or special fees.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect 270 days after its passage.