



State of South Dakota
Motor Vehicle Division
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OFFICE USE ONLY



SDCL 32-5-154 through
32-5-159; SDCL 33A-2-1

South Dakota Application for Veteran and Active Duty Military Member License Plates and Affidavit

A **Instructions** Complete this application to apply for military active duty license plates or military veteran license plates.
 A special plate fee of \$10.00 is assessed for each set of license plates ordered along with a \$5.00 mailing fee per set of plates.
 The annual registration fee associated with the vehicle must be paid prior to or at the time the special plate is ordered.

B **Applicant Information** Veteran/Active Duty Member Name

Street City State Zip

Phone Email

C **Type of Plate** Choose one:
 Active Duty Member License Plate
 Veteran License Plate
 Veteran Indian Tribal License Plate (Tribe affiliated with:)

Choose one:
 New Plate
 Renew Current Plate
 Request to Reassign Plate to a Different Vehicle



Sample Veteran Indian Tribal License Plate

If the vehicle has regular county license plates or special license plates assigned:
 You may return the regular/special plates to the county treasurer to receive credit on the remaining months for the registration fee; or
 You may qualify to keep the regular/special plates for future reassignment.

D **Vehicle Information** Vehicle Motorcycle

Year Make Model

Title Number VIN Number

E **Military Branch** Choose One (Required, unless applying for a Veteran Indian Tribal Plate)

Army Marines Coast Guard

Navy Air Force

F **Plate Indicator** Choose One (Optional) *If an indicator is not selected or None is selected, the branch of service will be printed.
 (Not required for Veteran Indian Tribal Plate)

None Korea Desert Storm
 Retired Vietnam Iraq
 Combat Veteran Panama Afghanistan
 Peace Time Grenada Bosnia
 Cold War Gulf War Lebanon
 WWII



Sample plate without an indicator

G**Affidavit**

I hereby affirm under oath that I am the owner of the vehicle/motorcycle described in this application, that I am a resident of South Dakota, that I possess a valid South Dakota Driver License or South Dakota Identification Card, and that I am:

Currently serving on Active Duty in the US Armed Forces

A military veteran according to SDCL 33A-2-1 which requires:

- (1) Has served the full obligation for active duty, reserve, or National Guard service in the military, or received an early discharge for a medical condition, hardship, reduction in force, or at the convenience of the military; and
- (2) Has been separated or discharged from such service honorably or under honorable conditions.

H**Applicant
Signature**

I hereby request that the South Dakota Department of Revenue issues Veteran Plates or Active Duty Member Plates based on this qualifying criteria. I understand that false attesting to these facts is a Class 2 misdemeanor and that it is a felony to falsify an affidavit.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

I**Notary
Signature**

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, COUNTY OF: _____ SS.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO ME BEFORE THIS

_____ DAY OF _____, 20_____

NOTARY PUBLIC OR COUNTY TREASURER: _____