Local Government Mandate Statement Kentucky Legislative Research Commission 2018 Regular Session

Part I: Measure Information

Bill Request #: 1792						
Bill #: HB 530 GA						
Document ID #: <u>6780</u>						
Bill Subject/Title: An Act relating to a personlized license plates.						
Sponsor: Representative Sal Santoro						
Unit of Government:CityXCountyXUrban-CountyXCharter CountyXConsolidated LocalXGovernment						
Office(s) Impacted: County Clerk						
Requirement: X Mandatory Optional						
Effect on Powers & Duties: X Modifies Existing Adds New Eliminates Existing						

Part II: Bill Provisions and the Estimated Fiscal Impact Relating to Local Government

HB 530 GA amends KRS 186.174 changing the renewal schedule of personalized license plates from December 31, 2018, to the last day of the birth month of the applicant, beginning in 2019 and in each subsequent year thereafter.

For personalized license plates already issued as of the effective date of this Act, renewal applications and fees must be received by the Transportation Cabinet on or before September 1, 2018, and then shall expire on the last day of their birth month beginning in 2019 and in each succeeding year. An applicant who renews a personalized license plate that expires on December 31, 2018, shall have their registration fee prorated based on the number of months the registration is valid during 2019. For individuals whose birth month falls in January, February or March, their registration will expire on April 30, 2019, and then expire on the last day of their birth month in each succeeding year. Their registration fee shall be prorated based on the number of months the registration as of their birth month in each succeeding year.

New personalized plates issued after the effective date of this Act, will expire on the last day of the birth month of the applicant.

All personalized license plates will be replaced on the same schedule as regular license plates unless it is damaged or unreadable.

Fee collection and allocation will not change as a result of this bill.

Implementation of HB 530 will have a negligible fiscal impact on county clerks offices. The effect of this bill will be to spread license plate renewals over the calendar year as opposed to lumping all of the personalized plates at the end of the year.

Part III: Differences to Local Government Mandate Statement from Prior Versions

HB 530 GA incorporates HFA 1, pro rata language establishing that the registration fee shall be based on the number of months the registration is valid in the year 2019. HFA 1 also deletes new language from the bill as introduced that stipulated the personalized plate must be renewed 30 days prior to the date of expiration. There is no effect on the original LM for HB 530.

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