



Louisiana Department of Public Safety
Office of Motor Vehicles
Policy 21.03 Prestige Legislator License Plates

Section: 5. Motor Vehicle License Plate Classifications & Requirements

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General:

- State Law provides for the use of special prestige Legislator license plates. This plate can be issued to private passenger automobiles, vans and private trucks up to 16,000 lbs.

Eligibility:

- Any member of the Louisiana Legislature who receives a special commemorative license plate upon inauguration is eligible to use that plate on a vehicle registered in his name.
- **Note:** The plate shall be surrendered when the applicant is no longer a member of the Legislature.

Requirements:

- All applications for initial issuance of a validation sticker for a prestige Legislator license plate must be accompanied by a photocopy of the plate or a statement indicating which district the legislator represents.
- A photocopy of the registration certificate of the vehicle on which the plate will be placed if the vehicle is currently registered. OR
- If the vehicle is not registered in the applicant's name, proper title documentation and fees must be submitted along with the request for the validation sticker for the prestige Legislator license plate.

Fees:

- \$25.00 one-time fee, in addition to regular registration fees, due only at initial issuance.
- \$8.00 handling fee due on all transactions except renewals.
- \$3.50 administrative handling fee due only on initial issuance.
- \$3.00 fee to transfer the plate to another vehicle in the applicant's name.

Notes:

- All requests for initial issuance, transfer, and renewal must be submitted to the Specialized Vehicle Unit, P.O. Box 64886, Baton Rouge, LA., 70896.
- Plates may be transferred from one vehicle in the applicant's name to another vehicle in applicant's name, but cannot be transferred between owners.
- Renewals, duplicate titles, title corrections and replacement stickers may be processed by any motor vehicle office or public tag agent. All other requests, including transfers and conversions, must be mailed to the Specialized Vehicle Unit.