

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2001**

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**HOUSE BILL 789**

Short Title: "First in Furniture" Special License Plate. (Public)

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Sponsors: Representatives Starnes; and Hilton.

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Referred to: Finance.

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1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
2 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A  
3 "FIRST IN FURNITURE" SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-79.4(b) reads as rewritten:

6 "(b) Types. – The Division shall issue the following types of special registration  
7 plates:

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9 (15a) First in Furniture.—Issuable to the registered owner of a motor vehicle  
10 in accordance with G.S. 20-81.12(c). The plate shall bear the words  
11 "First in Furniture". The Division may not issue the plate authorized  
12 by this subdivision unless it receives at least 300 applications for the  
13 plate."

14 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 20-79.7(a) reads as rewritten:

15 "(a) Fees. – Upon request, the Division shall provide and issue free of charge one  
16 registration plate to a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor, a 100% disabled  
17 veteran, and an ex-prisoner of war. All other special registration plates, including  
18 additional Congressional Medal of Honor, 100% Disabled Veteran, and Ex-Prisoner of  
19 War plates, are subject to the regular motor vehicle registration fee in G.S. 20-87 or  
20 G.S. 20-88 plus an additional fee in the following amount:

21	<u>Special Plate</u>	<u>Additional Fee Amount</u>
22	Historical Attraction	\$30.00
23	State Attraction	\$30.00
24	Collegiate Insignia	\$25.00
25	Goodness Grows	\$25.00
26	Kids First	\$25.00
27	Olympic Games	\$25.00
28	Special Olympics	\$25.00

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1	University Health Systems of Eastern Carolina	\$25.00
2	Animal Lovers	\$20.00
3	Ducks Unlimited	\$20.00
4	Litter Prevention	\$20.00
5	March of Dimes	\$20.00
6	Omega Psi Phi Fraternity	\$20.00
7	Scenic Rivers	\$20.00
8	School Technology	\$20.00
9	Soil and Water Conservation	\$20.00
10	Support Public Schools	\$20.00
11	Wildlife Resources	\$20.00
12	Personalized	\$20.00
13	Active Member of the National Guard	None
14	100% Disabled Veteran	None
15	Ex-Prisoner of War	None
16	<u>First in Furniture</u>	<u>None</u>
17	Legion of Valor	None
18	Purple Heart Recipient	None
19	Silver Star Recipient	None
20	All Other Special Plates	\$10.00."

21           **SECTION 3.** This act is effective when it becomes law.