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A BILL

To amend sections 4501.01 and 4503.181 of the 1
Revised Code to add "high-mobility multipurpose 2
wheeled vehicle manufactured for military 3
purposes" to the definition of "historical motor 4
vehicle." 5

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

Section 1. That sections 4501.01 and 4503.181 of the 6
Revised Code be amended to read as follows: 7

Sec. 4501.01. As used in this chapter and Chapters 4503., 8
4505., 4507., 4509., 4510., 4511., 4513., 4515., and 4517. of 9
the Revised Code, and in the penal laws, except as otherwise 10
provided: 11

(A) "Vehicles" means everything on wheels or runners, 12
including motorized bicycles, but does not mean electric 13
personal assistive mobility devices, vehicles that are operated 14
exclusively on rails or tracks or from overhead electric trolley 15
wires, and vehicles that belong to any police department, 16
municipal fire department, or volunteer fire department, or that 17

are used by such a department in the discharge of its functions. 18

(B) "Motor vehicle" means any vehicle, including mobile 19
homes and recreational vehicles, that is propelled or drawn by 20
power other than muscular power or power collected from overhead 21
electric trolley wires. "Motor vehicle" does not include utility 22
vehicles as defined in division (VV) of this section, under- 23
speed vehicles as defined in division (XX) of this section, 24
mini-trucks as defined in division (BBB) of this section, 25
motorized bicycles, road rollers, traction engines, power 26
shovels, power cranes, and other equipment used in construction 27
work and not designed for or employed in general highway 28
transportation, well-drilling machinery, ditch-digging 29
machinery, farm machinery, and trailers that are designed and 30
used exclusively to transport a boat between a place of storage 31
and a marina, or in and around a marina, when drawn or towed on 32
a public road or highway for a distance of no more than ten 33
miles and at a speed of twenty-five miles per hour or less. 34

(C) "Agricultural tractor" and "traction engine" mean any 35
self-propelling vehicle that is designed or used for drawing 36
other vehicles or wheeled machinery, but has no provisions for 37
carrying loads independently of such other vehicles, and that is 38
used principally for agricultural purposes. 39

(D) "Commercial tractor," except as defined in division 40
(C) of this section, means any motor vehicle that has motive 41
power and either is designed or used for drawing other motor 42
vehicles, or is designed or used for drawing another motor 43
vehicle while carrying a portion of the other motor vehicle or 44
its load, or both. 45

(E) "Passenger car" means any motor vehicle that is 46
designed and used for carrying not more than nine persons and 47

includes any motor vehicle that is designed and used for 48
carrying not more than fifteen persons in a ridesharing 49
arrangement. 50

(F) "Collector's vehicle" means any motor vehicle or 51
agricultural tractor or traction engine that is of special 52
interest, that has a fair market value of one hundred dollars or 53
more, whether operable or not, and that is owned, operated, 54
collected, preserved, restored, maintained, or used essentially 55
as a collector's item, leisure pursuit, or investment, but not 56
as the owner's principal means of transportation. "Licensed 57
collector's vehicle" means a collector's vehicle, other than an 58
agricultural tractor or traction engine, that displays current, 59
valid license tags issued under section 4503.45 of the Revised 60
Code, or a similar type of motor vehicle that displays current, 61
valid license tags issued under substantially equivalent 62
provisions in the laws of other states. 63

(G) "Historical motor vehicle" means any motor vehicle 64
~~that is over twenty-five years old and is owned solely as a~~ 65
~~collector's item and for participation in club activities,~~ 66
~~exhibitions, tours, parades, and similar uses, but that in no~~ 67
~~event is used for general transportation, and is either of the~~ 68
following: 69

(1) Over twenty-five years old; 70

(2) A high-mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicle 71
manufactured for military purposes. 72

(H) "Noncommercial motor vehicle" means any motor vehicle, 73
including a farm truck as defined in section 4503.04 of the 74
Revised Code, that is designed by the manufacturer to carry a 75
load of no more than one ton and is used exclusively for 76

purposes other than engaging in business for profit. 77

(I) "Bus" means any motor vehicle that has motor power and 78
is designed and used for carrying more than nine passengers, 79
except any motor vehicle that is designed and used for carrying 80
not more than fifteen passengers in a ridesharing arrangement. 81

(J) "Commercial car" or "truck" means any motor vehicle 82
that has motor power and is designed and used for carrying 83
merchandise or freight, or that is used as a commercial tractor. 84

