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HOUSE BILL NO. 833

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A BILL to amend and reenact § 46.2-749.78 of the Čode of Virginia, relating to special license plates whose design incorporates the flag of the United States of America and the legend "United We Stand"; fee.

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Referred to Committee on Transportation

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Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:

1. That § 46.2-749.78 of the Code of Virginia is amended and reenacted as follows:

§ 46.2-749.78. Special license plates; United We Stand.

A. On receipt of an application and payment of the fee prescribed by this section, the Commissioner shall issue special license plates whose design incorporates the flag of the United States of America and the legend: United We Stand.

B. The annual fee for plates issued pursuant to this section shall be twenty-five dollars in addition to the prescribed fee for state license plates. For each such twenty-five-dollar fee collected in excess of 1,000 registrations pursuant to this section, fifteen dollars shall be paid into the state treasury and credited to a special nonreverting fund known as the United We Stand Fund established within the Department of Accounts. These funds shall be paid annually to the Rewards for Justice Fund and shall be used solely as reward payments to informants with information about known terrorists or terrorist plans.