

Senate File 42 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act allowing the display of one registration plate on
2 the rear of certain older, reconstructed, and specially
3 constructed motor vehicles.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 321.37, subsection 2, Code 2019, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. ~~Registration plates issued for~~ Notwithstanding
4 subsection 1, a motor vehicle which is model year ~~1948~~ 1978 or
5 older, ~~and or~~ a reconstructed or specially constructed vehicles
6 vehicle built to resemble a vehicle which is model year ~~1948~~
7 ~~vehicle~~ 1978 or older, other than a truck registered for more
8 than five tons, autocycle, motorcycle, or truck tractor, may
9 display one registration plate on the rear of the vehicle if
10 the other registration plate issued to the vehicle is carried
11 in the vehicle at all times when the vehicle is operated on a
12 public highway.

13 EXPLANATION

14 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
15 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

16 Since 1997, Iowa has allowed certain motor vehicles which
17 are model year 1948 or older, and certain reconstructed or
18 specially constructed vehicles built to resemble vehicles which
19 are model year 1948 or older, to display one registration plate
20 on the rear of the vehicle if the other registration plate
21 issued to the vehicle is carried in the vehicle at all times
22 when the vehicle is operated on a public highway. Trucks
23 registered for more than five tons, autocycles, motorcycles,
24 and truck tractors are excluded from the provision. This bill
25 expands the provision to include motor vehicles which are model
26 year 1978 or older, and reconstructed or specially constructed
27 vehicles built to resemble vehicles which are model year
28 1978 or older. The bill does not amend the list of vehicles
29 excluded from the provision under current law.