NY Assembly Bill A10590 and NY Senate Bill S07653 authorizing the issuance of official license plates to fire companies and volunteer ambulance companies were delivered to governor on 7/11/08 and signed on 7/21/08.

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IN ASSEMBLY

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AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to issuance of certain license plates to fire companies and volunteer ambulance companies

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. Subdivision 6 of section 401 of the vehicle and traffic law is amended by adding a new paragraph b-1 to read as follows:

2 B-1. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE WITH RESPECT TO THE PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION FEES SHALL NOT APPLY TO (I) FIRE VEHICLES, AS DEFINED IN SECTION ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN-A OF THIS CHAPTER, OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY A FIRE COMPANY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION THREE OF THE VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS’ BENEFIT LAW, OR TO (II) EMERGENCY AMBULANCE SERVICE VEHICLES, AS DEFINED IN SECTION ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN-C OF THIS CHAPTER, OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY AN AMBULANCE COMPANY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION THREE OF THE VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE WORKERS’ BENEFIT LAW. UPON THE FILING OF AN APPLICATION IN SUCH FORM AND DETAIL AS THE COMMISSIONER MAY PRESCRIBE, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL ISSUE PLATES FOR SUCH VEHICLES IN THE SAME MANNER AS PLATES ISSUED TO VEHICLES OWNED OR CONTROLLED BY FIRE DISTRICTS PURSUANT TO PARAGRAPH B OF THIS SUBDIVISION.

3 S 2. This act shall take effect on the thirtieth day after it shall have become law.