

SENATE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

John J. Cronin, (BY REQUEST)

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 establishing distinctive license plates.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Wayne Queeney

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By Mr. Cronin (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Wayne Queeney for legislation to establish distinctive license plates. Transportation.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-Third General Court
(2023-2024)**

An Act establishing distinctive license 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 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the
2 tenth paragraph, as appearing in the 2020 Official Edition, the following paragraph:-

3 The registrar shall furnish, at the request of an owner of a motorcycle or a motor vehicle,
4 a license plate that bears the motto “In God We Trust.” The registrar may charge a fee directly
5 attributable to the cost of issuance of such a design upon the initial issuance of such specialized
6 license plates. This motto shall be made available to augment all standard and specialized license
7 plate designs issued within the Commonwealth. There shall additionally be an annual \$20 fee for
8 such “In God We Trust” plates in addition to the established registration fee for private
9 passenger motor vehicles and motorcycles. For the purpose of this paragraph, the word
10 “motorcycles” shall not include motorized bicycles.