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**A BILL**

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| To amend sections 2108.05, 2108.23, 2108.34,     | 1 |
| 4503.10, and 4503.721; to enact section          | 2 |
| 4501.027; and to repeal sections 4506.081,       | 3 |
| 4507.231, and 4507.501 of the Revised Code to    | 4 |
| increase the annual contribution for the "Donate | 5 |
| Life" license plate and requested contributions  | 6 |
| to the Second Chance Trust Fund and to provide   | 7 |
| additional opportunities for Ohio residents to   | 8 |
| register as an organ donor.                      | 9 |

**BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:**

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| <b>Section 1.</b> That sections 2108.05, 2108.23, 2108.34,   | 10 |
| 4503.10, and 4503.721 be amended and section 4501.027 of the | 11 |
| Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:                  | 12 |

Sec. 2108.05. (A) A donor may make an anatomical gift by 13  
doing any of the following: 14

(1) Authorizing a statement or symbol to be imprinted on 15  
the donor's driver's license or identification card indicating 16  
that the donor has certified a willingness to make an anatomical 17  
gift; 18

(2) Specifying during an application for or renewal of a 19  
motor vehicle registration that the donor has certified a 20  
willingness to make an anatomical gift; 21

(3) Specifying in the donor's will an intent to make an 22  
anatomical gift; 23

~~(3)~~ (4) Specifying an intent to make an anatomical gift in 24  
the donor's declaration as described in section 2133.16 of the 25  
Revised Code; 26

~~(4)~~ (5) During a terminal illness or injury of the donor, 27  
communicating in any manner to a minimum of two adults, at least 28  
one of whom is a disinterested witness, that the donor intends 29  
to make an anatomical gift; 30

~~(5)~~ (6) Following the procedure in division (B) of this 31  
section. 32

(B) A donor or other person authorized to make an 33  
anatomical gift under section 2108.04 of the Revised Code may 34  
make a gift by a donor card or other record signed by the donor 35  
or other person making the gift or by authorizing that a 36  
statement or symbol indicating that the donor has certified a 37  
willingness to make an anatomical gift be included in a donor 38  
registry. If the donor or other person is physically unable to 39  
sign a record, the record may be signed by another individual at 40  
the direction of the donor or other person and shall do both of 41

the following:

(1) Be witnessed by at least two adults, at least one of whom is a disinterested witness, who have signed at the request of the donor or the other person;

(2) State that it has been signed and witnessed as provided in division (B) (1) of this section.

(C) Once a donor has ~~authorized a statement or symbol to be imprinted on the donor's driver's license or identification card indicating that the donor has~~ certified a willingness to make an anatomical gift through either a symbol on the donor's driver's license or identification card or at the time of motor vehicle registration, the donor does not need to recertify the donor's willingness to make an anatomical gift upon renewal of the driver's license ~~or, identification card, or motor vehicle registration~~. The authorization shall remain in effect until the donor withdraws that authorization.

(D) Revocation, suspension, expiration, or cancellation of a driver's license or identification card upon which an anatomical gift is indicated does not invalidate the gift.

(E) An anatomical gift made by will takes effect on the donor's death whether or not the will is probated. Invalidation of the will after the donor's death does not invalidate the gift.

**Sec. 2108.23.** (A) (1) The bureau of motor vehicles shall develop and maintain a donor registry that identifies each individual who has agreed to make an anatomical gift ~~by a designation on~~ at the time of application or renewal of a driver's license or, identification card, or motor vehicle registration as provided in division (A) (1) or (2) of section

2108.05 of the Revised Code. The registry shall be fully 71  
operational not later than July 1, 2002. 72

(2) The registrar of motor vehicles or a deputy registrar 73  
shall ask whether each of the following wishes to certify the 74  
applicant's willingness to become a donor: 75

(a) A person applying for or renewing a driver's license; 76

(b) A person applying for or renewing an identification 77  
card; 78

(c) A person applying for or renewing a motor vehicle 79  
registration. 80

(3) The registrar or deputy registrar shall provide to any 81  
applicant who wishes to certify their willingness to become a 82  
donor the form set forth in division (D) (2) of section 2133.07 83  
of the Revised Code. 84

(4) Any person who provides to the bureau the form set 85  
forth in division (D) (2) of section 2133.07 of the Revised Code 86  
requesting to be included in the donor registry shall be 87  
included. 88

