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1-1 AN ACT 1-2 relating to the issuance of disabled parking placards to and the registration of vehicles by certain veterans with disabilities. BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: 1-4 1-5 SECTION 1. Section 504.202, Transportation Code, is amended 1-6 by amending Subsections (b) and (d) and adding Subsection (g) to 1-7 read as follows: (b) The department shall issue a specialty license plate 1-8 1- 9 for a motor vehicle that has a manufacturer's rated carrying 1-10 capacity of two tons or less and that is owned by a veteran of the 1-11 United States armed forces. A veteran of the United States armed 1-12 forces is entitled to register, for the person's own use, two motor vehicles under this section if the person: 1-13 1-14 (1) the person has suffered, as a result of military 1-15 service: 1-16 (A) at least a 50 percent service-connected 1-17 disability; or 1-18 (B) a 40 percent service-connected disability because of the amputation of a lower extremity; and 1-19 (2) the person receives compensation from the United 1-20 1-21 States because of the disability; and 1-22 (3) the motor vehicle: 1-23 (A) is owned by the person; and 1-24 (B) has a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity 2- 1 of two tons or less. 2-2 (d) A statement by the veterans county service officer of 2-3 the county in which a vehicle described by Subsection (c) (b) is registered or by the Department of Veterans Affairs that a vehicle

is used exclusively to transport veterans with disabilities without

2- 6	charge is satisfactory proof of eligibility for an organization.
2- 7	(g) A person who receives two sets of license plates under
2-8	this section may receive two disabled parking placards under
2-9	Section 681.004 without providing additional documentation.
2-10	SECTION 2. Section 681.004(a), Transportation Code, is
2-11	amended to read as follows:
2-12	(a) A person with a permanent disability may receive:
2-13	(1) two disabled parking placards, if the person does
2-14	not receive a set of special license plates under Section 504.201;
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2-16	(2) one disabled parking placard, if the person
2-17	receives a set of special license plates under Section 504.201; or
2-18	(3) two disabled parking placards, if the person
2-19	receives two sets of special license plates under Section 504.202.
2-20	SECTION 3. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
2-21	a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as
2-22	provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
2-23	Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
2-24	Act takes effect September 1, 2007.
-	President of the SenateSpeaker of the House
	I certify that H.B. No. 2105 was passed by the House on April
•	12, 2007, by the following vote: Yeas 141, Nays 0, 1 present, not
. 1	oting.
7	Chief Clerk of the House
`	I certify that H.B. No. 2105 was passed by the Senate on May
	3, 2007, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.
`	5, 2007, by the following vote. Teas 51, Ivays 0.
3	Secretary of the Senate
	APPROVED:
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·	Date
	Governor