displayed upon such registration plate, PLATES, as provided for under Section 36 (b) of this Article. From time to time thereafter, the Commissioner shall evaluate the condition of registration plates issued under this Article and shall provide for the manufacture and issuance of new registration plates at his discretion. Such new registration plates shall be issued and subsequently validated in the manner prescribed herein.

36.

(b) The Department may receive applications for [renewal of registration] annual validation tabs and grant [the] same and issue [new registration cards and plates at any time prior to expiration of registration, but no person shall display upon a vehicle the new registration plates prior to April 1 for those registrations which expire on April 30, nor prior to March 1 for those registrations which expire on March 31, such tabs at any time prior to the thirty-first day of March of each succeeding year for which registration plates are issued. But no person shall display upon a vehicle a new registration plate or renewal validation tab prior to April first for those registrations which expire on April thirtieth of each year for which issued, nor prior to March first for those registrations which expire on March thirty-first of each year for which issued.

39.

- (c) If any registration plate OR PLATES issued by the Department is lost or if any registration plate OR PLATES issued by the Department becomes mutilated or illegible, the owner of the vehicle for which the registration was issued shall immediately place a temporary number plate OR PLATES on the vehicle bearing his registration number and WHICH shall be displayed as nearly as possible as herein provided for the registration plate. The owner, within forty-eight (48) hours after such loss or mutilation of his registration plate OR PLATES, shall give notice thereof to the Department and apply for a substitute registration plate. SUBSTITUTE REGISTRATION PLATES. The Department shall supply a substitute registration plate SUBSTITUTE REGISTRATION PLATES upon payment of the fee as hereinafter provided. Upon receipt of the substitute registration plate PLATES and substitute registration certificate, the registration plate OR PLATES, if mutilated or illegible and registration certificate originally issued shall be surrendered to the Department.
- (f) Fees to be charged by the Department for the replacement of lost certificates of title, registration certificates, [and] registration plates, and validation tabs are: certificate of title, fifty cents (50¢), registration certificate, fifty cents (50¢), registration plates, together with appropriate registration certificate, one dollar (\$1.00), lost validation tab, one dollar (\$1.00), REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE, FIFTY CENTS (50¢), LOST VALIDATION TAB, ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00),

**E**AND one dollar (\$1.00) in the case of loss of one motor vehicle registration plate and two dollars (\$2.00) in case of the loss of two motor vehicle registration plates;

Or one dollar (\$1.00) in the case of a trailer, motorcycle or bicycle with motor attachment.