



## Vehicle registration & licensing

### Memorial Cross recipient number plate

A new special number plate is available for display on vehicles owned or leased by recipients of a Memorial Cross.

#### Memorial Cross

The Memorial Cross is bestowed by the Government of Canada to family members or loved ones of a Canadian Armed Forces personnel who died in service, or whose death was attributed to their service. Canadian Forces members may designate up to three people to receive the Memorial Cross in the event of their death in service or attributed to their service.

#### New Memorial Cross recipient number plates

Recipients of the Memorial Cross are eligible for new Memorial Cross recipient number plates for display on their owned or leased BC registered passenger vehicles, motorhomes, or commercial vehicles licensed with a gross vehicle weight of up to 5,500 kg.

The plates may be displayed on vehicles in the same manner as any other BC number plate with a valid insurance decal.

Memorial Cross recipient number plates will be issued within the range MC100R to MC999R inclusive, or MC1000 to MC1999 if a commercial vehicle. The characters are printed in purple.



Passenger & motorhome



Commercial

#### What to expect

ICBC will begin issuing Memorial Cross recipient number plates from November, 2016 onward to eligible vehicle owners and lessees who have received a Memorial Cross from the Government of Canada and have chosen to apply for a Memorial Cross recipient number plate.

A driver in a vehicle with a Memorial Cross recipient number plate will not always be a Memorial Cross recipient, because someone other than the vehicle owner/lessee may be using the vehicle. Memorial Cross recipients may also obtain a keepsake Memorial Cross recipient number plate with the characters "MC000R". The keepsake plate cannot be displayed on a vehicle.

#### Legislation and regulations

- Motor Vehicle Act [Section 12](#) - Number plates
- Motor Vehicle Act Regulations [Division 3](#) - Display and Use of Number Plates



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