

CHAPTER 142

[Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 4545]

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAX EXEMPTIONS—RIDE-SHARING VEHICLES

AN ACT Relating to motor vehicle excise tax exemptions; amending section 3, chapter 166, Laws of 1980 and RCW 82.44.015; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

Section 1. Section 3, chapter 166, Laws of 1980 and RCW 82.44.015 are each amended to read as follows:

For the purposes of this chapter, in addition to the exclusions under RCW 82.44.010, "motor vehicle" shall not include: (1) Vans used regularly as ride-sharing vehicles, as defined in RCW 46.74.010(3), by not ((fess)) fewer than seven persons, including passengers and driver, or not fewer than five persons including the driver, when at least three of those persons are confined to wheelchairs when riding; or (2) vehicles with a seating capacity greater than fifteen persons which otherwise qualify as ride-sharing vehicles under RCW 46.74.010(3) used exclusively for ride sharing for the elderly or the handicapped by not fewer than seven persons, including driver. The registered owner of one of these ~~((vans))~~ vehicles shall notify the department of licensing upon termination of regular use of the ~~((van))~~ vehicle as a ride-sharing vehicle and shall be liable for the tax imposed by this chapter, prorated on the remaining months for which the ~~((van))~~ vehicle is licensed.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 2. This act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately.

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CHAPTER 143

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 4547]

ANTIQUA MOTOR VEHICLES—SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES

AN ACT Relating to licenses for antique vehicles; and amending section 46.16.310, chapter 12, Laws of 1961 as amended by section 1, chapter 114, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 46.16.310.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

Section 1. Section 46.16.310, chapter 12, Laws of 1961 as amended by section 1, chapter 114, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 46.16.310 are each amended to read as follows: