

CHAPTER 364

MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC REGULATION

SENATE BILL 19-054

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AN ACT

CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF SURPLUS MILITARY VEHICLES FOR THE PURPOSES OF OPERATION ON THE HIGHWAY, AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 42-6-102, **amend** (11.5)(b) introductory portion and (11.5)(b)(III); and **add** (6.3) and (20.5) as follows:

42-6-102. Definitions. As used in this part 1, unless the context otherwise requires:

(6.3) "HISTORICAL MILITARY VEHICLE" MEANS A VEHICLE OF ANY SIZE OR WEIGHT THAT IS VALUED FOR HISTORICAL PURPOSES, THAT WAS MANUFACTURED FOR USE BY ANY NATION'S ARMED FORCES, AND THAT IS MAINTAINED IN A CONDITION THAT REPRESENTS ITS MILITARY DESIGN AND MARKINGS.

(11.5) (b) "Off-highway vehicle" includes vehicles commonly known as all-terrain vehicles, ~~and~~ snowmobiles, AND SURPLUS MILITARY VEHICLES but does not include:

(III) HISTORICAL military vehicles;

(20.5) "SURPLUS MILITARY VEHICLE" MEANS A SELF-PROPELLED VEHICLE THAT WAS:

(a) PURCHASED FOR NONMILITARY USE; AND

(b) BUILT FOR THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES.

Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material added to existing law; dashes through words or numbers indicate deletions from existing law and such material is not part of the act.

SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 33-14.5-101, **amend** the introductory portion and (3) introductory portion; and **repeal** (3)(c) as follows:

33-14.5-101. Definitions. As used in this ~~article~~ ARTICLE 14.5, unless the context otherwise requires:

(3) "Off-highway vehicle" means any self-propelled vehicle ~~which~~ THAT is designed to travel on wheels or tracks in contact with the ground, ~~which is~~ designed primarily for use off of the public highways, and ~~which is~~ generally and commonly used to transport persons for recreational purposes. "OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE" INCLUDES SURPLUS MILITARY VEHICLES AS DEFINED IN SECTION 42-6-102. "Off-highway vehicle" does not include the following:

(c) ~~Military vehicles;~~

SECTION 3. Appropriation. For the 2019-20 state fiscal year, \$45,000 is appropriated to the department of revenue for use by the division of motor vehicles. This appropriation is from the Colorado DRIVES vehicle services account in the highway users tax fund created in section 42-1-211 (2)(b)(I), C.R.S. To implement this act, the division may use this appropriation for DRIVES maintenance and support.

SECTION 4. Effective date. This act takes effect July 1, 2019.

SECTION 5. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: May 30, 2019