

Assessment Reduction for Classic and Antique Motor Vehicles

Section 12-71(b) of the CT General Statutes provides for a reduced assessment for antique, rare or special interest motor vehicles:

“Except as otherwise provided by the general statutes, property subject to this section shall be valued at the same percentage of its then actual valuation as the assessors have determined with respect to the listing of real estate for the same year, except **that any antique, rare or special interest motor vehicle, as defined in section 14-1, shall be assessed at a value of not more than five hundred dollars. The owner of such antique, rare or special interest motor vehicle may be required by the assessors to provide reasonable documentation that such motor vehicle is an antique, rare or special interest motor vehicle, provided any motor vehicle for which special number plates have been issued pursuant to section 14-20 shall not be required to provide any such documentation.** The provisions of this section shall not include money or property actually invested in merchandise or manufacturing carried on out of this state or machinery or equipment which would be eligible for exemption under subdivision (72) of section 12-81 of the 2008 supplement to the general statutes once installed and which cannot begin or which has not begun manufacturing, processing or fabricating; or which is being used for research and development, including experimental or laboratory research and development, design or engineering directly related to manufacturing or being used for the significant servicing, overhauling or rebuilding of machinery and equipment for industrial use or the significant overhauling or rebuilding of other products on a factory basis or being used for measuring or testing or metal finishing or in the production of motion pictures, video and sound recordings. “

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AFFIDAVIT FOR ANTIQUE, RARE OR SPECIAL INTEREST MOTOR VEHICLES AS DEFINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 14-1(3), AS AMENDED BY PUBLIC ACT 08-150, TO BE ASSESSED FOR NOT MORE THAN \$500.

Vehicles, registered or non-registered, 20 years or older that meet the definition as an antique, rare or special interest motor vehicle, in accordance with the provisions of the Connecticut General Statutes Section 14-1, as amended by Public Act 08-150, Section 1, shall not be assessed more than \$500.

Definition

C.G.S. Section 14-1(3)"Antique, rare or special interest motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle twenty years old or older which is being preserved because of historic interest and which is not altered or modified from the original manufacturer's specifications."

Motor Vehicle Information

Year	Make	Model	Vehicle Identification Number

Owner's Name	_____ First Name	_____ Middle Initial	_____ Last Name
Owner's Mailing Address	_____ Street Number & Name	_____ Town/City	_____ Zip Code
Owner's Telephone No.	_____ Telephone	_____ Cell	_____ Fax

The owner deposes that the vehicle(s) meets the required definition as stated **above**.

Signature:	Dated:
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