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barbering and cosmetology board; continuation

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CHAPTER 234

SENATE BILL 1563

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 32-507, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; REPEALING SECTION 32-512.02, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 32, CHAPTER 5, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 32-512.02; REPEALING SECTION 41-3026.06, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 41, CHAPTER 27, ARTICLE 2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 41-3034.06; 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 32-507, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 32-507. Fees

5 A. The board shall establish and collect fees not to exceed the
6 following:

7 1. Application for initial personal license, a onetime fee of ~~\$100~~
8 \$80.

9 2. Application for personal reciprocity or universal license, a
10 onetime fee of ~~\$200~~ \$100.

11 3. Application for establishment license, including change of NAME,
12 CHANGE OF ownership AND CHANGE OF LOCATION, ~~\$250~~ \$200.

13 4. Application for school license and initial inspection fee,
14 including change of NAME, CHANGE OF ownership and change of location,
15 \$1,000.

16 5. Application for certification of licensure or hours, \$30.

17 6. Personal license renewal, ~~\$100~~ \$80 to be paid once every two
18 years pursuant to section 32-517 or 32-535.

19 7. Personal license delinquent renewal, ~~\$150~~ \$100.

20 ~~8. Establishment license after a change of location, \$150.~~

21 ~~9.~~ 8. Establishment license renewal, ~~\$100~~ \$80.

22 ~~10.~~ 9. Establishment license delinquent renewal, ~~\$150~~ \$100.

23 ~~11.~~ 10. School license renewal, ~~\$500~~ \$400.

24 ~~12.~~ 11. School license delinquent renewal, ~~\$600~~ \$500.

25 ~~13.~~ 12. Delinquent penalties for each year or portion of a year
26 for which the license was ~~inactive~~ EXPIRED.

27 ~~14.~~ 13. Computer printouts of names of licensees, up to \$.10 per
28 name.

29 ~~15.~~ 14. Duplicate license, \$30.

30 ~~16.~~ 15. Dishonored checks, \$20.

31 ~~17.~~ 16. Copying charges, \$1 per page. For audiotapes, videotapes,
32 computer discs or other mediums used for recording sounds, images or
33 information, \$15 per tape, disc or other medium.

34 ~~18.~~ 17. Board-administered educational classes, ~~\$100~~ \$75.

35 ~~19.~~ 18. Service charges for persons who pay with alternative
36 payment methods, including credit cards, charge cards, debit cards and
37 electronic transfers, not to exceed the cost of the alternative payment
38 method.

39 ~~20.~~ 19. Eyelash technician registration, an amount to be
40 determined by the board.

41 ~~21.~~ 20. Eyelash technician registration renewal, an amount to be
42 determined by the board.

43 ~~22.~~ 21. Eyelash technician registration delinquent renewal, an
44 amount to be determined by the board.

1 B. The board may charge additional fees for:
2 1. Documents and publications provided by the board.
3 2. Services that the board deems appropriate to carry out its
4 intent and purpose. These additional fees shall not exceed the costs of
5 rendering the services.
6 Sec. 2. Repeal
7 Section 32-512.02, Arizona Revised Statutes, is repealed.
8 Sec. 3. Title 32, chapter 5, article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes,
9 is amended by adding a new section 32-512.02, to read:
10 32-512.02. Barbers; licensure; applications; qualifications
11 A. A PERSON IS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE A BARBER LICENSE IF THE PERSON
12 DOES ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:
13 1. SUBMITS TO THE BOARD AN APPLICATION FOR A BARBER LICENSE ON A
14 FORM SUPPLIED BY THE BOARD.
15 2. EITHER:
16 (a) SUBMITS SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE THAT THE PERSON IS AT LEAST
17 SIXTEEN YEARS OLD AND HAS COMPLETED AND RECEIVED APPROPRIATE CREDITS FOR
18 AT LEAST TWO YEARS OF HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT AS
19 PRESCRIBED IN RULES ADOPTED BY THE BOARD.
20 (b) SUBMITS TO THE BOARD SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE THAT THE PERSON IS
21 AT LEAST EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE.
22 3. SUBMITS TO THE BOARD SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE THAT THE PERSON MEETS
23 ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:
24 (a) GRADUATED FROM A BARBERING SCHOOL IN ANOTHER STATE OR COUNTRY
25 THAT HAD SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOLS LICENSED BY THE
26 BOARD AT THE TIME OF THE PERSON'S GRADUATION.
27 (b) COMPLETED A BARBERING COURSE CONSISTING OF AT LEAST ONE
28 THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED HOURS OF TRAINING IN A SCHOOL LICENSED BY THE BOARD.
29 (c) COMPLETED A UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR-APPROVED OR A
30 DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM IN
31 BARBERING THAT INCLUDES AT LEAST TWO HUNDRED FIFTY HOURS OF INFECTION
32 PROTECTION LAW REVIEW INSTRUCTION. THE PERSON SHALL COMPLETE THE
33 INSTRUCTION REQUIRED BY THIS SUBDIVISION THROUGH EITHER:
34 (i) A SCHOOL THAT IS LICENSED BY THE BOARD OR A SCHOOL OR PROGRAM
35 IN ANOTHER STATE THAT HAS, IN THE BOARD'S OPINION, LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS
36 THAT ARE SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS STATE.
37 (ii) A DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY-APPROVED APPRENTICESHIP
38 PROGRAM.
39 4. PAYS THE PRESCRIBED FEES FOR A BARBER LICENSE.
40 5. PASSES THE EXAMINATIONS FOR A BARBER LICENSE.
41 B. NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION A, PARAGRAPHS 2 AND 3 OF THIS
42 SECTION, AN APPLICANT FOR A BARBER LICENSE WHO HOLDS A COSMETOLOGIST
43 LICENSE OR A HAIRSTYLIST LICENSE ISSUED PURSUANT TO THIS CHAPTER SHALL
44 COMPLETE A TWO HUNDRED-HOUR COURSE CONSISTING OF BARBERING TECHNIQUES IN A
45 SCHOOL LICENSED BY THE BOARD.

1 Sec. 4. Repeal
2 Section 41-3026.06, Arizona Revised Statutes, is repealed.
3 Sec. 5. Title 41, chapter 27, article 2, Arizona Revised Statutes,
4 is amended by adding section 41-3034.06, to read:
5 41-3034.06. Barbering and cosmetology board; termination July
6 1, 2034
7 A. THE BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY BOARD TERMINATES ON JULY 1, 2034.
8 B. TITLE 32, CHAPTER 5 AND THIS SECTION ARE REPEALED ON JANUARY 1,
9 2035.
10 Sec. 6. Purpose
11 Pursuant to section 41-2955, subsection B, Arizona Revised Statutes,
12 the legislature continues the barbering and cosmetology board to ensure
13 the public is protected from the incompetent practice of barbering and
14 cosmetology by establishing minimum qualifications for entry into these
15 professions and swift and effective discipline for those practitioners who
16 violate barbering or cosmetology statutes or rules adopted pursuant to
17 those statutes.
18 Sec. 7. Retroactivity
19 Sections 4 and 5 of this act apply retroactively to from and after
20 July 1, 2026.

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR JUNE 22, 2026.

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