

HOUSE BILL 2305

By Howell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,  
Chapter 4, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2,  
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), is amended by deleting subdivisions (4) and (5) and substituting instead the following:

(4) The owner or lessee of an antique motor vehicle may display on the vehicle, when the vehicle is stationary, the license plate from an era when the vehicle was manufactured instead of the current license plate registered to the owner or lessee in accordance with part 2 of this chapter. The owner or lessee shall display the current license plate on the vehicle when the vehicle is being operated on any highway, road, or street open for public use in this state.

(5) Instead of registering for a new license plate in accordance with part 2 of this chapter, the department shall permit owners of antique motor vehicles to register an official license plate issued by the state from an era when the vehicle was manufactured. A vintage license plate registered pursuant to this subdivision (b)(5) must be displayed on the vehicle in accordance with § 55-4-110.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2024, the public welfare requiring it.