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Senate, No. 1563

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2 amending P.L.1955, c.155.

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17 display on their motor vehicle license plates.  
18 (cf: P.L.1991, c.191, s.1)

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20 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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SENATE STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO

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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: MARCH 3, 1997

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