(K) "Bicycle" means every device, other than a device that 85
is designed solely for use as a play vehicle by a child, that is 86
propelled solely by human power upon which a person may ride, 87
and that has two or more wheels, any of which is more than 88
fourteen inches in diameter. 89

(L) "Motorized bicycle" or "moped" means any vehicle that 90
either has two tandem wheels or one wheel in the front and two 91
wheels in the rear, that may be pedaled, and that is equipped 92
with a helper motor of not more than fifty cubic centimeters 93
piston displacement that produces no more than one brake 94
horsepower and is capable of propelling the vehicle at a speed 95
of no greater than twenty miles per hour on a level surface. 96

(M) "Trailer" means any vehicle without motive power that 97
is designed or used for carrying property or persons wholly on 98
its own structure and for being drawn by a motor vehicle, and 99
includes any such vehicle that is formed by or operated as a 100
combination of a semitrailer and a vehicle of the dolly type 101
such as that commonly known as a trailer dolly, a vehicle used 102
to transport agricultural produce or agricultural production 103
materials between a local place of storage or supply and the 104
farm when drawn or towed on a public road or highway at a speed 105

greater than twenty-five miles per hour, and a vehicle that is 106
designed and used exclusively to transport a boat between a 107
place of storage and a marina, or in and around a marina, when 108
drawn or towed on a public road or highway for a distance of 109
more than ten miles or at a speed of more than twenty-five miles 110
per hour. "Trailer" does not include a manufactured home or 111
travel trailer. 112

(N) "Noncommercial trailer" means any trailer, except a 113
travel trailer or trailer that is used to transport a boat as 114
described in division (B) of this section, but, where 115
applicable, includes a vehicle that is used to transport a boat 116
as described in division (M) of this section, that has a gross 117
weight of no more than ten thousand pounds, and that is used 118
exclusively for purposes other than engaging in business for a 119
profit, such as the transportation of personal items for 120
personal or recreational purposes. 121

(O) "Mobile home" means a building unit or assembly of 122
closed construction that is fabricated in an off-site facility, 123
is more than thirty-five body feet in length or, when erected on 124
site, is three hundred twenty or more square feet, is built on a 125
permanent chassis, is transportable in one or more sections, and 126
does not qualify as a manufactured home as defined in division 127
(C) (4) of section 3781.06 of the Revised Code or as an 128
industrialized unit as defined in division (C) (3) of section 129
3781.06 of the Revised Code. 130

(P) "Semitrailer" means any vehicle of the trailer type 131
that does not have motive power and is so designed or used with 132
another and separate motor vehicle that in operation a part of 133
its own weight or that of its load, or both, rests upon and is 134
carried by the other vehicle furnishing the motive power for 135

propelling itself and the vehicle referred to in this division, 136
and includes, for the purpose only of registration and taxation 137
under those chapters, any vehicle of the dolly type, such as a 138
trailer dolly, that is designed or used for the conversion of a 139
semitrailer into a trailer. 140

(Q) "Recreational vehicle" means a vehicular portable 141
structure that meets all of the following conditions: 142

(1) It is designed for the sole purpose of recreational 143
travel. 144

(2) It is not used for the purpose of engaging in business 145
for profit. 146

(3) It is not used for the purpose of engaging in 147
intrastate commerce. 148

(4) It is not used for the purpose of commerce as defined 149
in 49 C.F.R. 383.5, as amended. 150

(5) It is not regulated by the public utilities commission 151
pursuant to Chapter 4905., 4921., or 4923. of the Revised Code. 152

(6) It is classed as one of the following: 153

(a) "Travel trailer" or "house vehicle" means a nonself- 154
propelled recreational vehicle that does not exceed an overall 155
length of forty feet, exclusive of bumper and tongue or 156
coupling. "Travel trailer" includes a tent-type fold-out camping 157
trailer as defined in section 4517.01 of the Revised Code. 158

(b) "Motor home" means a self-propelled recreational 159
vehicle that has no fifth wheel and is constructed with 160
permanently installed facilities for cold storage, cooking and 161
consuming of food, and for sleeping. 162

(c) "Truck camper" means a nonself-propelled recreational vehicle that does not have wheels for road use and is designed to be placed upon and attached to a motor vehicle. "Truck camper" does not include truck covers that consist of walls and a roof, but do not have floors and facilities enabling them to be used as a dwelling.

