STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN ASSEMBLY

March 6, 2026

Introduced by M. of A. MAGNARELLI -- read once and referred to the Committee on Transportation

AN ACT to amend the vehicle and traffic law, in relation to imposing a supplemental registration fee for counties outside of the metropolitan commuter transportation district

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 article 17-D to read as follows:

ARTICLE 17-D

SUPPLEMENTAL REGISTRATION FEE FOR COUNTIES OUTSIDE THE METROPOLITAN COMMUTER TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT

Section 499-e. Definition.
499-f. Upstate transit supplemental registration fee.
499-g. Collection of supplemental fee.
499-h. Calculation of supplemental registration fee.
499-i. Deposit and disposition of revenue from the upstate transit supplemental fee.

§ 499-e. Definition. For the purposes of this article "upstate" shall mean the area of the state outside in the district created and governed by section twelve hundred sixty-two of the public authorities law.

§ 499-f. Upstate transit supplemental registration fee. Registrants residing in counties outside the metropolitan commuter transportation district shall upon the registration or renewal of a motor vehicle be charged a supplemental registration fee to be paid to the commissioner or such commissioner's agent in accordance with the provisions of this article.

§ 499-g. Collection of supplemental fee. All registrants of motor vehicles who reside outside the metropolitan commuter transportation district shall pay to the commissioner or such commissioner's agent the supplemental registration fee provided for in this article upon registration or renewal of motor vehicles subject to registration fees pursuant to the following sections of this title: paragraph a of subdivision six of section four hundred one of this title; schedules A, B, C, E, F,

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

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G, I and K of subdivision seven of section four hundred one of this title; paragraph a of subdivision eight of section four hundred one of this title; paragraph a of subdivision five of section four hundred ten of this title; and section four hundred eleven-b of this title.

§ 499-h. Calculation of supplemental registration fee. The supplemental registration fee to be charged pursuant to section four hundred ninety-nine-f of this article, shall be calculated at a rate of twenty-five dollars per annum for each year or portion of a year that such registration is valid.

§ 499-i. Deposit and disposition of revenue from the upstate transit supplemental fee. The commissioner shall deposit daily all funds collected pursuant to this article with responsible banks, banking houses and trust companies as designated by the state comptroller, in trust for credit of the public transportation systems operating assistance account established by section eighty-eight-a of the state finance law. Such deposits shall be kept separate and apart from all other money in the possession of the comptroller. On or before the twelfth day of each month, the commissioner shall certify to the comptroller the amount of all revenues received pursuant to this paragraph during the prior month as a result of the supplemental fees imposed, including any interest and penalties thereon. The revenues so certified over the prior three months in total shall be paid over by the fifteenth day of the last month of each calendar quarter from such account, without appropriation, into the public transportation systems operating assistance account established by section eighty-eight-a of the state finance law.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.