

**To: House and Senate Committees on Transportation**

**From: Robert Ide, Commissioner, Department of Motor Vehicles**

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**Subject: Motor Vehicle License Plates**

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**Estimated Average Cost of License Plate Orders (Two plates):**

2014 – \$500,354.56  
2015 – \$562,344.46  
2016 – \$592,600.76

**Estimated Average Cost of License Plate Orders (One Plate):**

2014 - \$385,643.05  
2015 – \$433,037.82  
2016 - \$454,561.55

**Estimated Plate Order Cost Savings by Ordering One Plate Instead of Two:**

2014 - \$114,711.51  
2015 – \$129,606.74  
2016 - \$138,039.21

**Estimated Postage Savings by Mailing One Plate Instead of Two:**

2014 - \$64,295.28  
2015 - \$71,958.96  
2016 - \$77,088.24

**Estimated Total Savings by Ordering One Plate Instead of Two:**

2014 - \$179,006.79  
2015 - \$201,565.70  
2016 - \$215,127.45



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Robert Ide, Commissioner