(d) "Fifth wheel trailer" means a vehicle that is of such size and weight as to be movable without a special highway permit, that is constructed with a raised forward section that allows a bi-level floor plan, and that is designed to be towed by a vehicle equipped with a fifth-wheel hitch ordinarily installed in the bed of a truck.

(e) "Park trailer" means a vehicle that is commonly known as a park model recreational vehicle, meets the American national standard institute standard A119.5 (1988) for park trailers, is built on a single chassis, has a gross trailer area of four hundred square feet or less when set up, is designed for seasonal or temporary living quarters, and may be connected to utilities necessary for the operation of installed features and appliances.

(R) "Pneumatic tires" means tires of rubber and fabric or tires of similar material, that are inflated with air.

(S) "Solid tires" means tires of rubber or similar elastic material that are not dependent upon confined air for support of the load.

(T) "Solid tire vehicle" means any vehicle that is equipped with two or more solid tires.

(U) "Farm machinery" means all machines and tools that are used in the production, harvesting, and care of farm products,

and includes trailers that are used to transport agricultural 192
produce or agricultural production materials between a local 193
place of storage or supply and the farm, agricultural tractors, 194
threshing machinery, hay-baling machinery, corn shellers, 195
hammermills, and machinery used in the production of 196
horticultural, agricultural, and vegetable products. 197

(V) "Owner" includes any person or firm, other than a 198
manufacturer or dealer, that has title to a motor vehicle, 199
except that, in sections 4505.01 to 4505.19 of the Revised Code, 200
"owner" includes in addition manufacturers and dealers. 201

(W) "Manufacturer" and "dealer" include all persons and 202
firms that are regularly engaged in the business of 203
manufacturing, selling, displaying, offering for sale, or 204
dealing in motor vehicles, at an established place of business 205
that is used exclusively for the purpose of manufacturing, 206
selling, displaying, offering for sale, or dealing in motor 207
vehicles. A place of business that is used for manufacturing, 208
selling, displaying, offering for sale, or dealing in motor 209
vehicles shall be deemed to be used exclusively for those 210
purposes even though snowmobiles or all-purpose vehicles are 211
sold or displayed for sale thereat, even though farm machinery 212
is sold or displayed for sale thereat, or even though repair, 213
accessory, gasoline and oil, storage, parts, service, or paint 214
departments are maintained thereat, or, in any county having a 215
population of less than seventy-five thousand at the last 216
federal census, even though a department in a place of business 217
is used to dismantle, salvage, or rebuild motor vehicles by 218
means of used parts, if such departments are operated for the 219
purpose of furthering and assisting in the business of 220
manufacturing, selling, displaying, offering for sale, or 221
dealing in motor vehicles. Places of business or departments in 222

a place of business used to dismantle, salvage, or rebuild motor vehicles by means of using used parts are not considered as being maintained for the purpose of assisting or furthering the manufacturing, selling, displaying, and offering for sale or dealing in motor vehicles.

(X) "Operator" includes any person who drives or operates a motor vehicle upon the public highways.

(Y) "Chauffeur" means any operator who operates a motor vehicle, other than a taxicab, as an employee for hire; or any operator whether or not the owner of a motor vehicle, other than a taxicab, who operates such vehicle for transporting, for gain, compensation, or profit, either persons or property owned by another. Any operator of a motor vehicle who is voluntarily involved in a ridesharing arrangement is not considered an employee for hire or operating such vehicle for gain, compensation, or profit.

(Z) "State" includes the territories and federal districts of the United States, and the provinces of Canada.

(AA) "Public roads and highways" for vehicles includes all public thoroughfares, bridges, and culverts.

(BB) "Manufacturer's number" means the manufacturer's original serial number that is affixed to or imprinted upon the chassis or other part of the motor vehicle.

(CC) "Motor number" means the manufacturer's original number that is affixed to or imprinted upon the engine or motor of the vehicle.

