

## MEMORANDUM

To: All House Members

From: Representative Jaret Gibbons

Date: February 23, 2011

Re: Co-sponsorship of Legislation to Allow Salons to Rent Booth Space to Cosmetologists

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In the near future, I plan to reintroduce legislation that would allow salon owners to rent booth space to licensed hair stylists and cosmetologists.

Currently, Section 8.1 of the Cosmetology Law (P.L. 242 No. 86) prohibits the rental of booth space or stylists' chairs in a salon. The Barbers' License Law (P.L. 589 No. 202), however, does not prohibit the rental of booth space or barbers' chairs. The discrepancy between these laws is unfair to cosmetologists. The legislation I intend to reintroduce would ensure that the law is fair to both cosmetologists and barbers by repealing Section 8.1 and thus permitting salon owners to rent booth space and chairs to independently practicing and self-employed licensed cosmetologists.

If you are interested in joining me to co-sponsor this important legislation, please contact Susan Finger at (717) 705-2060 (in-house 6626) or email [sfinger@pahouse.net](mailto:sfinger@pahouse.net).