(5) Neither the registrar nor a deputy registrar shall ask 89  
a person, who is already included in the donor registry, to be a 90  
donor. 91

(B) The bureau shall maintain the registry in a manner 92  
that provides to organ procurement organizations, tissue banks, 93  
and eye banks immediate access to the information in the 94  
registry twenty-four hours a day and seven days a week. 95

(C) (1) The registrar of motor vehicles, in consultation 96  
with the director of health and the second chance trust fund 97  
advisory committee created under section 2108.35 of the Revised 98

Code, shall formulate proposed rules that specify all of the 99  
following: 100

(a) The information to be included in the registry; 101

(b) A process, in accordance with division (B) of section 102  
2108.06 of the Revised Code, for an individual to revoke the 103  
individual's intent to make an anatomical gift and for updating 104  
information in the registry; 105

(c) How the registry will be made available to organ 106  
procurement organizations, tissue banks, and eye banks; 107

(d) Limitations on the use of and access to the registry; 108

(e) How information on organ, tissue, and eye donation 109  
will be developed and disseminated to the public by the bureau 110  
and the department of health; 111

(f) The manner in which a person may request to be 112  
included in the registry on a written application for a driver's 113  
license, identification card, motor vehicle registration, or the 114  
renewal thereof. The manner of the request may include either 115  
allowing the requestor to provide the necessary information on 116  
the bureau application or redirecting the requestor to another 117  
form specific to the registry. 118

(g) Anything else the registrar considers appropriate. 119

(2) In adopting the proposed rules under this division, 120  
the registrar may consult with any person or entity that 121  
expresses an interest in the matters to be dealt with in the 122  
rules. 123

(3) Following formulation of the proposed rules, ~~but not~~ 124  
~~later than January 1, 2002,~~ the registrar shall adopt rules in 125  
accordance with Chapter 119. of the Revised Code. 126

(D) The costs of developing and initially implementing the 127  
registry shall be paid from the second chance trust fund created 128  
in section 2108.34 of the Revised Code. 129

**Sec. 2108.34.** (A) There is hereby created in the state 130  
treasury the second chance trust fund. The fund shall consist of 131  
voluntary contributions deposited as provided in sections 132  
4501.027 and 4503.721, ~~4506.081, 4507.231, and 4507.501~~ of the 133  
Revised Code. All investment earnings of the fund shall be 134  
credited to the fund. 135

(B) The director of health shall use the money in the fund 136  
only for the following purposes: 137

(1) Development and implementation of a campaign that 138  
explains and promotes the second chance trust fund; 139

(2) Development and implementation of local and statewide 140  
public education programs about organ, tissue, and eye donation, 141  
including the informational material required to be provided 142  
under ~~sections 4506.081, 4507.231, and 4507.501~~ section 4501.027 143  
of the Revised Code; 144

(3) Development and implementation of local and statewide 145  
donor awareness programs in schools; 146

(4) Development and implementation of local and statewide 147  
programs to recognize donor families; 148

(5) Development and distribution of materials promoting 149  
organ, tissue, and eye donation; 150

(6) Cooperation with the Ohio Supreme Court, Ohio State 151  
Bar Association, and law schools of this state to more 152  
effectively educate attorneys about the donation of anatomical 153  
gifts and to encourage them to assist their clients in donating 154

anatomical gifts through anatomical gift declarations, durable 155  
powers of attorney for health care, declarations as defined in 156  
section 2133.01 of the Revised Code, wills, and any other 157  
appropriate means; 158

(7) Cooperation with the state medical board, state 159  
medical, osteopathic, and ophthalmological associations, and 160  
colleges of medicine and osteopathic medicine in this state to 161  
more effectively educate physicians about the donation of 162  
anatomical gifts and to encourage them to assist their patients 163  
in making declarations of anatomical gifts; 164

(8) Development of statewide hospital training programs to 165  
encourage and facilitate compliance with sections 2108.14 and 166  
2108.15 of the Revised Code; 167

(9) Reimbursement of the bureau of motor vehicles for the 168  
administrative costs incurred in the performance of duties under 169  
~~sections 4506.081, 4507.231, and 4507.501~~ section 4501.027 of 170  
the Revised Code; 171

