
By: Chairman, Economic Matters Committee (Departmental - Labor, Licensing and Regulation)

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CHAPTER ____

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Barbers - Licenses - Prohibited Acts**

3 FOR the purpose of specifying that barbering services may be performed only in a
4 licensed barbershop or beauty salon unless certain conditions are met; eliminating a
5 prohibition on operating a barbershop in certain moveable facilities; and
6 eliminating the restriction on barbershops in ~~Montgomery and Prince George's~~
7 ~~Counties~~ Prince George's County from operating only 6 days per week; and
8 generally relating to barbers.

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
10 Article - Business Occupations and Professions
11 Section 4-309 and 4-606
12 Annotated Code of Maryland
13 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

14 BY repealing
15 Article - Business Occupations and Professions
16 Section 4-605 and 4-606
17 Annotated Code of Maryland
18 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

19 BY adding to
20 Article - Business Occupations and Professions
21 Section 4-605
22 Annotated Code of Maryland
23 (1995 Replacement Volume and 1995 Supplement)

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1 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
2 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

3 **Article - Business Occupations and Professions**

4 4-309.

5 (a) [While] SUBJECT TO § 4-605 OF THIS TITLE, WHILE a master barber license
6 is in effect, it authorizes the licensee to:

7 (1) practice barbering [in a barbershop that holds a permit;

8 (2) practice barbering in a beauty salon that holds a beauty salon permit];

9 and

10 [(3)] (2) supervise an apprentice barber.

11 (b) [While] SUBJECT TO § 4-605 OF THIS TITLE, WHILE a barber license is in
12 effect, it authorizes the licensee to[:

13 (1) practice barbering [in a barbershop that holds a barbershop permit; and

14 (2) practice barbering in a beauty salon that holds a beauty salon permit].

15 [4-605.

16 A person may not operate a barbershop in or out of a trailer or other moveable
17 facility.]

18 4-605.

19 (A) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN §§ 4-301.1 AND 4-301.2 OF THIS TITLE AND
20 SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, A PERSON MAY NOT PRACTICE BARBERING IN
21 ANY PLACE OTHER THAN:

22 (1) A BARBERSHOP THAT HOLDS A BARBERSHOP PERMIT UNDER THIS
23 TITLE; OR

24 (2) A BEAUTY SALON THAT HOLDS A BEAUTY SALON PERMIT UNDER
25 TITLE 5 OF THIS ARTICLE.

26 (B) A LICENSED MASTER BARBER OR A LICENSED BARBER MAY PRACTICE
27 BARBERING OUTSIDE A BARBERSHOP OR BEAUTY SALON IF:

28 (1) THE MASTER BARBER OR THE BARBER IS SPONSORED BY A
29 BARBERSHOP THAT HOLDS A BARBERSHOP PERMIT OR A BEAUTY SALON THAT
30 HOLDS A BEAUTY SALON PERMIT;

31 (2) THE PATRON IS A CUSTOMER OF THE BARBERSHOP OR THE BEAUTY
32 SALON;

33 (3) THE IMPLEMENTS TRANSPORTED TO THE SITE WHERE BARBERING
34 SERVICES WILL BE PERFORMED ARE SANITIZED AND DISINFECTED;

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1 (4) THE SPONSORING BARBERSHOP MAINTAINS COMPLETE RECORDS
2 OF ALL SERVICES PERFORMED OUTSIDE OF THE BARBERSHOP OR THE BEAUTY
3 SALON; AND

4 (5) BOARD INSPECTORS ARE PERMITTED TO CONDUCT INSPECTIONS
5 OF:

6 (I) THE IMPLEMENTS USED OUTSIDE OF THE BARBERSHOP OR
7 THE BEAUTY SALON; AND

8 (II) THE PREMISES WHERE THE BARBERING SERVICES ARE
9 PERFORMED.

10 ¶4-606.

11 A barbershop in Montgomery County ~~or Prince George's County~~ may not open for
12 business more than 6 days a week.}

13 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
14 October 1, 1996.