Hall of the House of Representatives

85th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2005 **Amendment Form**

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2710 "TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN AN ANTIQUE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE."

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 2710.

Amend House Bill No. 2710 as engrossed, H3/14/05 (version: 03-14-2005 08:55):

Page 1, delete line 5 and substitute: "By: Representatives Sample, Bolin"

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-15-2202 is amended to read as follows: 27-15-2202. Registration - Fee.

- (a)(1) Any person who is the owner of an historic or special interest vehicle which is twenty-five (25) or more years old at the time of making application for registration or transfer of title may, upon application, register it as an historic or special interest vehicle, upon the payment of a fee of seven dollars (\$7.00) for each vehicle, and be furnished a license plate of distinctive design to be displayed on each vehicle in lieu of the usual license plates.
- (2) These plates shall have the same legal significance as ordinary license plates.
- (3) These plates, in addition to the identification number, shall identify the vehicle as an historical or antique vehicle owned by an Arkansas collector.
- (4) The registration shall be valid while the vehicle is owned by the applicant without the payment of any additional fee, tax, or license.
- (b)(1) The numbering of these plates shall continue chronologically from the existing antique automobile registration lists, using the current design and emblem.
- (2) Application for these plates shall be made to the Office of Motor Vehicle on special application forms prescribed by the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles.

(c) [Repealed].

(d)(c) Upon selling or otherwise relinquishing ownership of an historic or special interest vehicle, a collector may retain possession of the vehicle plate and transfer its registration to another vehicle of the

same category in his or her possession, upon payment of one-half (1/2) the fee prescribed in subsection (a) of this section.

- $\frac{(e)}{(d)}(1)$ A vehicle manufactured as a reproduction or facsimile of an historic or special interest vehicle shall not be eligible for registration under this section unless it has been in existence for twenty-five (25) years or more.
- (2) The age shall be calculated from the date the vehicle was originally assembled as a facsimile.
- $\frac{(f)}{(e)}$ Collectors who, on July 8, 1975, have vehicles licensed as antiques under current statutes shall not be required to register these vehicles or obtain new license plates for these vehicles.
- (f) Beginning on January 1, 2006, each collector applying for a license plate under this subchapter shall own and have registered one (1) or more motor vehicles that he or she uses for regular transportation.
- SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-15-2203 is amended to read as follows: 27-15-2203. Affidavit Vehicle restored to original specifications required.
- (a) Any person making application for an antique motor vehicle license plate under § 27-15-2202 shall transmit to the Office of Motor Vehicle an affidavit signed by the applicant stating that the motor vehicle described in the application is restored to its original specifications as closely as is reasonably possible and that the applicant will relinquish the antique motor vehicle license plate in the event the motor vehicle is altered from its original specifications, except to the extent authorized or required by law.
- (b)(1) Upon notification of a violation of this section, the Beginning on January 1, 2006, the office shall require the owner of any antique motor vehicle licensed under this subchapter to provide the office proof of conformity with this subchapter.
- (2) If the office determines that the owner of such an antique motor vehicle is in violation of this section, the antique motor vehicle license plate shall be seized by the office and the owner fined thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$37.50) one hundred dollars (\$100)."

The Amendment was read	
By: Representative Bolin	
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