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STATE OF MINNESOTA
EIGHTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

S.F. No. 1259

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03/15/2012	4502a	Comm report: To pass as amended
	4503	Second reading

A bill for an act

relating to motor vehicles; allowing vehicles bearing special veterans' plates to park free of charge in public parking facilities; amending Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 16B.58, by adding a subdivision.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 2010, section 16B.58, is amended by adding a subdivision to read:

Subd. 9. **Parking charge exemption for vehicles bearing certain special plates.** An operator of a passenger automobile, recreational motor vehicle, or one-ton pickup truck bearing special plates, or a motorcycle bearing a single special plate, must not be required to pay a rent, charge, or fee to park the vehicle in a visitor metered parking space in a parking lot or ramp that is administered by the Department of Administration within the boundary of the Capitol area as defined in section 15B.02 when visiting the Capitol area. A special plate is subject to the exemption in this subdivision if it is issued under section 168.12, subdivision 2c or 2d; 168.123; 168.124; 168.125; 168.1253; or 168.1255. This exemption does not apply to metered parking on public streets.