

Council Substitute for House Bill No. 615

An act relating to motor vehicle registration; amending s. 320.02, F.S.; revising provisions relating to a voluntary checkoff on motor vehicle registration and renewal application forms to distribute funds to the Miami Heart Research Institute, Inc.; authorizing a voluntary checkoff on motor vehicle registration and renewal application forms to distribute \$1 to the Children's Hearing Help Fund; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (d) of subsection (16) of section 320.02, Florida Statutes, is amended, and paragraph (e) is added to that subsection, to read:

320.02 Registration required; application for registration; forms.—

(16)

(d) The application form for motor vehicle registration shall include language permitting the voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant to Stop Heart Disease. ~~The proceeds shall, to be distributed quarterly by the department to the Miami Heart Research Institute, Inc., doing business as the Florida Heart Research Institute, a corporation not for profit under s. 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, to be used by that organization for the purpose of heart disease research, education, and prevention programs.~~

(e) The application form for motor vehicle registration and renewal registration must include language permitting a voluntary contribution of \$1 per applicant, which contribution must be distributed to the Children's Hearing Help Fund to be used for purposes provided for the fund.

For the purpose of applying the service charge provided in s. 215.20, contributions received under this subsection are not income of a revenue nature.

Section 2. This act shall take effect October 1, 2007.

Approved by the Governor May 22, 2007.

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