

**321.96 Prohibited plates — certificates.**

1. A person shall not display or cause or permit to be displayed, or have in the person's possession, a vehicle identification number or component part number except as provided in [this chapter](#), or a canceled, revoked, altered, or fictitious registration number plates, registration receipt, or certificate of title, as the same are respectively provided for in [this chapter](#).

2. A person who violates [this section](#) commits a simple misdemeanor.

[C24, 27, 31, 35, §5084; C39, §**5006.25**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §321.96]  
[90 Acts, ch 1230, §17](#); [2010 Acts, ch 1140, §3](#)