

## SENATE BILL No. 359

By Senators Warren, Alley, Bowers, Claeys, Corson, Dietrich, Fagg, Faust-Goudeau, Gossage, Kloos, Longbine, Masterson, Peck, Petersen, Pittman, Ryckman, Shallenburger, Thompson and Wilborn

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1 AN ACT concerning motor vehicles; relating to distinctive license plates;  
2 providing for the Kansas City Chiefs license plate.  
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4 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

5 New Section 1. (a) On and after January 1, 2025, any owner or lessee  
6 of one or more passenger vehicles or trucks registered for a gross weight  
7 of 20,000 pounds or less who is a resident of Kansas, upon compliance  
8 with the provisions of this section, may be issued one Kansas City Chiefs  
9 license plate for each such passenger vehicle or truck. Such license plate  
10 shall be issued for the same time as other license plates upon proper  
11 registration and payment of the regular license fee as provided in K.S.A. 8-  
12 143, and amendments thereto, and the payment to the county treasurer of  
13 the logo use royalty payment.

14 (b) The Kansas City Chiefs football club, inc., may authorize the use  
15 of the organization's logo to be affixed on license plates as provided by  
16 this section. Any motor vehicle owner or lessee shall pay an amount of not  
17 less than \$25 nor more than \$100, as determined by the Kansas City  
18 Chiefs football club, inc., as a logo use royalty payment for each such  
19 license plate to be issued. The logo use royalty payment shall be paid to  
20 the county treasurer.

21 (c) Any applicant for a license plate authorized by this section may  
22 make application for such license plate not less than 60 days prior to such  
23 person's renewal of registration date, on a form prescribed and furnished  
24 by the director of vehicles, and any applicant for such license plate shall  
25 pay to the county treasurer the logo use royalty payment. Application for  
26 registration of a passenger vehicle or truck and issuance of the license  
27 plate under this section shall be made by the owner or lessee in a manner  
28 prescribed by the director of vehicles upon forms furnished by the director.

29 (d) No registration or license plate issued under this section shall be  
30 transferable to any other person.

31 (e) The director of vehicles may transfer a Kansas City Chiefs  
32 football club, inc., license plate from a leased vehicle to a purchased  
33 vehicle.

34 (f) Renewals of registration under this section shall be made annually,

1 upon payment of the fee prescribed in K.S.A. 8-143, and amendments  
2 thereto, and in the manner prescribed in K.S.A. 8-132(b), and amendments  
3 thereto. No renewal of registration shall be made to any applicant until  
4 such applicant provides to the county treasurer the annual royalty payment.  
5 If such annual royalty payment is not made to the county treasurer, the  
6 applicant shall be required to comply with the provisions of K.S.A. 8-143,  
7 and amendments thereto, and return the license plate to the county  
8 treasurer of such person's residence.

9 (g) The Kansas City Chiefs football club, inc., with the approval of  
10 the director of vehicles, shall design a plate to be issued under the  
11 provisions of this section.

12 (h) As a condition of receiving the Kansas City Chiefs license plate  
13 and any subsequent registration renewal of such license plate, the applicant  
14 shall consent to the division authorizing the division's release of motor  
15 vehicle record information, including the applicant's name, address,  
16 royalty payment amount, plate number and vehicle type to the Kansas City  
17 Chiefs football club, inc., and the state treasurer.

18 (i) Annual Kansas City Chiefs license plate fee payments collected by  
19 county treasurers under this section shall be remitted to the state treasurer  
20 in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and amendments  
21 thereto. Upon receipt of each such remittance, the state treasurer shall  
22 deposit the entire amount in the state treasury to the credit of the Kansas  
23 City Chiefs license plate fund, which is hereby created in the state treasury  
24 and shall be administered by the state treasurer. All expenditures from the  
25 Kansas City Chiefs license plate fund shall be made in accordance with  
26 appropriation acts upon warrants of the director of accounts and reports  
27 issued pursuant to vouchers approved by the state treasurer or the state  
28 treasurer's designee. Payments from the Kansas City Chiefs license plate  
29 fund shall be made on a monthly basis to the Hunt family foundation.

30 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
31 publication in the statute book.