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**CHAPTER 22**  
**HOUSE BILL 2525**

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTIONS 32-506, 32-510, 32-512 AND 32-512.01, ARIZONA REVISED  
STATUTES; RELATING TO THE BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY BOARD.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 32-506, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4 32-506. Nonapplicability of chapter

5 This chapter does not apply to the following persons while in the  
6 proper discharge of their professional duties:

7 1. Medical practitioners who are licensed pursuant to this title if  
8 the practices treat physical or mental ailments or disease.

9 2. Commissioned physicians and surgeons who are serving in the  
10 armed forces of the United States or other federal agencies.

11 3. Persons who are licensed pursuant to chapter 3 or 12 of this  
12 title.

13 4. Students who are attending schools licensed ~~pursuant to this~~  
14 ~~chapter~~ BY THE BOARD while they are on school premises during school hours  
15 or off campus at a school-sponsored event.

16 5. Persons employed by theatrical groups who apply makeup, oils and  
17 cosmetics.

18 6. Persons who sell makeup, oils and cosmetics and who apply such  
19 products during the process of selling such products.

20 7. Shampoo assistants who shampoo hair under the direction of a  
21 cosmetologist or hairstylist licensed pursuant to this chapter.

22 8. Services performed by and for persons who are in the custody of  
23 the state department of corrections.

24 9. Persons who apply makeup, oils and cosmetics to patients in a  
25 hospital, nursing home or residential care institution with the consent of  
26 the patient and the hospital, nursing home or residential care  
27 institution.

28 10. Persons who provide a service that results in tension on hair  
29 strands or roots by twisting, wrapping, weaving, extending, locking or  
30 braiding if the service does not include the application of dyes, reactive  
31 chemicals or other preparations to alter the color of the hair or to  
32 straighten, curl or alter the structure of the hair.

33 11. Persons who provide threading.

34 12. Persons who provide tanning services by means of airbrushing,  
35 tanning beds or spray tanning.

36 13. Persons who apply makeup, including eyelash enhancements. This  
37 paragraph does not apply if a person is engaging in the practice of  
38 aesthetics or cosmetology. A person who is exempt pursuant to this  
39 paragraph shall post a sign in a conspicuous location in the person's  
40 place of business notifying the public that the person's services are not  
41 regulated by the board.

42 14. Persons who dry, style, arrange, dress, curl, hot iron or  
43 shampoo and condition hair if the service does not include applying  
44 reactive chemicals to permanently straighten, curl or alter the structure  
45 of the hair and if the person takes and completes a class relating to

1 sanitation, infection protection and law review that is provided by the  
2 board or its designee. This paragraph does not apply if a person is  
3 engaging in the practice of aesthetics or cosmetology. A person who is  
4 exempt pursuant to this paragraph shall post a sign in a conspicuous  
5 location in the person's place of business notifying the public that the  
6 person's services are not regulated by the board.

7 15. Persons who are participating in a department of economic  
8 security-approved apprenticeship program ~~in cosmetology~~ as described in  
9 section 32-510, 32-511, 32-512 OR 32-512.01 while working with a mentor in  
10 an establishment that is licensed by the board.

11 16. Persons who are licensed in another state and who are working  
12 in this state at a charitable event that benefits a nonprofit  
13 organization.

14 17. Persons who are licensed in another state, who are in this  
15 state for not more than two weeks and who provide services for persons who  
16 are attending an athletic, charitable, artistic or social event in this  
17 state.

18 18. Persons who are enrolled in a school that is licensed by the  
19 board and who shampoo, rinse and apply cream rinse, conditioners and  
20 reconstructors to hair, including hair that has been treated with color or  
21 bleach.

22 Sec. 2. Section 32-510, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
23 read:

24 32-510. Aestheticians; applications; qualifications

25 A person is entitled to receive an aesthetician's license if the  
26 person:

27 1. Submits to the board an application for an aesthetician's  
28 license on a form supplied by the board.

29 2. Does either of the following:

30 (a) Completes and receives appropriate credits for at least two  
31 years of high school education or its equivalent as prescribed by the  
32 board in its rules and submits to the board satisfactory evidence that the  
33 person is at least sixteen years of age.

34 (b) Submits to the board satisfactory evidence that the person is  
35 at least eighteen years of age.

36 3. Submits to the board satisfactory evidence of ~~either~~ ANY of the  
37 following:

38 (a) That the person is a graduate of an aesthetician school in  
39 another state or country that has substantially the same requirements as  
40 this state for schools licensed by the board.

41 (b) That the person is a graduate of an aesthetician course  
42 consisting of at least six hundred hours of training in a school licensed  
43 by the board.