(10) Reimbursement of the department of health for 172  
administrative costs incurred in the performance of duties under 173  
this section and section 2108.35 of the Revised Code; 174

(11) Reimbursement of members of the second chance fund 175  
advisory committee for actual and necessary expenses incurred in 176  
the performance of official duties. 177

(C) The director shall make the materials developed under 178  
division (B) (5) of this section available to other state 179  
agencies. 180

(D) The director shall consider recommendations made by 181  
the second chance trust fund advisory committee pursuant to 182  
section 2108.35 of the Revised Code. The director shall 183

determine the appropriateness of and approve or disapprove 184  
projects recommended by the advisory committee for funding and 185  
approve or disapprove the disbursement of money from the second 186  
chance trust fund. 187

Sec. 4501.027. (A) The registrar of motor vehicles or a 188  
deputy registrar shall ask whether each of the following wish to 189  
make a two-dollar voluntary contribution to the second chance 190  
trust fund established under section 2108.34 of the Revised 191  
Code: 192

(1) A person applying for or renewing a driver's license, 193  
motorcycle operator's endorsement, or duplicate; 194

(2) A person applying for or renewing an identification 195  
card or duplicate; 196

(3) A person applying for or renewing a commercial 197  
driver's license, restricted commercial driver's license, or 198  
duplicate. 199

(B) The registrar or deputy registrar also shall make 200  
available to the person informational material provided by the 201  
department of health on the importance of organ, tissue, and eye 202  
donation. 203

(C) All donations collected under this section during each 204  
month shall be forwarded by the registrar or deputy registrar 205  
not later than the fifth day of the immediately following month 206  
to the treasurer of state, who shall deposit them in the second 207  
chance trust fund. 208

Sec. 4503.10. (A) The owner of every snowmobile, off- 209  
highway motorcycle, and all-purpose vehicle required to be 210  
registered under section 4519.02 of the Revised Code shall file 211  
an application for registration under section 4519.03 of the 212

Revised Code. The owner of a motor vehicle, other than a 213  
snowmobile, off-highway motorcycle, or all-purpose vehicle, that 214  
is not designed and constructed by the manufacturer for 215  
operation on a street or highway may not register it under this 216  
chapter except upon certification of inspection pursuant to 217  
section 4513.02 of the Revised Code by the sheriff, or the chief 218  
of police of the municipal corporation or township, with 219  
jurisdiction over the political subdivision in which the owner 220  
of the motor vehicle resides. Except as provided in section 221  
4503.103 of the Revised Code, every owner of every other motor 222  
vehicle not previously described in this section and every 223  
person mentioned as owner in the last certificate of title of a 224  
motor vehicle that is operated or driven upon the public roads 225  
or highways shall cause to be filed each year, by mail or 226  
otherwise, in the office of the registrar of motor vehicles or a 227  
deputy registrar, a written or electronic application or a 228  
preprinted registration renewal notice issued under section 229  
4503.102 of the Revised Code, the form of which shall be 230  
prescribed by the registrar, for registration for the following 231  
registration year, which shall begin on the first day of January 232  
of every calendar year and end on the thirty-first day of 233  
December in the same year. Applications for registration and 234  
registration renewal notices shall be filed at the times 235  
established by the registrar pursuant to section 4503.101 of the 236  
Revised Code. A motor vehicle owner also may elect to apply for 237  
or renew a motor vehicle registration by electronic means using 238  
electronic signature in accordance with rules adopted by the 239  
registrar. Except as provided in division (J) of this section, 240  
applications for registration shall be made on blanks furnished 241  
by the registrar for that purpose, containing the following 242  
information: 243

(1) A brief description of the motor vehicle to be 244  
registered, including the year, make, model, and vehicle 245  
identification number, and, in the case of commercial cars, the 246  
gross weight of the vehicle fully equipped computed in the 247  
manner prescribed in section 4503.08 of the Revised Code; 248

(2) The name and residence address of the owner, and the 249  
township and municipal corporation in which the owner resides; 250

(3) The district of registration, which shall be 251  
determined as follows: 252

(a) In case the motor vehicle to be registered is used for 253  
hire or principally in connection with any established business 254  
or branch business, conducted at a particular place, the 255  
district of registration is the municipal corporation in which 256  
that place is located or, if not located in any municipal 257  
corporation, the county and township in which that place is 258  
located. 259

