Proponent Testimony: House Bill 232, Historic and Patriotic Education License Plate House Homeland Security Committee November 29, 2023

Chairman Ghanbari, Vice-Chair Plummer, Ranking Member Thomas, and members of the House Homeland Security Committee, thank you for the opportunity to speak today on HB 232.

The Sons of the American Revolution is a male lineage society whose members can prove that they descend from an individual who served in the American Revolution, provided material aide, or served in a capacity to support the Revolutionary War. These Patriots were America's first Veterans.

The SAR seeks to preserve and educate the public about our Patriot's service and accomplishments, promote patriotism, and historical preservation. Funds received from this program will be used to further support these goals.

It is for these reasons that I believe Ohio should have a Historical and Patriotic Education license plate to support the work of the Ohio Society Sons of the American Revolution.

Mr. Chairman and members of the House Homeland Security Committee, thank you for the opportunity to testify here today. I look forward to any questions you may have.

Respectfully, Troy Bailey