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HOUSE BILL 11-1182

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE ADJUSTMENT OF SPECIFIED VEHICLE FEES CREDITED**
102 **TO SPECIAL PURPOSE ACCOUNTS WITHIN THE HIGHWAY USERS**
103 **TAX FUND, AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION THEREFOR.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://www.leg.state.co.us/billsummaries>.)

The bill reduces the portion of the vehicle registration fee credited to the motorist insurance identification account in the highway users tax fund from 50 cents to 10 cents.

The bill also increases the vehicle registration fee by 50 cents. The

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
*Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.*

SENATE
2nd Reading Unam ended
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HOUSE
3rd Reading Unam ended
March 1, 2011

HOUSE
Am ended 2nd Reading
February 28, 2011

additional 50 cents is credited to the Colorado state titling and registration account in the highway users tax fund.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** The introductory portion to 42-3-304 (18) (d) (I),
3 Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

4 **42-3-304. Registration fees - passenger and passenger-mile**
5 **taxes - clean screen fund - repeal.** (18) (d) (I) In addition to any other
6 fee imposed by this section, the owner shall pay, at the time of
7 registration of a motor vehicle or low-power scooter, a motorist insurance
8 identification fee. The fee shall be adjusted annually by the department,
9 based upon moneys appropriated by the general assembly for the
10 operation of the motorist insurance identification database program.
11 PRIOR TO JULY 1, 2011, in no event shall the fee exceed fifty cents. ON
12 AND AFTER JULY 1, 2011, IN NO EVENT SHALL THE FEE EXCEED TEN CENTS.
13 The fee shall be transmitted to the state treasurer, who shall credit it to a
14 special account within the highway users tax fund, to be known as the
15 motorist insurance identification account, which is hereby created.
16 Moneys in the motorist insurance identification account shall be used,
17 subject to appropriation by the general assembly, to cover the costs of
18 administration and enforcement of the motorist insurance identification
19 database program, created in section 42-7-604 and, for state fiscal years
20 2010-11 and 2011-12, for expenses incurred in connection with the
21 administration of article 2 of this title by the division of motor vehicles
22 within the department; except that:

23 **SECTION 2.** 42-3-306, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended
24 BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

25 **42-3-306. Registration fees - passenger and passenger-mile**

1 **taxes - fee schedule.** (14) (a) IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER FEE REQUIRED
2 BY THIS SECTION, ON AND AFTER JULY 1, 2011, EACH AUTHORIZED AGENT
3 SHALL COLLECT A FEE OF:

4 (I) FIFTY CENTS PER PAID REGISTRATION OF ANY MOTOR VEHICLE
5 THAT IS NOT EXEMPT FROM THE MOTOR INSURANCE IDENTIFICATION FEE
6 PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-3-304 (1) (b); OR

7 (II) TEN CENTS PER PAID REGISTRATION OF ANY MOTOR VEHICLE
8 THAT IS EXEMPT FROM THE MOTOR INSURANCE IDENTIFICATION FEE
9 PURSUANT TO SECTION 42-3-304 (1) (b).

10 (b) THE FEE REQUIRED BY PARAGRAPH (a) OF THIS SUBSECTION
11 (14) SHALL APPLY TO EVERY REGISTRATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE THAT IS
12 DESIGNED PRIMARILY TO BE OPERATED OR DRAWN ON ANY HIGHWAY IN
13 THE STATE AND SHALL BE IN ADDITION TO THE ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE
14 FOR THE VEHICLE; EXCEPT THAT THE FEE SHALL NOT APPLY TO A VEHICLE
15 THAT IS EXEMPT FROM PAYMENT OF THE REGISTRATION FEES IMPOSED BY
16 THIS ARTICLE. THE FEE SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE COLORADO STATE
17 TITLING AND REGISTRATION ACCOUNT IN THE HIGHWAY USERS TAX FUND
18 CREATED IN SECTION 42-1-211 (2).

19 **SECTION 3. Appropriation.** (1) In addition to any other
20 appropriation, there is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the
21 general fund not otherwise appropriated, to the department of revenue, for
22 allocation to the information technology division, for the fiscal year
23 beginning July 1, 2010, the sum of five thousand four hundred eighty
24 dollars (\$5,480), or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the
25 implementation of this act.

26 (2) In addition to any other appropriation, there is hereby
27 appropriated to the governor - lieutenant governor - state planning and

1 budgeting, for allocation to the office of information technology, for the
2 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, the sum of one thousand four hundred
3 eighty dollars (\$1,480), or so much thereof as may be necessary, for
4 programming services to be provided to the department of revenue related
5 to the implementation of this act. Said sum shall be from reappropriated
6 funds received from the department of revenue out of the appropriation
7 made in subsection (1) of this section.

8 (3) In addition to any other appropriation, there is hereby
9 appropriated, out of any moneys in the Colorado state titling and
10 registration account of the highway users tax fund created in Section
11 42-1-211 (2), Colorado Revised Statutes, not otherwise appropriated, to
12 the department of revenue, for allocation to the information technology
13 division, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, the sum of one
14 thousand seven hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,776) cash funds, or so
15 much thereof as may be necessary, for the implementation of this act.

16 (4) In addition to any other appropriation, there is hereby
17 appropriated to the governor - lieutenant governor - state planning and
18 budgeting, for allocation to the office of information technology, for the
19 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010, the sum of one thousand seven
20 hundred seventy-six dollars (\$1,776), or so much thereof as may be
21 necessary, for programming services to be provided to the department of
22 revenue related to the implementation of this act. Said sum shall be from
23 reappropriated funds received from the department of revenue out of the
24 appropriation made in subsection (3) of this section.

25 **SECTION 4. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
26 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
27 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.