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SYNOPSIS

Permits historic motor vehicles to be used for pleasure driving one day per week.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

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1	AN ACT concerning historic motor vehicles and amending
2	P.L.1964, c.195.
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4	BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
5	of New Jersey:
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7	1. Section 1 of P.L.1964, c.195 (C.39:3-27.3) is amended to read
8	as follows:
9	As used in this act:
10	"Historic motor vehicle" shall mean any motor vehicle which is
11	at least 25 years old [and which], is owned as a collector's item,
12	and used [solely] for occasional travel and exhibition and
13	educational purposes by the owner;
14	["Director" shall mean the Director of Motor Vehicles.]
15	"Occasional travel" shall mean driving a historic motor vehicle
16	not more than one day per week for other than exhibition and
17	educational purposes.
18	(cf: P.L.1964, c.195, s. 1)
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20	2. This act shall take effect on the first day of the sixth month
21	after enactment.
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24	STATEMENT
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26	Under current law, owners of properly registered historic motor
27	vehicles are permitted to operate them solely for exhibition and
28	educational purposes. This bill permits the use of these vehicles
29	also for occasional travel or pleasure driving, which is defined as
30	not more than one day per week.
31	In order to be designated as an historic motor vehicle, a vehicle
32	must be at least 25 years old and owned as a collector's item.
33	This bill also removes the definition of Director of Motor
34	Vehicles from the statute as the Motor Vehicle Commission is now
35	led by a chief administrator.