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HOUSE BILL NO. 1562

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MOSLEY.

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DANA RADEMAN MILLER, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 301.131, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to historic motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 301.131, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu
2 thereof, to be known as section 301.131, to read as follows:

301.131. 1. Any motor vehicle over twenty-five years old which is owned solely as a
2 collector's item and which is used and intended to be used for exhibition and educational
3 purposes shall be permanently registered upon payment of a registration fee of twenty-five
4 dollars. Upon the transfer of the title to any such vehicle the registration shall be cancelled and
5 the license plates issued therefor shall be returned to the director of revenue.

6   2. The owner of any such vehicle shall file an application in a form prescribed by the
7 director, if such vehicle meets the requirements of this section, and a certificate of registration
8 shall be issued therefor. Such certificate need not specify the horsepower of the motor vehicle.

9   3. The director shall issue to the owner of any motor vehicle registered pursuant to this
10 section the same number of license plates which would be issued with a regular annual
11 registration, containing the number assigned to the registration certificate issued by the director
12 of revenue. Such license plates shall be made with fully reflective material with a common color
13 scheme and design, shall be clearly visible at night, and shall be aesthetically attractive, as
14 prescribed by section 301.130.

15   4. **[**Historic vehicles may be driven to and from repair facilities one hundred miles from
16 the vehicle's location, and in addition may be driven up to one thousand miles per year for
17 personal use. The owner of the historic vehicle shall be responsible for keeping a log of the

18   ~~miles driven for personal use each calendar year. Such log must be kept in the historic vehicle~~
19   ~~when the vehicle is driven on any state road. The historic vehicle's mileage driven in an antique~~
20   ~~auto tour or event and mileage driven to and from such a tour or event shall not be considered~~
21   ~~mileage driven for the purpose of the mileage limitations in this section. Violation of this section~~
22   ~~shall be punishable under section 301.440 and in addition to any other penalties prescribed by~~
23   ~~law, upon plea or finding of guilt thereof, the director of revenue shall revoke the historic motor~~
24   ~~vehicle license plates of such violator which were issued pursuant to this section.~~
25   ~~5.~~] Notwithstanding any provisions of this section to the contrary, any person possessing
26   a license plate issued by the state of Missouri that is over twenty-five years old, in which the year
27   of the issuance of such plate is consistent with the year of the manufacture of the vehicle, the
28   owner of the vehicle may register such plate as an historic vehicle plate as set forth in
29   subsections 1 and 2 of this section, provided that the configuration of letters, numbers or
30   combination of letters and numbers of such plate are not identical to the configuration of letters,
31   numbers or combination of letters and numbers of any plates already issued to an owner by the
32   director. Such license plate shall not be required to possess the characteristic features of
33   reflective material and common color scheme and design as prescribed in section 301.130. The
34   owner of the historic vehicle registered pursuant to this subsection shall keep the certificate of
35   registration in the vehicle at all times. The certificate of registration shall be prima facie
36   evidence that the vehicle has been properly registered with the director and that all fees have
37   been paid.

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