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**SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 2574**

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**State of Washington                      62nd Legislature                      2012 Regular Session**

**By** House Transportation (originally sponsored by Representatives Kristiansen and Pearson)

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1            AN ACT Relating to special license plates with a special year tab  
2 for persons with disabilities; amending RCW 46.19.060; and providing an  
3 effective date.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5            **Sec. 1.** RCW 46.19.060 and 2011 c 171 s 75 are each amended to read  
6 as follows:

7            (1) An additional fee may not be charged for special license plates  
8 for persons with disabilities except for any other fees and taxes  
9 required to be paid upon registration of a motor vehicle.

10           (2) A registered owner who qualifies for special parking privileges  
11 as described in RCW 46.19.010 may apply to the department for special  
12 license plates for persons with disabilities or special license plates  
13 with a special year tab for persons with disabilities. Special license  
14 plates with a special year tab for persons with disabilities are  
15 available on (~~the following~~) any special license plate (~~designs:~~

16           PLATETYPE

ISSUED UNDER

|    |  |                 |
|----|--|-----------------|
| 1  | Armed forces collection                  | RCW 46.18.210   |
| 2  | Baseball stadium                         | RCW 46.18.215   |
| 3  | Collegiate                               | RCW 46.18.225   |
| 4  | Disabled American veteran                | RCW 46.18.235   |
| 5  | Endangered wildlife                      | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 6  | Former prisoner of war                   | RCW 46.18.235   |
| 7  | Helping kids speak                       | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 8  | Keep kids safe                           | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 9  | Law enforcement memorial                 | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 10 | Pearl Harbor survivor                    | RCW 46.18.270   |
| 11 | Personalized                             | RCW 46.18.275   |
| 12 | Professional firefighters and paramedics | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 13 | Purple Heart                             | RCW 46.18.280   |
| 14 | Share the road                           | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 15 | Ski & ride Washington                    | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 16 | Square dancer                            | RCW 46.18.290   |
| 17 | Washington lighthouses                   | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 18 | Washington's national park fund          | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 19 | Washington state parks                   | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 20 | Washington's wildlife collection         | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 21 | We love our pets                         | RCW 46.18.200   |
| 22 | Wild on Washington                       | RCW 46.18.200)) |

23 created under chapter 46.18 RCW, except the collector vehicle,  
24 horseless carriage, and ride share special license plates.

25 (3) A registered owner who chooses to purchase special license  
26 plates as described in subsection (2) of this section shall pay the  
27 applicable special license plate fee, in addition to any other fees or  
28 taxes required for registering a motor vehicle.

29 (4) Special license plates for persons with disabilities or special  
30 license plates with a special year tab for persons with disabilities  
31 must be renewed in the same manner and at the time required for the  
32 renewal of standard motor vehicle license plates under chapter 46.16A  
33 RCW.

34 (5) Special license plates for persons with disabilities or special  
35 license plates with a special year tab for persons with disabilities  
36 may be transferred from one motor vehicle to another motor vehicle

1 owned by the person with the parking privilege upon application to the  
2 department, county auditor or other agent, or subagent appointed by the  
3 director.

4 (6) Special license plates for persons with disabilities or special  
5 license plates with a special year tab for persons with disabilities  
6 must be removed from the motor vehicle when the person with  
7 disabilities transfers or assigns his or her interest in the motor  
8 vehicle.

9 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act takes effect January 1, 2013.

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