

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
HOUSE TRANSPORTATION STANDING COMMITTEE

March 14, 2002

1:08 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Representative Vic Kohring, Chair
Representative Beverly Masek, Vice Chair
Representative Scott Ogan
Representative Drew Scalzi

MEMBERS ABSENT

Representative Peggy Wilson
Representative Mary Kapsner
Representative Albert Kookesh

COMMITTEE CALENDAR

SENATE BILL NO. 260

"An Act relating to historic and antique motor vehicles; and providing for an effective date."

- MOVED SB 260 OUT OF COMMITTEE

PREVIOUS ACTION

BILL: SB 260

SHORT TITLE:HISTORIC/ANTIQUe MOTOR VEHICLES

SPONSOR(S): SENATOR(S) PHILLIPS

Jrn-Date	Jrn-Page		Action
01/30/02	2064	(S)	READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS
01/30/02	2064	(S)	TRA
02/14/02		(S)	TRA AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205
02/14/02		(S)	-- Meeting Postponed to 2/19/02 --
02/19/02		(S)	TRA AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205
02/19/02		(S)	Moved Out of Committee MINUTE(TRA)
02/20/02	2257	(S)	TRA RPT 4DP
02/20/02	2257	(S)	DP: COWDERY, WILKEN, TAYLOR, ELTON

02/20/02	2257	(S)	FN1: ZERO(ADM)
02/21/02		(S)	RLS AT 11:00 AM FAHRENKAMP 203
02/21/02		(S)	-- Meeting Postponed to 2/22/02 --
02/22/02		(S)	RLS AT 10:30 AM FAHRENKAMP 203
02/22/02		(S)	MINUTE(RLS)
03/01/02	2342	(S)	RULES TO CALENDAR 3/1/02
03/01/02	2346	(S)	READ THE SECOND TIME
03/01/02	2346	(S)	ADVANCED TO THIRD READING UNAN CONSENT
03/01/02	2346	(S)	READ THE THIRD TIME SB 260
03/01/02	2347	(S)	PASSED Y17 N- E2 A1
03/01/02	2347	(S)	EFFECTIVE DATE(S) SAME AS PASSAGE
03/01/02	2351	(S)	TRANSMITTED TO (H)
03/01/02	2351	(S)	VERSION: SB 260
03/04/02	2459	(H)	READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS
03/04/02	2459	(H)	TRA
03/14/02		(H)	TRA AT 1:00 PM CAPITOL 17

WITNESS REGISTER

KEN STOUT

Antique Auto Musers of Alaska

6208 East 34th Avenue

Anchorage, Alaska 99504

POSITION STATEMENT: Testified in favor of SB 260.

BRUCE CAMPBELL

Antique Auto Musers of Alaska; Model-T Ford Club of Alaska

14104 Hancock Drive

Anchorage, Alaska 99515

POSITION STATEMENT: Testified in favor of SB 260.

CHARLES R. HOSACK, Deputy Director

Division of Motor Vehicles

Department of Administration

3300B Fairbanks Street

Anchorage, Alaska 99503

POSITION STATEMENT: Testified in favor of SB 260.

ACTION NARRATIVE

TAPE 02-6, SIDE A
Number 001

CHAIR VIC KOHRING called the House Transportation Standing Committee meeting to order at 1:08 p.m. Members present at the call to order were Representatives Ogan, Scalzi, Masek, and Kohring.

SB 260-HISTORIC/ANTIQUA MOTOR VEHICLES

CHAIR KOHRING announced that the matter before the committee was SENATE BILL NO. 260, "An Act relating to historic and antique motor vehicles; and providing for an effective date."

Number 008

SENATOR RANDY PHILLIPS, Alaska State Legislature, sponsor of SB 260, testified before the committee. He introduced Ken Stout and yielded his testimony.

Number 028

KEN STOUT, Antique Auto Mushers of Alaska, testified via teleconference. He told the committee that his organization is a very active club and conveyed that honors recently were received by the club for excellence in its newsletter and web site. He said the club has about 300 vehicles involved. Mr. Stout said he supports [SB 260].

Number 048

BRUCE CAMPBELL, Antique Auto Mushers of Alaska; Model-T Ford Club of Alaska, testified via teleconference. He said the bill allows the restorers of old vehicles to use the same year of license plate as that of the manufacture of the vehicle. He said it completes the restoration and makes a "first-class job of it." He said it would not create a great impact on the state "one way or the other." He said that his organizations have worked with the Division of Motor Vehicles, and they are in accord with the bill.

Number 063

REPRESENTATIVE OGAN asked how the old license plates are obtained.

MR. CAMPBELL said one of the provisions of the bill is that the plates must be provided by the car owner.

CHAIR KOHRING asked for a definition of "classic and antique cars."

MR. CAMPBELL said an antique car is 30 or more years old. He said a classic car can be almost anything - generally one in great demand.

CHAIR KOHRING surmised that getting the plates would require a one-time fee of \$10 and nothing more.

MR. CAMPBELL said that as the law stands, there is a one-time \$10 fee for historic plates provided by the state. Under the bill, the law will remain the same, but for those who wish to use "same-year plates," there will be the \$10 fee, there will be an additional fee of \$30, and the owner must also provide the original plates. He characterized them as "vanity plates."

Number 111

CHARLES R. HOSACK, Deputy Director, Division of Motor Vehicles, Department of Administration, testified via teleconference. He said the department has worked with Mr. Campbell and the sponsor, and that the department supports the bill.

REPRESENTATIVE OGAN asked about the fees and whether the bill would affect them.

MR. CAMPBELL said that there would be a new \$30 fee for those who elect to provide their own plates.

Number 129

REPRESENTATIVE OGAN moved to report SB 260 out of committee with individual recommendations and the accompanying fiscal notes. There being no objection, SB 260 was moved out of the House Transportation Standing Committee.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the committee, the House Transportation Standing Committee meeting was adjourned at 1:16 p.m.