(DD) "Distributor" means any person who is authorized by a motor vehicle manufacturer to distribute new motor vehicles to licensed motor vehicle dealers at an established place of

business that is used exclusively for the purpose of 252
distributing new motor vehicles to licensed motor vehicle 253
dealers, except when the distributor also is a new motor vehicle 254
dealer, in which case the distributor may distribute at the 255
location of the distributor's licensed dealership. 256

(EE) "Ridesharing arrangement" means the transportation of 257
persons in a motor vehicle where the transportation is 258
incidental to another purpose of a volunteer driver and includes 259
ridesharing arrangements known as carpools, vanpools, and 260
buspools. 261

(FF) "Apportionable vehicle" means any vehicle that is 262
used or intended for use in two or more international 263
registration plan member jurisdictions that allocate or 264
proportionally register vehicles, that is used for the 265
transportation of persons for hire or designed, used, or 266
maintained primarily for the transportation of property, and 267
that meets any of the following qualifications: 268

(1) Is a power unit having a gross vehicle weight in 269
excess of twenty-six thousand pounds; 270

(2) Is a power unit having three or more axles, regardless 271
of the gross vehicle weight; 272

(3) Is a combination vehicle with a gross vehicle weight 273
in excess of twenty-six thousand pounds. 274

"Apportionable vehicle" does not include recreational 275
vehicles, vehicles displaying restricted plates, city pick-up 276
and delivery vehicles, or vehicles owned and operated by the 277
United States, this state, or any political subdivisions 278
thereof. 279

(GG) "Chartered party" means a group of persons who 280

contract as a group to acquire the exclusive use of a passenger- 281
carrying motor vehicle at a fixed charge for the vehicle in 282
accordance with the carrier's tariff, lawfully on file with the 283
United States department of transportation, for the purpose of 284
group travel to a specified destination or for a particular 285
itinerary, either agreed upon in advance or modified by the 286
chartered group after having left the place of origin. 287

(HH) "International registration plan" means a reciprocal 288
agreement of member jurisdictions that is endorsed by the 289
American association of motor vehicle administrators, and that 290
promotes and encourages the fullest possible use of the highway 291
system by authorizing apportioned registration of fleets of 292
vehicles and recognizing registration of vehicles apportioned in 293
member jurisdictions. 294

(II) "Restricted plate" means a license plate that has a 295
restriction of time, geographic area, mileage, or commodity, and 296
includes license plates issued to farm trucks under division (J) 297
of section 4503.04 of the Revised Code. 298

(JJ) "Gross vehicle weight," with regard to any commercial 299
car, trailer, semitrailer, or bus that is taxed at the rates 300
established under section 4503.042 or 4503.65 of the Revised 301
Code, means the unladen weight of the vehicle fully equipped 302
plus the maximum weight of the load to be carried on the 303
vehicle. 304

(KK) "Combined gross vehicle weight" with regard to any 305
combination of a commercial car, trailer, and semitrailer, that 306
is taxed at the rates established under section 4503.042 or 307
4503.65 of the Revised Code, means the total unladen weight of 308
the combination of vehicles fully equipped plus the maximum 309
weight of the load to be carried on that combination of 310

vehicles.	311
(LL) "Chauffeured limousine" means a motor vehicle that is	312
designed to carry nine or fewer passengers and is operated for	313
hire pursuant to a prearranged contract for the transportation	314
of passengers on public roads and highways along a route under	315
the control of the person hiring the vehicle and not over a	316
defined and regular route. "Prearranged contract" means an	317
agreement, made in advance of boarding, to provide	318
transportation from a specific location in a chauffeured	319
limousine. "Chauffeured limousine" does not include any vehicle	320
that is used exclusively in the business of funeral directing.	321
(MM) "Manufactured home" has the same meaning as in	322
division (C) (4) of section 3781.06 of the Revised Code.	323
(NN) "Acquired situs," with respect to a manufactured home	324
or a mobile home, means to become located in this state by the	325
placement of the home on real property, but does not include the	326
placement of a manufactured home or a mobile home in the	327
inventory of a new motor vehicle dealer or the inventory of a	328
manufacturer, remanufacturer, or distributor of manufactured or	329
mobile homes.	330
(OO) "Electronic" includes electrical, digital, magnetic,	331
optical, electromagnetic, or any other form of technology that	332
entails capabilities similar to these technologies.	333
(PP) "Electronic record" means a record generated,	334
communicated, received, or stored by electronic means for use in	335
an information system or for transmission from one information	336
system to another.	337
(QQ) "Electronic signature" means a signature in	338
electronic form attached to or logically associated with an	339

electronic record. 340

(RR) "Financial transaction device" has the same meaning 341
as in division (A) of section 113.40 of the Revised Code. 342

(SS) "Electronic motor vehicle dealer" means a motor 343
vehicle dealer licensed under Chapter 4517. of the Revised Code 344
whom the registrar of motor vehicles determines meets the 345
criteria designated in section 4503.035 of the Revised Code for 346
electronic motor vehicle dealers and designates as an electronic 347
motor vehicle dealer under that section. 348

