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Classic Travel Trailer

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APPLICATION ANTIQUE LICENSE PLATES

FOR COUNTY USE ONLY

Applicant's Approved "Old" Texas Plate Number _____ County Issued Plate Number _____
Fee \$ _____

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name of Owner _____ Daytime Phone (____) _____
(as shown on current registration receipt) Area Code
Mailing Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Texas County of Residence _____ Email Address _____
(Optional)

VEHICLE INFORMATION – PLEASE COMPLETE

Year Of Vehicle _____ Make Of Vehicle _____ Body Style _____
Vehicle Identification Number _____ Current Texas License Plate Number _____

FEES

ANTIQUE AUTO ANTIQUE TRUCK ANTIQUE MOTORCYCLE

If the vehicle was manufactured in 1921 or later - \$50 (\$10 a year) plus county and local fees*
If the vehicle was manufactured before 1921 - \$40 (\$8 a year) plus county and local fees*

***Fees are paid at the county of residence when plate/tab is issued.**

Antique plate/tab is issued for a five-year period. Fees are reduced \$10/\$8 for each year of the period that has elapsed at the time the application is filed.

I, the undersigned, state that I am the owner of the above described vehicle. The frame, body, and motor are 25 or more years old, and it is a collector's item and will be used solely for exhibition, club activities, parades, and other functions of public interest, replicas do not qualify for antique plates. The vehicle will in no case be used for regular transportation and will not carry any advertising. A vehicle in route to and from a location for routine maintenance is allowed.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE: _____

*****ONLY ONE PLATE WILL BE ISSUED FOR THIS TYPE OF REGISTRATION*****

SUBMIT THE APPLICATION TO: Your local County Tax Assessor-Collector. Check our Web site www.dot.state.tx.us to obtain County Tax Assessor-Collector information.

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INSTRUCTIONS

ANTIQUÉ LICENSE PLATES

Qualifications for Antique License Plates are as follows:

- (a) A passenger car, truck, or motorcycle in which the frame, body, and motor are 25 or more years old and is used exclusively for exhibition, club activities, parades, and other functions of public interest. The vehicle will in no case be used for regular transportation and will not carry any advertising. A vehicle in route to and from a location for routine maintenance is allowed.
- (b) Applicants that have license plates, which are the same year as the antique vehicle may use those plates in lieu of Antique License Plates issued by the county. If the application is mailed, the applicant **must** have the license plates examined at their local County Tax Office before submitting the application. The license plates must be Texas plates, the same year as the year model of the antique vehicle, be in good readable condition, and have the correct color scheme.
- (c) Out-of-state vehicles that have a registration receipt only, will be required to submit a completed *Application For Assigned or Reassigned Number*, Form VTR-68-A. Only the lower portion should be completed. Both forms must be submitted to the County Tax Assessor-Collector before the plate or tab (if using approved plates) will be issued.

If the applicant has not previously registered the vehicle in Texas within the last five years, proof of evidence of ownership, along with proof of insurance (or waiver from DPS), and fees must be submitted to the County Tax Assessor-Collector before the plate or tab may be issued.

Owners of motor vehicles 25 years old or older that meet the limited use restriction provisions of this registration may take advantage of this exemption by contacting the nearest Texas Department of Public Safety, Safety Responsibility Bureau. Upon receipt of the affidavit of exemption, the portion of the form designated "FOR COUNTY USE ONLY" will be signed, stamped, and dated by an authorized agent of the Department of Public Safety. The original affidavit will be filed, and a copy will be returned to the owner.

The restrictions regarding the operation of the vehicle in order to qualify for the exemption are the same as those required to obtain Antique License Plates. Therefore, a copy of the Texas Department of Public Safety's certification that the affidavit of exemption was filed will be required in lieu of proof of financial responsibility at the time of initial issuance or renewal of Antique License Plates.

If approved, the County Tax Assessor-Collector will issue the Antique License Plate or tab (if using approved plates).

NOTE: If the vehicle described ceases to be the applicant's property or is junked, destroyed, or ceases to exist, the applicant may request a refund on the unexpired portion of the registration fee at their local County Tax Office.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Qualifications for Classic License Plates are as follows:

- (a) Owner of a passenger car, motorcycle, travel trailer, or light commercial motor vehicle having a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity of one ton or less and is twenty-five (25) or more years old.
- (b) Applicants that have license plates which are the same year as the classic vehicle may use those plates in lieu of Classic License Plates issued by this department. The applicant **must** have the license plates examined at one of the VTR Regional Offices or participating county tax office before submitting the application. The license plates must be the same year as the year model of the classic vehicle, be in good readable condition, and have the correct color scheme.
- (c) If the applicant has not previously registered the vehicle in Texas within the last five (5) years, copies of evidence of ownership must be attached to each application.

PERSONALIZED LICENSE PLATE SELECTION INSTRUCTIONS

- Selections must be shown exactly as you wish them to appear on the license plate.
- If approved, the personalized license plates will be manufactured and mailed to your County Tax Assessor-Collector.
- **A license number that has already been issued or is deemed inappropriate will not be approved.**
- Each square of the selection block may be used to represent one alpha or numeric character, punctuation symbol or space.
- **No more than six (6) characters, with no more than two spaces, punctuation symbols or silhouettes of Texas.** Punctuation symbols which may be used are periods, dashes, or blank spaces. **Use an asterisk (*) to indicate the Texas silhouette.**

The Classic Specialty License Plate fee (for departmental issued or approved "old" Texas license plates) is \$15 in addition to the regular registration fee prescribed by law.

Questions regarding your application should be directed to the Special Plates Branch at 512/374-5010.

TO OBTAIN THE CLASSIC SPECIALTY LICENSE PLATES

To obtain the Classic Specialty License Plate, you are to surrender your current windshield/license plate validation sticker and license plates to the county tax assessor-collector. The regular registration fee must be paid for the period in which the Classic Specialty License Plates are valid. If your vehicle is currently registered, your vehicle registration expiration date will be adjusted to correspond with the expiration of the Classic Specialty License Plates. Additional fees may be collected to make this adjustment.

PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR IN TWO WEEKS TO VERIFY YOUR PLATES ARE READY FOR ISSUANCE.