



APPLICATION FOR MOBILE AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR LICENSE PLATES

**** FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY ****

License Plate Number _____ Month and Year Expiration _____ Date Issued _____

APPLICANT MUST COMPLETE THIS INFORMATION

Name of Owner _____ Daytime Phone _____
Mailing Address _____ City _____
State _____ Texas County of Residence _____ Zip Code _____
Radio Call Letters _____
Year of Vehicle _____ Make of Vehicle _____ Social Security Number _____
Current Texas License Plate _____ Vehicle Identification Number _____

THE APPLICATION FEE FOR MOBILE AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR LICENSE PLATES IS \$2.00.
ONE SET OF LICENSE PLATES PER APPLICATION. SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR COMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS.

I HEREBY MAKE APPLICATION FOR ONE OF THE FOLLOWING: (CHECK ONE)

NEW OR DUPLICATE PLATES: Mobile Amateur Radio Operator License Plates are not currently issued to applicant or applicant is requesting duplicate plates for an additional vehicle. If this is a request for a duplicate plate, please list vehicles currently issued this license plate number.

Year _____ Make _____ VIN _____
Year _____ Make _____ VIN _____
Year _____ Make _____ VIN _____

REPLACEMENT PLATES: Original Mobile Amateur Radio Operator License Plates are lost, stolen, or mutilated. Note – \$2.00 fee is not required. See last paragraph on reverse side.

REASSIGNMENT OF PLATES: Radio license plates may be reassigned to a different vehicle provided the vehicle is titled in the operator's name, or an application for title is being filed at this time, or the vehicle is leased by the operator. If applicant is applying for title, this form must be attached to the face of the title application. Note – \$2.00 fee is not required.

REMOVED FROM – OLD VEHICLE DESCRIPTION

Year of Vehicle _____ Make of Vehicle _____ Vehicle Identification Number _____

Body Style _____ Current Texas License Plate _____ Empty Weight _____ Passenger _____ Commercial _____

ASSIGNED TO – NEW VEHICLE DESCRIPTION

Year of Vehicle _____ Make of Vehicle _____ Vehicle Identification Number _____

Body Style _____ Current Texas License Plate _____ Empty Weight _____ Passenger _____ Commercial _____

SIGNATURE OF OWNER: _____

THE MAILING OF CASH IS DISCOURAGED. Please remit payment in the form of **CASHIER'S CHECK, MONEY ORDER, OR CHECK** payable to TxDOT and forward this application to: TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLE TITLES AND REGISTRATION, AUSTIN, TX 78779-0001.

You are not required by law to disclose your social security number. However, primarily because of duplication of individuals' names, this information is requested for our records maintenance program to assist in identifying the true owner of a vehicle.

INSTRUCTIONS

The Mobile Amateur Radio Operator License Plate fee is \$2.00 for the first year of registration and \$1.00 for each annual renewal thereafter in addition to the annual regular registration fee prescribed by law.

Qualifications for the MOBILE AMATEUR RADIO OPERATOR LICENSE PLATES are as follows:

- Must be a Texas resident.
- Submit a copy of the unrevoked and unexpired Official Mobile Amateur Radio License issued by the Federal Communication Commission for the purpose of operating Mobile Amateur Radio equipment.
- Must regularly operate radio equipment that is both a receiving and transmitting set in the vehicle described on the first page.
- The applicant's vehicle must be a passenger vehicle or light commercial vehicle (pickup) having a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity not exceeding 2,000 pounds.
- The applicant may obtain radio operator plates for more than one passenger or light commercial motor vehicle titled in the applicant's name, that is equipped with mobile amateur radio equipment. The license plates will be issued with the same official amateur call letters to each vehicle registered by the same owner.

Upon completion of this application, it should be submitted with the \$2.00 application fee payable to TxDOT and accompanied by a copy of official documentation from the Federal Communication Commission containing qualifications for these license plates to:

Texas Department of Transportation
Division of Motor Vehicle
Titles and Registration
Austin, TX 78779-0001

If approved, the special license plates will be manufactured and mailed to your County Tax Assessor-Collector. You will be notified accordingly.

To acquire the Mobile Amateur Radio Operator License Plates, you must surrender your current license plates to the County Tax Assessor-Collector. The regular registration fee and optional local fees must be paid for the period in which the special license plates are valid. If your vehicle is currently registered at the time license plates are issued, your vehicle registration expiration date will be adjusted to correspond with the assigned expiration of the special license plates. Additional fees will be collected or credit will be issued to make this adjustment.

Mobile Amateur Radio Operator License Plates may be assigned to another vehicle registered in the applicant's name; or another set of plates bearing the same radio license number may be obtained. To reassign a plate to another vehicle, a corrected vehicle registration must be obtained through the county tax office. The license plates may not be reassigned to another owner.

To obtain replacement Mobile Amateur Radio Operator License Plates that are lost, stolen, or mutilated, the owner must surrender any remaining Amateur Radio License Plate(s) and secure replacement license plates through the county tax office for the statutory fee of \$5.30. The owner may then submit a written request, a properly executed Form 60 or Form 53 along with a copy of the Replacement License Receipt, Form 16, to this Department. If approved, the Amateur Radio License Plates will be manufactured and mailed to your County Tax Assessor-Collector. Upon notification the owner should surrender the regular replacement plates in exchange for the replacement Amateur Radio License plates.