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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act providing a flat annual motor vehicle registration fee for  
2 certain fuel-efficient motor vehicles.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 321.116A FUEL-EFFICIENT  
2 VEHICLES.

3 For a motor vehicle that has a fuel economy rating of at  
4 least thirty-three miles per gallon on the highway, as  
5 determined by the United States environmental protection  
6 agency, the annual registration fee is sixty-five dollars.  
7 However, if a motor vehicle with such a fuel economy rating is  
8 more than five model years old, the annual registration fee  
9 shall be reduced by five dollars for each year the motor  
10 vehicle exceeds the five-year mark until the annual fee  
11 reaches ten dollars.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill creates new Code section 321.116A, providing for  
14 a flat annual motor vehicle registration fee for motor  
15 vehicles with a fuel economy rating of at least 33 miles per  
16 gallon on the highway, as determined by the federal  
17 environmental protection agency. The bill provides that the  
18 fee shall be \$65 for such vehicles that are five model years  
19 old or newer, and that the fee shall be reduced by \$5 for each  
20 year the motor vehicle exceeds the five-year mark until the  
21 fee reaches \$10.

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