(b) In case the vehicle is not so used, the district of 260  
registration is the municipal corporation or county in which the 261  
owner resides at the time of making the application. 262

(4) Whether the motor vehicle is a new or used motor 263  
vehicle; 264

(5) The date of purchase of the motor vehicle; 265

(6) Whether the fees required to be paid for the 266  
registration or transfer of the motor vehicle, during the 267  
preceding registration year and during the preceding period of 268  
the current registration year, have been paid. Each application 269  
for registration shall be signed by the owner, either manually 270  
or by electronic signature, or pursuant to obtaining a limited 271  
power of attorney authorized by the registrar for registration, 272

or other document authorizing such signature. If the owner 273  
elects to apply for or renew the motor vehicle registration with 274  
the registrar by electronic means, the owner's manual signature 275  
is not required. 276

(7) The owner's social security number, driver's license 277  
number, or state identification number, or, where a motor 278  
vehicle to be registered is used for hire or principally in 279  
connection with any established business, the owner's federal 280  
taxpayer identification number. The bureau of motor vehicles 281  
shall retain in its records all social security numbers provided 282  
under this section, but the bureau shall not place social 283  
security numbers on motor vehicle certificates of registration. 284

(8) Whether the applicant wishes to certify willingness to 285  
make an anatomical gift if an applicant has not so certified 286  
under section 2108.05 of the Revised Code. The applicant's 287  
response shall not be considered in the decision of whether to 288  
approve the application for registration. 289

(B) Except as otherwise provided in this division, each 290  
time an applicant first registers a motor vehicle in the 291  
applicant's name, the applicant shall present for inspection a 292  
physical certificate of title or memorandum certificate showing 293  
title to the motor vehicle to be registered in the name of the 294  
applicant if a physical certificate of title or memorandum 295  
certificate has been issued by a clerk of a court of common 296  
pleas. If, under sections 4505.021, 4505.06, and 4505.08 of the 297  
Revised Code, a clerk instead has issued an electronic 298  
certificate of title for the applicant's motor vehicle, that 299  
certificate may be presented for inspection at the time of first 300  
registration in a manner prescribed by rules adopted by the 301  
registrar. An applicant is not required to present a certificate 302

of title to an electronic motor vehicle dealer acting as a 303  
limited authority deputy registrar in accordance with rules 304  
adopted by the registrar. When a motor vehicle inspection and 305  
maintenance program is in effect under section 3704.14 of the 306  
Revised Code and rules adopted under it, each application for 307  
registration for a vehicle required to be inspected under that 308  
section and those rules shall be accompanied by an inspection 309  
certificate for the motor vehicle issued in accordance with that 310  
section. The application shall be refused if any of the 311  
following applies: 312

(1) The application is not in proper form. 313

(2) The application is prohibited from being accepted by 314  
division (D) of section 2935.27, division (A) of section 315  
2937.221, division (A) of section 4503.13, division (B) of 316  
section 4510.22, or division (B)(1) of section 4521.10 of the 317  
Revised Code. 318

(3) A certificate of title or memorandum certificate of 319  
title is required but does not accompany the application or, in 320  
the case of an electronic certificate of title, is required but 321  
is not presented in a manner prescribed by the registrar's 322  
rules. 323

(4) All registration and transfer fees for the motor 324  
vehicle, for the preceding year or the preceding period of the 325  
current registration year, have not been paid. 326

(5) The owner or lessee does not have an inspection 327  
certificate for the motor vehicle as provided in section 3704.14 328  
of the Revised Code, and rules adopted under it, if that section 329  
is applicable. 330

This section does not require the payment of license or 331

registration taxes on a motor vehicle for any preceding year, or 332  
for any preceding period of a year, if the motor vehicle was not 333  
taxable for that preceding year or period under sections 334  
4503.02, 4503.04, 4503.11, 4503.12, and 4503.16 or Chapter 4504. 335  
of the Revised Code. When a certificate of registration is 336  
issued upon the first registration of a motor vehicle by or on 337  
behalf of the owner, the official issuing the certificate shall 338  
indicate the issuance with a stamp on the certificate of title 339  
or memorandum certificate or, in the case of an electronic 340  
certificate of title, an electronic stamp or other notation as 341  
specified in rules adopted by the registrar, and with a stamp on 342  
the inspection certificate for the motor vehicle, if any. The 343  
official also shall indicate, by a stamp or by other means the 344  
registrar prescribes, on the registration certificate issued 345  
upon the first registration of a motor vehicle by or on behalf 346  
of the owner the odometer reading of the motor vehicle as shown 347  
in the odometer statement included in or attached to the 348  
certificate of title. Upon each subsequent registration of the 349  
motor vehicle by or on behalf of the same owner, the official 350  
also shall so indicate the odometer reading of the motor vehicle 351  
as shown on the immediately preceding certificate of 352  
registration. 353

