THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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AN ACT

Amending the act of May 3, 1933 (P.L.242, No.86), entitled, as 2 amended, "An act to promote the public health and safety by providing for examination and registration of those who 3 4 desire to engage in the occupation of beauty culture; 5 defining beauty culture, and regulating beauty culture shops, schools, students, apprentices, teachers, managers and 7 operators; conferring powers and duties upon the Commissioner of Professional and Occupational Affairs in the Department of 8 9 State; providing for appeals to certain courts by applicants 10 and licensees; and providing penalties, " permitting demonstrations of beauty culture techniques without 11 additional fees; further providing for supervision, and 12 13 providing for temporary certification of beauty shops and 14 certain students who have taken the examination. 15 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 16 hereby enacts as follows: 17 The act of May 3, 1933 (P.L.242, No.86), 18 entitled, as amended, "An act to promote the public health and 19 safety by providing for examination and registration of those 20 who desire to engage in the occupation of beauty culture;

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- 1 operators; conferring powers and duties upon the Commissioner of
- 2 Professional and Occupational Affairs in the Department of
- 3 State; providing for appeals to certain courts by applicants and
- 4 licensees; and providing for appeals to certain courts by
- 5 applicants and licensees; and providing penalties, " is amended
- 6 by adding sections to read:
- 7 <u>Section 8.1. No Fee for Demonstrations.--Any regularly-</u>
- 8 organized group of licensees, upon submission of an application
- 9 <u>in a form approved by the board, may conduct or authorize to be</u>
- 10 conducted demonstrations of techniques of beauty culture for the
- 11 purpose of educating members of the group or other licensees
- 12 without the payment of any fee to the Board or the Commonwealth.
- 13 <u>Section 8.2. Beauty Shop Supervisors.--Each registered</u>
- 14 beauty shop shall be under the supervision either of the owner
- 15 <u>in which case the said owner shall be a registered operator or</u>
- 16 of a registered manager or registered teacher. Such person under
- 17 whose supervision the shop is being operated shall be present
- 18 during all hours of operation except for reasonable temporary
- 19 absences including, but not limited to, absence due to illness
- 20 or vacation. In the event such supervisor intends to be absent
- 21 for a period longer than two (2) successive days, the Board
- 22 shall be notified in writing in advance of said absence.
- 23 Section 2. Section 9 of the act amended October 2, 1959
- 24 (P.L.1010, No.421) is amended to read:
- 25 Section 9. Exceptions to Examination Requirements; Present
- 26 Students and Apprentices. -- Any person who has practiced or
- 27 taught beauty culture or acted as manager of a beauty shop or
- 28 school of beauty culture, under a certificate, license or
- 29 permit, for not less than two years in another state, territory,
- 30 or District of Columbia, may secure the certificate of

- 1 registration required by this act without an examination or
- 2 compliance with other requirements as to age or education:
- 3 Provided, That the Board shall be satisfied that the standards
- 4 provided for licensure under the laws of the place wherein the
- 5 applicant's license was issued are the same or substantially the
- 6 same as those provided for hereunder, that similar privileges
- 7 are accorded persons licensed under the laws of the
- 8 Commonwealth, that the applicant holds a valid license from the
- 9 place wherein he is entitled to practice, and that all the terms
- 10 and conditions prescribed by the Board are complied with by the
- 11 applicant. Such application shall be accompanied by an affidavit
- 12 of a practicing physician that the applicant was examined and is
- 13 free from all contagious and infectious diseases, and the
- 14 registration fee required by this act. Any person studying
- 15 beauty culture in a school of beauty culture or as an apprentice
- 16 in a beauty shop in this Commonwealth at the time this act goes
- 17 into effect shall receive credit for such time and studies
- 18 without complying with the requirements of this act as to age
- 19 and preliminary education, provided such person shall make
- 20 application to the department for registration as a student or
- 21 apprentice within three months after this act goes into effect.
- 22 Students, upon graduating from registered schools of beauty
- 23 culture, may [apply for, and receive from the department, a
- 24 temporary permit to practice as an operator until the next
- 25 regular examination held by the department under the provisions
- 26 of this act.] , upon submission of their application to take the
- 27 next regular examination held by the department under the
- 28 provisions of this act, practice as an operator until notified
- 29 of the results of such examination: Provided, however, That
- 30 registered schools of beauty culture shall issue to each student

- 1 graduating therefrom a certificate of such graduation in a form
- 2 approved by the Board which shall at all such times be
- 3 prominently displayed in the area of the shop where such student
- 4 <u>is so practicing.</u>
- 5 Section 3. The act is amended by adding a section to read:
- 6 <u>Section 14.1. Temporary Beauty Shop Certificate.--Upon</u>
- 7 completion of any on-site inspection required prior to the
- 8 opening of a beauty shop, if the inspector has found that the
- 9 shop and the contents thereof reasonably meet the requirements
- 10 of the rules of the Board concerning the same, the inspector
- 11 shall immediately issue a temporary certificate which shall
- 12 <u>authorize the shop to be open for business until the permanent</u>
- 13 <u>certificate is issued or denied by the board.</u>
- 14 Section 4. This act shall take effect in 60 days.