(TT) "Electric personal assistive mobility device" means a 349
self-balancing two non-tandem wheeled device that is designed to 350
transport only one person, has an electric propulsion system of 351
an average of seven hundred fifty watts, and when ridden on a 352
paved level surface by an operator who weighs one hundred 353
seventy pounds has a maximum speed of less than twenty miles per 354
hour. 355

(UU) "Limited driving privileges" means the privilege to 356
operate a motor vehicle that a court grants under section 357
4510.021 of the Revised Code to a person whose driver's or 358
commercial driver's license or permit or nonresident operating 359
privilege has been suspended. 360

(VV) "Utility vehicle" means a self-propelled vehicle 361
designed with a bed, principally for the purpose of transporting 362
material or cargo in connection with construction, agricultural, 363
forestry, grounds maintenance, lawn and garden, materials 364
handling, or similar activities. 365

(WW) "Low-speed vehicle" means a three- or four-wheeled 366
motor vehicle with an attainable speed in one mile on a paved 367
level surface of more than twenty miles per hour but not more 368

than twenty-five miles per hour and with a gross vehicle weight 369
rating less than three thousand pounds. 370

(XX) "Under-speed vehicle" means a three- or four-wheeled 371
vehicle, including a vehicle commonly known as a golf cart, with 372
an attainable speed on a paved level surface of not more than 373
twenty miles per hour and with a gross vehicle weight rating 374
less than three thousand pounds. 375

(YY) "Motor-driven cycle or motor scooter" means any 376
vehicle designed to travel on not more than three wheels in 377
contact with the ground, with a seat for the driver and floor 378
pad for the driver's feet, and is equipped with a motor with a 379
piston displacement between fifty and one hundred cubic 380
centimeters piston displacement that produces not more than five 381
brake horsepower and is capable of propelling the vehicle at a 382
speed greater than twenty miles per hour on a level surface. 383

(ZZ) "Motorcycle" means a motor vehicle with motive power 384
having a seat or saddle for the use of the operator, designed to 385
travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground, 386
and having no occupant compartment top or occupant compartment 387
top that can be installed or removed by the user. 388

(AAA) "Cab-enclosed motorcycle" means a motor vehicle with 389
motive power having a seat or saddle for the use of the 390
operator, designed to travel on not more than three wheels in 391
contact with the ground, and having an occupant compartment top 392
or an occupant compartment top that is installed. 393

(BBB) "Mini-truck" means a vehicle that has four wheels, 394
is propelled by an electric motor with a rated power of seven 395
thousand five hundred watts or less or an internal combustion 396
engine with a piston displacement capacity of six hundred sixty 397

cubic centimeters or less, has a total dry weight of nine 398
hundred to two thousand two hundred pounds, contains an enclosed 399
cabin and a seat for the vehicle operator, resembles a pickup 400
truck or van with a cargo area or bed located at the rear of the 401
vehicle, and was not originally manufactured to meet federal 402
motor vehicle safety standards. 403

(CCC) "Autocycle" means a three-wheeled motorcycle that is 404
manufactured to comply with federal safety requirements for 405
motorcycles and that is equipped with safety belts, a steering 406
wheel, and seating that does not require the operator to 407
straddle or sit astride to ride the motorcycle. 408

Sec. 4503.181. (A) As used in this section, "historical 409
motor vehicle" means any motor vehicle that ~~is more than twenty-~~ 410
~~five years old and that~~ is owned solely as a collector's item 411
and for participation in club activities, exhibitions, tours, 412
parades, and similar uses, and is either of the following: 413

(1) Over twenty-five years old; 414

(2) A high-mobility multipurpose wheeled vehicle 415
manufactured for military purposes.~~A~~ 416

A historical motor vehicle shall not be used for general 417
transportation, but may be operated on the public roads and 418
highways to and from a location where maintenance is performed 419
on the vehicle. 420

(B) In lieu of the annual license tax levied in sections 421
4503.02 and 4503.04 of the Revised Code, a license fee of ten 422
dollars is levied on the operation of a historical motor 423
vehicle. 424