The registrar shall include in the permanent registration 354  
record of any vehicle required to be inspected under section 355  
3704.14 of the Revised Code the inspection certificate number 356  
from the inspection certificate that is presented at the time of 357  
registration of the vehicle as required under this division. 358

(C) (1) Except as otherwise provided in division (C) (1) of 359  
this section, the registrar and each deputy registrar shall 360  
collect an additional fee of eleven dollars for each application 361  
for registration and registration renewal received. For vehicles 362

specified in divisions (A) (1) to (21) of section 4503.042 of the Revised Code, the registrar and deputy registrar shall collect an additional fee of thirty dollars for each application for registration and registration renewal received. No additional fee shall be charged for vehicles registered under section 4503.65 of the Revised Code. The additional fee is for the purpose of defraying the department of public safety's costs associated with the administration and enforcement of the motor vehicle and traffic laws of Ohio. Each deputy registrar shall transmit the fees collected under divisions (C) (1), (3), and (4) of this section in the time and manner provided in this section. The registrar shall deposit all moneys received under division (C) (1) of this section into the public safety - highway purposes fund established in section 4501.06 of the Revised Code.

(2) In addition, a charge of twenty-five cents shall be made for each reflectorized safety license plate issued, and a single charge of twenty-five cents shall be made for each county identification sticker or each set of county identification stickers issued, as the case may be, to cover the cost of producing the license plates and stickers, including material, manufacturing, and administrative costs. Those fees shall be in addition to the license tax. If the total cost of producing the plates is less than twenty-five cents per plate, or if the total cost of producing the stickers is less than twenty-five cents per sticker or per set issued, any excess moneys accruing from the fees shall be distributed in the same manner as provided by section 4501.04 of the Revised Code for the distribution of license tax moneys. If the total cost of producing the plates exceeds twenty-five cents per plate, or if the total cost of producing the stickers exceeds twenty-five cents per sticker or per set issued, the difference shall be paid from the license

tax moneys collected pursuant to section 4503.02 of the Revised Code. 394  
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(3) The registrar and each deputy registrar shall collect 396  
an additional fee of two hundred dollars for each application 397  
for registration or registration renewal received for any plug- 398  
in electric motor vehicle. The fee shall be prorated based on 399  
the number of months for which the plug-in electric motor 400  
vehicle is registered. The registrar shall transmit all money 401  
arising from the fee imposed by division (C) (3) of this section 402  
to the treasurer of state for distribution in accordance with 403  
division (E) of section 5735.051 of the Revised Code, subject to 404  
division (D) of section 5735.05 of the Revised Code. 405

(4) The registrar and each deputy registrar shall collect 406  
an additional fee of one hundred dollars for each application 407  
for registration or registration renewal received for any hybrid 408  
motor vehicle. The fee shall be prorated based on the number of 409  
months for which the hybrid motor vehicle is registered. The 410  
registrar shall transmit all money arising from the fee imposed 411  
by division (C) (4) of this section to the treasurer of state for 412  
distribution in accordance with division (E) of section 5735.051 413  
of the Revised Code, subject to division (D) of section 5735.05 414  
of the Revised Code. 415

The fees established under divisions (C) (3) and (4) of 416  
this section shall not be imposed until January 1, 2020. 417

(D) Each deputy registrar shall be allowed a fee equal to 418  
the amount established under section 4503.038 of the Revised 419  
Code for each application for registration and registration 420  
renewal notice the deputy registrar receives, which shall be for 421  
the purpose of compensating the deputy registrar for the deputy 422  
registrar's services, and such office and rental expenses, as 423

may be necessary for the proper discharge of the deputy 424  
registrar's duties in the receiving of applications and renewal 425  
notices and the issuing of registrations. 426

