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**HOUSE BILL 1389
Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 11/13/01**

Short Title: Retired Magistrates Bill.

(Public)

Sponsors:

Referred to:

April 26, 2001

1 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2 AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A
3 SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE FOR RETIRED MAGISTRATES.

4 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

5 **SECTION 1.** G.S. 20-79.4(b) reads as rewritten:

6 "(b) Types. – The Division shall issue the following types of special registration
7 plates:

8 ...

9 (23) Magistrate. – Issuable to a current or retired North Carolina magistrate.
10 ~~The A~~ plate issued to a current magistrate shall bear the letters "MJ"
11 followed by a number indicating the district court district the
12 magistrate serves, then by a hyphen, and then by a number indicating
13 the seniority of the magistrate. The Division shall use the number "9"
14 to designate District Court Districts 9 and 9B. A plate issued to a
15 retired magistrate shall bear the phrase "Magistrate, Retired", the
16 letters "MJX" followed by a hyphen and the number that indicates the
17 district court district the magistrate served, followed by a letter based
18 on the order of issuance of the plates."

19 **SECTION 2.** This act is effective when it becomes law.