

ARIZONA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
Fifty-second Legislature – First Regular Session

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Report of Regular Meeting  
Tuesday, March 3, 2015  
House Hearing Room 1 -- 2:00 p.m.

**Convened** 3:18 p.m.

**Recessed**

**Reconvened**

**Adjourned** 3:26 p.m.

**Members Present**

Mr. Ackerley  
Mr. Andrade  
Mr. Borrelli  
Mr. Campbell  
Ms. Fann  
Mrs. Fernandez  
Ms. Steele  
Mr. Stevens, Vice-Chairman  
Mr. Gray, Chairman

**Members Absent**

**Request to Speak**

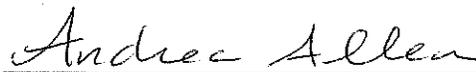
Report – Attachment 1

**Presentations**

<b><u>Name</u></b>	<b><u>Organization</u></b>	<b><u>Attachments (Handouts)</u></b>
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**Committee Action**

<b><u>Bill</u></b>	<b><u>Action</u></b>	<b><u>Vote</u></b>	<b><u>Attachments (Summaries, Amendments, Roll Call)</u></b>
SB1051	DP	9-0-0-0	2, 3
SB1146	DP	9-0-0-0	4, 5



Andrea Allen, Chairman Assistant  
March 4, 2015

(Original attachments on file in the Office of the Chief Clerk; video archives available at <http://www.azleg.gov>)

# Information Registered on the Request to Speak System

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*House Transportation and Infrastructure (3/3/2015)*

## **SB1051, autocycles; class M license; exemption**

### **Support:**

Matt Morales, Elio Motors Inc

### **All Comments:**

Matt Morales, Elio Motors Inc: Elio Motors agrees that innovation in design may necessitate innovation in the law and wholly supports this bill.



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SB 1051

autocycles; class M license; exemption

Sponsors: Senators Burges: Allen, Barto, et al.

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## OVERVIEW

HB 2211 adds the definition of autocycle to statute and specifies a person who drives an autocycle is not required to hold a Class M license.

## HISTORY

Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) § 28-101 defines a motorcycle as a motor vehicle that has a seat or saddle for the use of the rider and that is designed to travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground but excluding a tractor and a moped. A motor driven cycle means a motorcycle, including every motorscooter, with a motor that produces not more than five horsepower. A moped is a bicycle that is equipped with a helper motor if the vehicle has a maximum piston displacement of fifty cubic centimeters or less, a brake horsepower of one and one-half or less and a maximum speed of twenty-five miles per hour or less on a flat surface with less than a one per cent grade.

Current law requires drivers to hold a valid class M driver license in order to operate a motorcycle, motor driven cycle or a moped. According to A.R.S. § 28-3101, the Arizona Department of Transportation may add a class M license classification onto a valid class A, B, C, D or G license.

## PROVISIONS

1. Defines *autocycle* as a three-wheeled motorcycle on which the driver and passengers ride in a completely enclosed seating area that is equipped with a roll cage, safety belts for each occupant and antilock brakes, and is designed to be controlled with a steering wheel and pedals.
2. Stipulates that a class M driver license is not necessary to operate an autocycle.
3. Makes technical and conforming changes.

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**ROLL CALL VOTE**

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE BILL NO. SB 1051

DATE March 3, 2015 MOTION: dp

	PASS	AYE	NAY	PRESENT	ABSENT
Mr. Ackerley		✓			
Mr. Andrade		✓			
Mr. Borrelli		✓			
Mr. Campbell		✓			
Ms. Fann		✓			
Mrs. Fernandez		✓			
Ms. Steele		✓			
Mr. Stevens, Vice-Chairman		✓			
Mr. Gray, Chairman		✓			
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*Andrea Allen*  
COMMITTEE SECRETARY

APPROVED:

*R Gray*  
RICK GRAY, Chairman  
DAVID W. STEVENS, Vice-Chairman

ATTACHMENT 3



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SB 1146

personalized classic car license plates

Sponsors: Senator Griffin

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X Committee on Transportation & States' Rights

Caucus and COW

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## OVERVIEW

SB 1146 authorizes the request for a classic car special license plate to be combined with the request for a personalized license plate.

## HISTORY

The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) Motor Vehicle Division (MVD) provides one license plate to every motor vehicle owner for each vehicle registered. Vehicle license plates display both the state name and a number assigned to the vehicle and the owner, as well as MVD issued registration stickers. In addition to standard Arizona vehicle license plates, MVD issues special license plates for a variety of causes and organizations.

According to MVD, there are over 60 types of license plates available in Arizona, including specialized license plates, with the most popular being the personalized license plate. There are six military special plates, two types of handicapped plates and plates for the three state universities. There are also license plates indicating the vehicle's status, such as a farm vehicle or historic vehicle.

The classic car license plate is available to qualified vehicles that are on a list of classic cars filed with MVD by the Classic Car Club of America. The initial application fee for this plate is \$25 and the renewal fee is \$10. The classic car special license plate is made using Arizona copper.

## PROVISIONS

1. Authorizes the request for a classic car special license plate to be combined with the request for a personalized license plate.
2. Specifies that if the request is granted by the Director of ADOT, it is subject to both the fees required for a classic car special license plate and a personal plate.

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**ROLL CALL VOTE**

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE BILL NO. SB 1146

DATE March 3, 2015 MOTION: dp

	PASS	AYE	NAY	PRESENT	ABSENT
Mr. Ackerley		✓			
Mr. Andrade		✓			
Mr. Borrelli		✓			
Mr. Campbell		✓			
Ms. Fann		✓			
Mrs. Fernandez		✓			
Ms. Steele		✓			
Mr. Stevens, Vice-Chairman		✓			
Mr. Gray, Chairman		✓			
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*Andrea Allen*  
COMMITTEE SECRETARY

APPROVED:

*R. Gray*  
RICK GRAY, Chairman  
DAVID W. STEVENS, Vice-Chairman

ATTACHMENT 5