

2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019

BY REPRESENTATIVE DUBUISSON

COSMETOLOGY: Provides relative to licensure of cosmetologists

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 37:586(A)(2) and (B) and 595(B)(1), to enact R.S. 37:586(F),
3 and to repeal R.S. 37:582(C)(2) and 599(A)(1)(b), relative to licensure for
4 cosmetologists; to provide for license portability; to remove the practical
5 examination requirement; to provide for preemptive examination; to reduce the
6 requisite number of course hours provided for certain licenses; and to provide for
7 related matters.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 37:586(A)(2) and (B) and 595(B)(1) are hereby amended and
10 reenacted and R.S. 37:586(F) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

11 §586. Examination of applicants

12 A.

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14 (2) ~~Practical cosmetologist~~, Louisiana state theory, and national theory
15 examinations shall be conducted at least twice monthly.

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17 B. The examinations shall include ~~practical demonstrations and~~ written and
18 oral tests which shall reflect the subjects normally taught in approved schools in the
19 course required for the appropriate certificate of registration.

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Present law allows an applicant to take an examination for licensure upon completion of all educational course work.

Proposed law still allows an applicant to take an examination after completion of the coursework, but also allows an applicant to take an examination upon completion of 75% of the coursework.

(Amends R.S. 37:586(A)(2) and (B) and 595(B)(1); Adds R.S. 37:586(F); Repeals R.S. 37:582(C)(2) and 599(A)(1)(b))