Section: 4. Motor Vehicle License Plate Classification & Requirements

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To view Special Plates: http://omv.dps.state.la.us/

Authority:
R.S. 47:463.8
R.S. 47:337.9
R.S. 47:6040

To view Louisiana Statutes: http://www.legis.state.la.us/

Purpose: Louisiana law provides for a sales tax exemption on qualifying antique vehicles purchased on or after July 1, 2019 in certain circumstances.

Eligibility:
- No state or local sales tax will be due when:
  - The vehicle is at least twenty-five years old and not be used for commercial purposes
  - The antique vehicle is valued in excess of ten thousand dollars
  - An antique plate is issued at the time the sales tax exemption is applied
    - The license plate fee for issuance or transfer of an antique plate, when issued in combination with the antique vehicle sales tax exemption, shall be one thousand dollars ($1,000)

Requirements:
- The following documents must be submitted:
  - All applicable documents listed in Section 4, Policy 2.00 Basic Requirements for Obtaining a Certificate of Title
  - All documents listed in Section 5, Policy 1.00 License Plate Antique, Classic, or Vintage Motor Vehicles
  - Antique Motor Vehicle Sales Tax Exemption Certificate (R-1399)

Fees:
- **Title Fee**
  - $1,000.00 one-time antique plate license fee. The antique plate fee will be assessed at a rate of $1,000.00 only if plate is being issued at the time the antique vehicle tax exemption is applied or $1,000.00 transfer fee if the antique plate registered to the vehicle is being transferred to the new owner at the time the antique vehicle tax exemption is applied.
  - $8.00 handling fee.
  - $3.50 administrative handling fee will be due, in addition to the antique license plate fee at initial issuance
  - Office fee, if applicable

Note: Applicable taxes are due on transfers of antique vehicles valued at $10,000.00 or less.
Related Policies:
Section 4, Policy 2.00, Basic Requirements For Obtaining A Certificate Of Title
Section 4, Policy 8.01, Application For Title On Antique, Classic Or Vintage Vehicles With No Record
Section 4, Policy 69.00, Fees
Section 5, Policy 1.00, License Plates For Antique, Classic Or Vintage Motor Vehicles
Section 5, Policy 1.01, Personalized Prestige License Plates For Antique Motor Vehicles
Section 5, Policy 1.02, Antique License Plates