(E) Upon the certification of the registrar, the county 427  
sheriff or local police officials shall recover license plates 428  
erroneously or fraudulently issued. 429

(F) Each deputy registrar, upon receipt of any application 430  
for registration or registration renewal notice, together with 431  
the license fee and any local motor vehicle license tax levied 432  
pursuant to Chapter 4504. of the Revised Code, shall transmit 433  
that fee and tax, if any, in the manner provided in this 434  
section, together with the original and duplicate copy of the 435  
application, to the registrar. The registrar, subject to the 436  
approval of the director of public safety, may deposit the funds 437  
collected by those deputies in a local bank or depository to the 438  
credit of the "state of Ohio, bureau of motor vehicles." Where a 439  
local bank or depository has been designated by the registrar, 440  
each deputy registrar shall deposit all moneys collected by the 441  
deputy registrar into that bank or depository not more than one 442  
business day after their collection and shall make reports to 443  
the registrar of the amounts so deposited, together with any 444  
other information, some of which may be prescribed by the 445  
treasurer of state, as the registrar may require and as 446  
prescribed by the registrar by rule. The registrar, within three 447  
days after receipt of notification of the deposit of funds by a 448  
deputy registrar in a local bank or depository, shall draw on 449  
that account in favor of the treasurer of state. The registrar, 450  
subject to the approval of the director and the treasurer of 451  
state, may make reasonable rules necessary for the prompt 452  
transmittal of fees and for safeguarding the interests of the 453  
state and of counties, townships, municipal corporations, and 454

transportation improvement districts levying local motor vehicle 455  
license taxes. The registrar may pay service charges usually 456  
collected by banks and depositories for such service. If deputy 457  
registrars are located in communities where banking facilities 458  
are not available, they shall transmit the fees forthwith, by 459  
money order or otherwise, as the registrar, by rule approved by 460  
the director and the treasurer of state, may prescribe. The 461  
registrar may pay the usual and customary fees for such service. 462

(G) This section does not prevent any person from making 463  
an application for a motor vehicle license directly to the 464  
registrar by mail, by electronic means, or in person at any of 465  
the registrar's offices, upon payment of a service fee equal to 466  
the amount established under section 4503.038 of the Revised 467  
Code for each application. 468

(H) No person shall make a false statement as to the 469  
district of registration in an application required by division 470  
(A) of this section. Violation of this division is falsification 471  
under section 2921.13 of the Revised Code and punishable as 472  
specified in that section. 473

(I) (1) Where applicable, the requirements of division (B) 474  
of this section relating to the presentation of an inspection 475  
certificate issued under section 3704.14 of the Revised Code and 476  
rules adopted under it for a motor vehicle, the refusal of a 477  
license for failure to present an inspection certificate, and 478  
the stamping of the inspection certificate by the official 479  
issuing the certificate of registration apply to the 480  
registration of and issuance of license plates for a motor 481  
vehicle under sections 4503.102, 4503.12, 4503.14, 4503.15, 482  
4503.16, 4503.171, 4503.172, 4503.19, 4503.40, 4503.41, 4503.42, 483  
4503.43, 4503.44, 4503.46, 4503.47, and 4503.51 of the Revised 484

Code. 485

(2) (a) The registrar shall adopt rules ensuring that each 486  
owner registering a motor vehicle in a county where a motor 487  
vehicle inspection and maintenance program is in effect under 488  
section 3704.14 of the Revised Code and rules adopted under it 489  
receives information about the requirements established in that 490  
section and those rules and about the need in those counties to 491  
present an inspection certificate with an application for 492  
registration or preregistration. 493

(b) Upon request, the registrar shall provide the director 494  
of environmental protection, or any person that has been awarded 495  
a contract under section 3704.14 of the Revised Code, an on-line 496  
computer data link to registration information for all passenger 497  
cars, noncommercial motor vehicles, and commercial cars that are 498  
subject to that section. The registrar also shall provide to the 499  
director of environmental protection a magnetic data tape 500  
containing registration information regarding passenger cars, 501  
noncommercial motor vehicles, and commercial cars for which a 502  
multi-year registration is in effect under section 4503.103 of 503  
the Revised Code or rules adopted under it, including, without 504  
limitation, the date of issuance of the multi-year registration, 505  
the registration deadline established under rules adopted under 506  
section 4503.101 of the Revised Code that was applicable in the 507  
year in which the multi-year registration was issued, and the 508  
registration deadline for renewal of the multi-year 509  
registration. 510

