

1 2	(New Draft of H.P. 1443, L.D. 1888) (New Title)
3 4	SECOND REGULAR SESSION
5 6	ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE
7 8	Legislative Document No. 2289
9	H.P. 1736 House of Representatives, March 19, 1984
10	Reported by the Majority from the Committee on Transportation and
11	printed under Joint Rule 2. Original bill presented by Representative Ridley of Shapleigh.
12	EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk
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16	IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
17	NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR
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19	RECOLVE to Provide for a Componentius
20	RESOLVE, to Provide for a Commemorative Bicentennial Motor Vehicle License Plate to
21	Celebrate the Bicentennial of the Town of
22	Shapleigh.
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24	Authority. Resolved: That the Shapleigh Bicen-
25	tennial Committee established by the Town of
- 26	Shapleigh at town meeting, March 10, 1979, under Ar-
27	ticle 23 of the Town Warrant, is authorized to de-
28	sign, distribute and sell reflectorized, commemora-
29	tive, bicentennial, simulated, motor vehicle regis-
30	tration plates. The committee shall promulgate such
31	rules as it deems appropriate with respect to the de-
32	sign, distribution and sale of reflectorized, commem-
33	orative, bicentennial, simulated, motor vehicle reg-
34	istration plates. No commemorative plates may be
35 36	sold, distributed or displayed which are not approved by the committee; and be it further
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1 Use. Resolved: That the commemorative bicenten-2 nial plate, as established by this resolve may be 3 displayed to replace the front registration plate on 4 any motor vehicle registered in this State, except 5 truck tractors, from January 1, 1985, to December 31, 1985. The commemorative bicentennial plate may be 6 7 displayed on motor vehicles, except truck tractors, 8 registered outside the State, but operated within 9 this State in the same manner as provided for vehi-10 cles registered in this State; and be it further

11 Fees. Resolved: That the price of the plates 12 shall be determined by the committee. The funds re-13 ceived by the committee from the sale of the plates 14 shall be expended by the committee for the observance 15 of the bicentennial of the Town of Shapleigh and for 16 other lawful purposes of the committee.

## STATEMENT OF FACT

18 The purpose of this new draft is to exclude truck 19 tractors from the provisions of the law and to clarify the use of the bicentennial plates. Since truck 20 21 are required to display only one registratractors 22 tion plate in the front of the vehicle, the display 23 of a bicentennial plate on these vehicles would re-24 move their identity for law enforcement purposes. This new draft also removes a contradiction in the 25 26 bill pertaining to the display of the commemorative 27 plates. The bicentennial plate may replace the regu-28 lar front registration plate.

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