(C) A person who owns a historical motor vehicle and 425
applies for a historical license plate under this section shall 426

execute an affidavit that the vehicle for which the plate is 427
requested is owned and operated solely for the purposes 428
enumerated in division (A) of this section. The affidavit also 429
shall set forth that the vehicle has been inspected and found 430
safe to operate on the public roads and highways in the state. A 431
person who owns a historical motor vehicle and desires to 432
display a model year license plate on the vehicle as permitted 433
by this section shall execute at the time of registration an 434
affidavit setting forth that the model year license plate the 435
person desires to display on the person's historical motor 436
vehicle is a legible and serviceable license plate that 437
originally was issued by this state. No registration issued 438
pursuant to this section need specify the weight of the vehicle. 439

(D) A vehicle registered under this section may display 440
either a historical vehicle license plate issued by the 441
registrar of motor vehicles or a model year license plate 442
procured by the applicant. A historical vehicle license plate 443
shall not bear a date, but shall bear the inscription 444
"Historical Vehicle--Ohio" and the registration number, which 445
shall be shown thereon. A model year license plate shall be a 446
legible and serviceable license plate issued by this state and 447
inscribed with the date of the year corresponding to the model 448
year when the vehicle was manufactured. Two model year license 449
plates, duplicates of each other, may be displayed on the 450
historical motor vehicle at any time, one plate on the front and 451
one plate on the rear of the vehicle. The registration 452
certificate and the historical vehicle license plate issued by 453
the registrar shall be kept in the vehicle at all times the 454
vehicle is operated on the public roads and highways in this 455
state. 456

Notwithstanding section 4503.21 of the Revised Code, the 457

owner of a historical motor vehicle that was manufactured for 458
military purposes and that is registered under this section may 459
display the assigned registration number of the vehicle by 460
painting the number on the front and rear of the vehicle. The 461
number shall be painted, in accordance with the size and style 462
specifications established for numerals and letters shown on 463
license plates in section 4503.22 of the Revised Code, in a 464
color that contrasts clearly with the color of the vehicle, and 465
shall be legible and visible at all times. Upon application for 466
registration under this section and payment of the license fee 467
prescribed in division (B) of this section, the owner of such a 468
historical motor vehicle shall be issued a historical vehicle 469
license plate. The registration certificate and the license 470
plate shall be kept in the vehicle at all times the vehicle is 471
operated on the public roads and highways in this state. If 472
ownership of such a vehicle is transferred, the transferor shall 473
surrender the historical vehicle license plate or transfer it to 474
another historical motor vehicle the transferor owns, and remove 475
or obliterate the registration numbers painted on the vehicle. 476

(E) Historical vehicle and model year license plates are 477
valid without renewal as long as the vehicle for which they were 478
issued or procured is in existence. A historical vehicle plate 479
is issued for the owner's use only for such vehicle unless later 480
transferred to another historical motor vehicle owned by that 481
person. In order to effect such a transfer, the owner of the 482
historical motor vehicle that originally displayed the 483
historical vehicle plate shall comply with division (C) of this 484
section. In the event of a transfer of title, the transferor 485
shall surrender the historical vehicle license plate or transfer 486
it to another historical motor vehicle owned by the transferor, 487
but a model year license plate or plates may be retained by the 488

transferor. The registrar may revoke license plates issued under 489
this section, for cause shown and after hearing, for failure of 490
the applicant to comply with this section. Upon revocation, a 491
historical vehicle license plate shall be surrendered; a model 492
year license plate or plates may be retained, but the plate or 493
plates are no longer valid for display on the vehicle. 494

(F) The owner of a historical motor vehicle bearing a 495
historical vehicle license plate may replace it with a model 496
year license plate by surrendering the historical vehicle 497
license plate and motor vehicle certificate of registration to 498
the registrar. The owner, at the time of registration, shall 499
execute an affidavit setting forth that the model year plate is 500
a legible and serviceable license plate that originally was 501
issued by this state. Such an owner is required to pay the 502
license fee prescribed by division (B) of this section, but the 503
owner is not required to have the historical motor vehicle 504
reinspected under division (C) of this section. 505

A person who owns a historical motor vehicle bearing a 506
model year license plate may replace it with a historical 507
vehicle license plate by surrendering the motor vehicle 508
certificate of registration and applying for issuance of a 509
historical vehicle license plate. Such a person is required to 510
pay the license fee prescribed by division (B) of this section, 511
but the person is not required to have the historical motor 512
vehicle reinspected under division (C) of this section. 513

Section 2. That existing sections 4501.01 and 4503.181 of 514
the Revised Code are hereby repealed. 515