(J) Subject to division (K) of this section, application 511  
for registration under the international registration plan, as 512  
set forth in sections 4503.60 to 4503.66 of the Revised Code, 513  
shall be made to the registrar on forms furnished by the 514

registrar. In accordance with international registration plan 515  
guidelines and pursuant to rules adopted by the registrar, the 516  
forms shall include the following: 517

(1) A uniform mileage schedule; 518

(2) The gross vehicle weight of the vehicle or combined 519  
gross vehicle weight of the combination vehicle as declared by 520  
the registrant; 521

(3) Any other information the registrar requires by rule. 522

(K) The registrar shall determine the feasibility of 523  
implementing an electronic commercial fleet licensing and 524  
management program that will enable the owners of commercial 525  
tractors, commercial trailers, and commercial semitrailers to 526  
conduct electronic transactions by July 1, 2010, or sooner. If 527  
the registrar determines that implementing such a program is 528  
feasible, the registrar shall adopt new rules under this 529  
division or amend existing rules adopted under this division as 530  
necessary in order to respond to advances in technology. 531

If international registration plan guidelines and 532  
provisions allow member jurisdictions to permit applications for 533  
registrations under the international registration plan to be 534  
made via the internet, the rules the registrar adopts under this 535  
division shall permit such action. 536

**Sec. 4503.721.** (A) The owner or lessee of any passenger 537  
car, noncommercial motor vehicle, recreational vehicle, or other 538  
vehicle of a class approved by the registrar of motor vehicles 539  
may apply to the registrar for the registration of the vehicle 540  
and issuance of "donate life" license plates. An application 541  
made under this section may be combined with a request for a 542  
special reserved license plate under section 4503.40 or 4503.42 543

of the Revised Code. Upon receipt of the completed application 544  
and compliance by the applicant with divisions (B) and (C) of 545  
this section, the registrar shall issue to the applicant the 546  
appropriate vehicle registration and a set of "donate life" 547  
license plates and a validation sticker, or a validation sticker 548  
alone when required by section 4503.191 of the Revised Code. 549

In addition to the letters and numbers ordinarily 550  
inscribed on the license plates, "donate life" license plates 551  
shall be inscribed with identifying words or markings designated 552  
by lifeline of Ohio, incorporated, and approved by the 553  
registrar. "Donate life" license plates shall display county 554  
identification stickers that identify the county of registration 555  
as required under section 4503.19 of the Revised Code. 556

(B) The "donate life" license plates and a validation 557  
sticker, or validation sticker alone, shall be issued upon 558  
receipt of a contribution as provided in division (C) of this 559  
section and upon payment of the regular license tax as 560  
prescribed under section 4503.04 of the Revised Code, any 561  
applicable motor vehicle license tax levied under Chapter 4504. 562  
of the Revised Code, any applicable additional fee prescribed by 563  
section 4503.40 or 4503.42 of the Revised Code, an additional 564  
fee of ten dollars, and compliance with all other applicable 565  
laws relating to the registration of motor vehicles. 566

(C) For each application for registration and registration 567  
renewal notice the registrar receives under this section, the 568  
registrar shall collect a contribution of ~~five~~ fifteen dollars. 569  
The registrar shall transmit this contribution to the treasurer 570  
of state for deposit into the state treasury to the credit of 571  
the second chance trust fund created in section 2108.34 of the 572  
Revised Code. 573

The additional fee of ten dollars is to compensate the 574  
bureau of motor vehicles for additional services required in the 575  
issuing of "donate life" license plates. The registrar shall 576  
transmit the additional fee to the treasurer of state for 577  
deposit into the state treasury to the credit of the public 578  
safety - highway purposes fund created by section 4501.06 of the 579  
Revised Code. 580

**Section 2.** That existing sections 2108.05, 2108.23, 581  
2108.34, 4503.10, and 4503.721 of the Revised Code are hereby 582  
repealed. 583

**Section 3.** That sections 4506.081, 4507.231, and 4507.501 584  
of the Revised Code are hereby repealed. 585