1	HOUSE BILL 516
2	49TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2009
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10	AN ACT
11	RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES; REQUIRING A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE
12	FOR HEAVY EQUIPMENT; ESTABLISHING A FEE; PROVIDING FOR THE
13	UPGRADE AND MAINTENANCE OF THE COMPUTER SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT
14	OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE DIVISION OF THE TAXATION AND REVENUE
15	DEPARTMENT; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.
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17	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:
18	Section 1. Section 66-1-4.8 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1990,
19	Chapter 120, Section 9, as amended) is amended to read:
20	"66-1-4.8. DEFINITIONSAs used in the Motor Vehicle
21	Code:
22	A. "hazardous material" means a substance or
23	material in a quantity and form that may pose an unreasonable
24	risk to health, safety or property when transported in
25	commerce;
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<u>B. "heavy equipment" means engineering vehicles or</u> <u>construction equipment, including earth movers, cranes and</u> <u>crawlers;</u>

[B.] C. "highway" or "street" means every way or place generally open to the use of the public as a matter of right for the purpose of vehicular travel, even though it may be temporarily closed or restricted for the purpose of construction, maintenance, repair or reconstruction;

[C.] D. "historic or special interest vehicle" means a vehicle of any age that, because of its significance, is being collected, preserved, restored or maintained by a collector as a leisure pursuit;

[Đ.] <u>E.</u> "horseless carriage" means a motor vehicle at least thirty-five years old that is owned as a collector's item and used solely for exhibition and educational purposes; and

[E.] F. "house trailer" means a manufactured home." Section 2. A new section of Chapter 66, Article 3 NMSA 1978 is enacted to read:

"[<u>NEW MATERIAL</u>] CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR HEAVY EQUIPMENT.--

A. The owner of heavy equipment shall submit proof of ownership to the division for a certificate of title.

B. The division shall issue a certificate of title, certifying ownership and displaying the vehicle identification .174947.2 - 2 -

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1 number, serial number or other equivalent identification number of the heavy equipment, upon the showing of: 2 3 the manufacturer's certificate of origin; (1) 4 (2) the bill of sale; 5 the statement of title; or (3) 6 satisfactory proof of ownership as (4) 7 determined by the division. 8 C. The fee for a certificate of title for heavy 9 equipment is twenty dollars (\$20.00). The fees collected 10 pursuant to this section are appropriated to the division to 11 defray the costs of upgrading and maintaining computer systems 12 and equipment." 13 - 3 -14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 .174947.2

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