

102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 HB2548

Introduced 2/19/2021, by Rep. Andrew S. Chesney

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

625 ILCS 5/3-804.01

Amends the Illinois Vehicle Code. Provides that an expanded-use antique vehicle may be driven on the highways for purposes other than travel to and from an antique auto show or an exhibition or for servicing or demonstration from March 1 through November 30 (instead of from April 1 through October 31). Effective immediately.

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1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Illinois Vehicle Code is amended by changing Section 3-804.01 as follows:
- 6 (625 ILCS 5/3-804.01)

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- 7 Sec. 3-804.01. Expanded-use antique vehicles.
- 8 (a) The owner of a motor vehicle that is more than 25 years 9 of age or a bona fide replica thereof may register the vehicle an expanded-use antique vehicle. In addition to 10 appropriate registration and renewal fees, the fee 11 expanded-use antique vehicle registration and renewal, except 12 13 as provided under subsection (d), shall be \$45 per year. The 14 application for registration must be accompanied by an affirmation of the owner that: 15
 - (1) from January 1 through April 30 March 31 and from December November 1 through December 31, the vehicle will be driven on the highways only for the purpose of going to and returning from an antique auto show or an exhibition, or for servicing or demonstration; and
 - (2) the mechanical condition, physical condition, brakes, lights, glass, and appearance of such vehicle is the same or as safe as originally equipped.

From March 1 April 1 through November 30 October 31, a vehicle registered as an expanded-use antique vehicle may be driven on the highways without being subject to the restrictions set forth in subdivision (1). The Secretary may prescribe, in the Secretary's discretion, that expanded-use antique vehicle plates be issued for a definite or an indefinite term, such term to correspond to the term of registration plates issued generally, as provided in Section 3-414.1. Any person requesting expanded-use antique vehicle plates under this Section may also apply to have vanity or personalized plates as provided under Section 3-405.1.

- (b) Any person who is the registered owner of an expanded-use antique vehicle may display a historical license plate from or representing the model year of the vehicle, furnished by such person, in lieu of the current and valid Illinois expanded-use antique vehicle plates issued thereto, provided that the valid and current Illinois expanded-use antique vehicle plates and registration card issued to the expanded-use antique vehicle are simultaneously carried within the vehicle and are available for inspection.
- (c) The Secretary may credit a pro-rated portion of a fee previously paid for an antique vehicle registration under Section 3-804 to an owner who applies to have that vehicle registered as an expanded-use antique vehicle instead of an antique vehicle.
 - (d) The Secretary may make a version of the registration

- 1 plate authorized under this Section in a form appropriate for
- 2 motorcycles. In addition to the required registration and
- 3 renewal fees, the fee for motorcycle expanded-use antique
- 4 vehicle registration and renewal shall be \$23 per year.
- 5 (Source: P.A. 100-956, eff. 1-1-19.)
- 6 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 7 becoming law.