

HOUSE BILL 263

By Carr

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,
Chapter 4, relative to antique motor vehicles.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-111(b)(1), is amended by deleting the subdivision in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(1) Upon receipt of an application on a form prescribed by the commissioner, applying for registration and certifying that the motor vehicle for which registration is being applied is an "antique motor vehicle," the commissioner may issue license plates to owners of antique motor vehicles in accordance with part 2 of this chapter. These license plates shall bear the word "ANTIQUE" in capital letters at the bottom of their plate, and a unique identifying number in the center of the plate. For the purpose of this section, "antique motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle over twenty-five (25) years old with a nonmodified engine and body that is used:

(A) For participation in, or transportation to and from, club activities, exhibits, tours, parades, and similar uses as a collector's item; and

(B) For general transportation; provided, that the motor vehicle is not driven more than five thousand (5,000) miles annually.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-4-111(b)(3), is amended by deleting the language ", or operating an antique motor vehicle for general transportation purposes on a day other than Saturday or Sunday or a federal holiday,".

SECTION 3. The Commissioner of Revenue is authorized to promulgate rules to effectuate the purposes of this Act. All such rules shall be promulgated in accordance with the

Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in Tennessee Code Annotated Title 4,
Chapter 5.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring
it.