STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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The purpose of this legislation is to remove from statute what is more appropriately handled through a license agreement. The Idaho Department of Transportation charges \$3.75 for each vehicle license plate sold. For the vast majority of plates, those using the tri-color "Idaho centennial" design, Idaho Code specifies that \$0.50 of this charge be paid to the Idaho Heritage Trust for use of the "centennial" design. As the Idaho Heritage Trust is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, such arrangements are best made through normal contract arrangements and not by statute. Currently, the Idaho Heritage Trust has such an agreement in place allowing the use of the "centennial" design for license plates and other purposes.

FISCAL NOTE

As this bill removes from statute what is currently accomplished through a license agreement, there is no fiscal impact on state or local governments.

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