

**1985 Assembly Bill 90**

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## **1985 Wisconsin Act 96**

**AN ACT** *to renumber and amend 341.265; and to create 341.265 (1) (b) and (2) of the statutes, relating to registration plates for antique motor vehicles.*

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. 341.265 of the statutes is renumbered 341.265 (1) (intro.) and amended to read:

341.265 (1) (intro.) Any person who is a resident of this state and the owner (~~and any~~ or subsequent transferee) of a motor vehicle which is more than 40 years old at the time of making application for registration of the vehicle may upon application register the same as an antique vehicle upon under par. (a) or (b) as follows:

(a) Upon payment of a fee of \$5, ~~and be furnished license the department shall issue to the person registration~~ plates of a distinctive design, in lieu of the usual ~~license~~ registration plates, which shall show in addition to the identification number that the vehicle is an antique. The registration shall be valid while the vehicle is owned by the applicant without the payment of any additional fee. The vehicle shall only be used for special occasions such as display and parade purposes or for necessary testing, maintenance and storage purposes. ~~Unless inconsistent with this section, the provisions applicable to other motor vehicles shall apply to antique motor vehicles.~~ A person who regis-

ters an antique vehicle under this paragraph may furnish and display on the vehicle during official participation in a parade, show or display a historical plate from or representing the model year of the vehicle instead of a plate issued by the department. Official participation does not include travel to or from a parade, show or display.

SECTION 2. 341.265 (1) (b) and (2) of the statutes are created to read:

341.265 (1) (b) Upon payment of an annual registration fee of \$35, a person, in lieu of being issued registration plates by the department, may furnish and display on the vehicle a historical plate in legible condition from or representing the model year of the vehicle. The person shall display the plate to the department at the time of making application to register the vehicle, and the department shall maintain a record of the color and design of the plate. An antique vehicle registered under this paragraph is not subject to the restrictions on use under par. (a).

(2) Unless inconsistent with this section, the provisions applicable to other motor vehicles apply to antique motor vehicles.