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**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act establishing motor vehicle registration fees for hybrid  
2 vehicles.

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

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1 Section 1. Section 321.1, Code Supplement 2003, is amended  
2 by adding the following new subsection:

3 NEW SUBSECTION. 31A. "Hybrid vehicle" means as defined in  
4 15 U.S.C. § 2502.

5 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 321.118 HYBRID VEHICLES.

6 The annual registration fee for a hybrid vehicle is sixty-  
7 five dollars. The fee is reduced to fifty-five dollars for a  
8 vehicle that is more than ten model years old, forty-five  
9 dollars for a vehicle more than thirteen model years old, and  
10 thirty-five dollars for a vehicle more than fifteen model  
11 years old.

12 EXPLANATION

13 This bill establishes a motor vehicle registration fee of  
14 \$65 for hybrid vehicles, which are defined as vehicles  
15 propelled by a combination of an electric motor and an  
16 internal combustion engine. The annual fee is reduced to \$55  
17 for vehicles over 10 model years old, \$45 for vehicles more  
18 than 13 model years old, and \$35 for vehicles more than 15  
19 model years old. This fee schedule mirrors the flat fee  
20 currently charged for pickup trucks.

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