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**Fact Sheet for: Senate Bill 148**

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**Bill Version: SB 148**

**Sponsor: Senator Gene Therriault**

**Short Title: VETERANS' VEHICLE PLATES/FEES/TAXES**

**Summary:**

- Allows the Department of Motor Vehicles to issue a free special registration license plate for one noncommercial motor vehicle to the recipient of the Medal of Honor awarded by the President of the United States in the name of the United States Congress.
- Leaves the design of the plates up to the discretion of the commissioner of the department of administration.
- Eliminates the \$30 fee for special request plates for recipients of the Purple Heart.

**Benefits:**

- Honors recipients of the congressional Medal of Honor with a specially designed registration plate.
- Recognizes Pearl Harbor survivors by eliminating the fee for special request plates.

**Background:**

- SB 148 offers a small, but sincere, gesture of appreciation and thanks to those who have given so much to preserve our country.