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Introduced by M. of A. SKOUFIS, BRABENEC, BRAUNSTEIN, BUCHWALD, GALEF --Multi-Sponsored by -- M. of A. GLICK, RIVERA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to distinctive "Appalachian Trail" license plates

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The vehicle and traffic law is amended by adding a new section $404-y$ to read as follows:

S 404-y. Distinctive "Appalachian Trail" license plates. 1. Any person residing in this state shall upon request be issued a distinctive license plate bearing the words "Appalachian Trail". Application for said license plates shall be filed with the commissioner in such detail as the commissioner shall prescribe.
2. Any distinctive plate issued pursuant to this section shall be issued in the same manner as other number plates upon the payment of the regular registration fee prescribed by section four hundred one of this article provided, however, that an additional annual service charge of twenty-five dollars shall be charged for such plate. Such annual service charge shall be deposited to the credit of the department of motor vehicles distinctive plate development fund established by section ninety-five-g of the state finance law, and shall be used for the production, design, advertising and marketing of distinctive license plates pursuant to such section; provided, however, that annual service charges collected in excess of "six thousand dollars" shall be allocated to the department to offset costs associated with the production of such license plates.
§ 2. This act shall take effect on the one hundred eightieth day after it shall have become a law; provided, however, that effective immediately, the addition, amendment and/or repeal of any rule or regulation necessary for the implementation of this act on its effective date is authorized and directed to be made and completed on or before such effective date.

EXPLANATION--Matter in italics (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