44 (c) THAT THE PERSON COMPLETED A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
45 LABOR-APPROVED OR A DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED

1 APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM IN AESTHETICS THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST TWO HUNDRED  
2 HOURS OF INFECTION PROTECTION AND LAW REVIEW INSTRUCTION. THE PERSON  
3 SHALL COMPLETE THE INSTRUCTION PRESCRIBED BY THIS SUBDIVISION THROUGH  
4 EITHER:

5 (i) A SCHOOL THAT IS LICENSED BY THE BOARD OR A SCHOOL OR PROGRAM  
6 IN ANOTHER STATE THAT HAS, IN THE BOARD'S OPINION, LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS  
7 THAT ARE SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS STATE.

8 (ii) A DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP  
9 PROGRAM.

10 4. Passes the examination for an aesthetician's license.

11 5. Pays the prescribed fees for an aesthetician's license.

12 Sec. 3. Section 32-512, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
13 read:

14 32-512. Nail technicians; applications; qualifications

15 A person is entitled to receive a license to practice nail  
16 technology if the person does all of the following:

17 1. Submits to the board an application for a nail technician  
18 license on a form supplied by the board.

19 2. Does either of the following:

20 (a) Completes and receives appropriate credits for at least two  
21 years of high school education or its equivalent as prescribed by the  
22 board in its rules and submits satisfactory evidence that the person is at  
23 least sixteen years of age.

24 (b) Submits to the board satisfactory evidence that the person is  
25 at least eighteen years of age.

26 3. Submits to the board satisfactory evidence of ~~either~~ ANY of the  
27 following:

28 (a) That the person graduated from a nail technology school in  
29 another state or country that had at the time of the person's graduation  
30 substantially the same requirements as this state for schools licensed by  
31 the board.

32 (b) That the person completed a nail technician course consisting  
33 of at least six hundred hours of training in a school licensed by the  
34 board.

35 (c) THAT THE PERSON COMPLETED A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
36 LABOR-APPROVED OR A DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED  
37 APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM IN NAIL TECHNOLOGY THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST ONE  
38 HUNDRED FIFTY HOURS OF INFECTION PROTECTION AND LAW REVIEW INSTRUCTION.  
39 THE PERSON SHALL COMPLETE THE INSTRUCTION PRESCRIBED BY THIS SUBDIVISION  
40 THROUGH EITHER:

41 (i) A SCHOOL THAT IS LICENSED BY THE BOARD OR A SCHOOL OR PROGRAM  
42 IN ANOTHER STATE THAT HAS, IN THE BOARD'S OPINION, LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS  
43 THAT ARE SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS STATE.

44 (ii) A DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP  
45 PROGRAM.

- 1           4. Pays the prescribed fees for a nail technician license.  
2           5. Passes the examination for a nail technician license.  
3           Sec. 4. Section 32-512.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
4 read:  
5           32-512.01. Hairstylists; applications; qualifications  
6           A person is entitled to receive a license to practice hairstyling if  
7 the person does all of the following:  
8           1. Submits to the board an application for a hairstylist license on  
9 a form supplied by the board.  
10           2. Either:  
11           (a) Completes and receives appropriate credits for at least two  
12 years of high school education or its equivalent as prescribed by the  
13 board in its rules and submits satisfactory evidence that the person is at  
14 least sixteen years of age.  
15           (b) Submits to the board satisfactory evidence that the person is  
16 at least eighteen years of age.  
17           3. Submits to the board satisfactory evidence that the person  
18 ~~either~~ MEETS ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:  
19           (a) Graduated from a hairstyling school in another state or country  
20 that had at the time of the person's graduation substantially the same  
21 requirements as this state for schools licensed by the board.  
22           (b) Completed a hairstylist course consisting of at least one  
23 thousand hours of training in a school licensed by the board.  
24           (c) COMPLETED A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR-APPROVED OR A  
25 DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM IN  
26 HAIRSTYLING THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST TWO HUNDRED HOURS OF INFECTION  
27 PROTECTION AND LAW REVIEW INSTRUCTION. THE PERSON SHALL COMPLETE THE  
28 INSTRUCTION PRESCRIBED BY THIS SUBDIVISION THROUGH EITHER:  
29           (i) A SCHOOL THAT IS LICENSED BY THE BOARD OR A SCHOOL OR PROGRAM  
30 IN ANOTHER STATE THAT HAS, IN THE BOARD'S OPINION, LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS  
31 THAT ARE SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS STATE.  
32           (ii) A DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP  
33 PROGRAM.  
34           4. Pays the prescribed fees for a hairstylist license.  
35           5. Passes the examination for a hairstylist license.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR APRIL 5, 2023.

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