## COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT SERVICES, VETERANS AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS

11/18/15-AMENDED AND REPORTED OUT TO THE COMMITTEE ON RULES AND JUDICIARY

## BILL NO. 31-0108

## **Thirty-first Legislature of the Virgin Islands**

April 28, 2015

An Act amending title 20 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 33, section 334 (c) pertaining to license plates

**PROPOSED BY:** 

Senator Sammuel Sanes

## 1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Virgin Islands:

SECTION 1. Title 20 Virgin Islands Code, chapter 33, section 334 is amended by adding
a sentence at the end of subsection (c) to read as follows: "Except for dealers plates under section
336 which may be affixed to the rear window of a motor vehicle, it is unlawful to place a license
plate anywhere on the dashboard of the motor vehicle or the rear window of the vehicle.

6 **SECTION 2.** Title 20 Virgin Islands Code, part 1, chapter 33, section 334 (a), is amended 7 after the third sentence by inserting a sentence that reads as follows: "One plate must be affixed to 8 the front of the body of the vehicle and the other to the rear and both plates must be clearly visible 9 from the front and rear of the vehicle."

1	SECTION 3. Title 20 Virgin Islands Code, part II, chapter 33, section 334 is amended as
2	follows:
3	(1) A new subsection (d) is inserted that reads as follows:
4	"(d) Every automobile dealer in the Territory shall ensure that all vehicles sold by the
5	dealer are equipped to display two license plates as described in subsection (a)."
6	(2) The affected subsections are re-designated accordingly.
7	BILL SUMMARY
8	Section 1 of this Bill makes it unlawful to place a license plate on the dashboard or the rear
9	window an automobile excepting temporary dealers plates.
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