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FAVORABLE

HB 1025 State Board of Cosmetologists - Licensing - Eyelash Extensions

HB 1025 would correct an error on a bill that passed last year.

The Department of Labor identified a technical error in the legislation which established a new eyelash extension limited license.

As written, the language from last year allowed the board examination component to be optional due to the inclusion of OR instead of AND under BOP 5-305 (C)(3). This was not the intent and is inconsistent with all other limited licenses under the Board of Cosmetologists.

In order to make it clear that a board examination is required to formally obtain the new limited license, as is the requirement for all other special license categories, the Department is suggesting we remove the conflicting language and allow current language, under BOP 5-305 (h), to be the prevailing requirement in law.

(h) An applicant for a limited license shall pass an examination given by the Board under this subtitle.

I respectfully request a favorable on the correction to HB 1025.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "April Rose".

Del. April Rose
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