

Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis (Part A)**Department of Public Safety**

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Rule Number

NO CHANGE

TYPE of rule filing

Rule Title/Tag Line

License plate specifications.**RULE SUMMARY**

1. Is the rule being filed consistent with the requirements of the RC 119.032 review? **Yes**

2. Are you proposing this rule as a result of recent legislation? **No**

3. Statute prescribing the procedure in accordance with the agency is required to adopt the rule: **119.03**

4. Statute(s) authorizing agency to adopt the rule: **R.C. 4503.22**

5. Statute(s) the rule, as filed, amplifies or implements: **R.C. 4503.22**

6. State the reason(s) for proposing (i.e., why are you filing,) this rule:

This rule filing is based on a scheduled R.C. 119.032 rule review of Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 4501-27.

7. If the rule is an AMENDMENT, then summarize the changes and the content of the proposed rule; If the rule type is RESCISSION, NEW or NO CHANGE, then summarize the content of the rule:

This rule provides that OAC Chapter 4501-27 contains the specifications for the manufacture of license plates for the state of Ohio. The specs of this rule include

requirements for plate size and thickness, material strength and thickness, and retro reflective sheeting adherence and photometric retro reflective performance. The rule also requires that the Registrar prepare and submit to the Director of Public Safety for approval, detailed specifications for the materials and processes to be used in the manufacture of license plates.

8. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference and the agency claims the incorporation by reference is exempt from compliance with sections 121.71 to 121.74 of the Revised Code because the text or other material is **generally available** to persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rule, provide an explanation of how the text or other material is generally available to those persons:

License plate manufacturers are the persons who reasonably can be expected to be affected by the rules of OAC Chapter 4501-52. They have access to and already stay abreast of the industry standards incorporated by reference in OAC Chapter 4501-27 (industry standards include those of the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) and applicable federal regulations). Therefore, under R.C.121.75, this information, when incorporated by reference in this rule is excepted from the requirements of R.C. 121.71 to 121.74. Additionally, in this rule, we have provided contact site information including the address, telephone number, and web site information for the above organization.

While this rule references the Revised Code and the Administrative Code, incorporation by reference of such information is excepted by section 121.76 of the Revised Code from the requirements set forth in R.C. 121.71 to 121.75.

9. If the rule incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material electronically, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material electronically was infeasible:

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Revised Code from the requirements set forth in R.C. 121.71 to 121.75.

10. If the rule is being **rescinded** and incorporates a text or other material by reference, and it was **infeasible** for the agency to file the text or other material, provide an explanation of why filing the text or other material was infeasible:

Not Applicable.

11. If **revising** or **refiling** this rule, identify changes made from the previously filed version of this rule; if none, please state so:

Not Applicable.

12. 119.032 Rule Review Date: **3/10/2006** and **03/10/2011**

(If the rule is not exempt and you answered NO to question No. 1, provide the scheduled review date. If you answered YES to No. 1, the review date for this rule is the filing date.)

NOTE: If the rule is not exempt at the time of final filing, two dates are required: the current review date plus a date not to exceed 5 years from the effective date for Amended rules or a date not to exceed 5 years from the review date for No Change rules.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

13. Estimate the total amount by which *this proposed rule* would **increase / decrease** either **revenues / expenditures** for the agency during the current biennium (in dollars): Explain the net impact of the proposed changes to the budget of your agency/department.

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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We do not anticipate that this unchanged rule will affect the agency budget.

14. Identify the appropriation (by line item etc.) that authorizes each expenditure necessitated by the proposed rule:

Not applicable

15. Provide a summary of the estimated cost of compliance with the rule to all

directly affected persons. When appropriate, please include the source for your information/estimated costs, e.g. industry, CFR, internal/agency:

This unchanged rule is not expected to create additional costs.

16. Does this rule have a fiscal effect on school districts, counties, townships, or municipal corporations? **No**

17. Does this rule deal with environmental protection or contain a component dealing with environmental protection as defined in R. C. 121.39? **No**