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## A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1502

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By: Senator J. Boyd

### For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION AND LICENSING OF A HISTORIC OR SPECIAL INTEREST VEHICLE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ANTIQUE MOTOR VEHICLE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

### Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION AND LICENSING OF A HISTORIC OR SPECIAL INTEREST VEHICLE; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ANTIQUE MOTOR VEHICLE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-15-2202(a)(1), concerning the application for registration of a historic or special interest vehicle, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) A person who is the owner of a historic or special interest vehicle that is ~~forty five (45)~~ thirty (30) years of age or older at the time of making application for registration or transfer of title may, upon application:

(A) Register the motor vehicle as a historic or special interest vehicle, upon the payment of a fee of seven dollars (\$7.00) for each historic or special interest vehicle; and

(B) Be furnished a special license plate of distinctive design to be displayed on each historic or special interest vehicle instead



of the standard Arkansas license plate.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-15-2202(d)(1), concerning the application for registration of a historic or special interest vehicle, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) A motor vehicle manufactured as a reproduction or facsimile of a historic or special interest vehicle shall not be eligible for registration under this section unless it has been in existence for ~~forty-five (45)~~ thirty (30) years or more.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 27-15-2209(a), concerning alternative license plates for antique motor vehicles, is amended to read as follows:

(a) As used in this section, "antique license plate" means a license plate that:

(1) Is approved for issuance under subsection (e) of this section for a historic or special interest vehicle as defined in § 27-15-2201 that is more than ~~forty-five (45)~~ thirty (30) years of age instead of the special license plate issued under § 27-15-2202; and

(2) Was issued by and approved for use in the State of Arkansas in the same year as the model year of the vehicle that is being licensed.

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