
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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READSHAW, LAWRENCE, CALTAGIRONE, KORTZ, NEILSON, GILLEN AND
WARD, FEBRUARY 23, 2017

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, FEBRUARY 23, 2017

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 75 (Vehicles) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, in registration of vehicles, further providing for
3 antique, classic and collectible plates.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Section 1340(b) of Title 75 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended and the section is amended by
8 adding subsections to read:

9 § 1340. Antique, classic and collectible plates.

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11 (a.2) Historic military vehicle plates.--In lieu of a
12 special plate issued under subsection (a), the owner of a
13 historic military vehicle may be issued by the department
14 special plates for the vehicle which shall have the same force
15 and effect as antique or classic registration plates. The
16 applicant shall provide information as the department may
17 require for processing the request and a \$75 application fee.

1 (b) Use of plates.--It is unlawful for any person to operate
2 a motorcycle or vehicle with antique, classic, vintage [or],
3 collectible or historic military vehicle registration plates for
4 general daily transportation. Permitted use shall be limited to
5 participation in club activities, exhibits, tours, parades,
6 occasional transportation and similar uses. Occasional
7 transportation shall mean no more than one day per week.

8 (c) Definition.--As used in this section, the term "historic
9 military vehicle" means an antique or classic vehicle, including
10 a trailer, that was manufactured for use in any country's
11 military forces and is maintained to represent the vehicle's
12 military design and markings accurately.

13 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 120 days.