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Abstract: Makes changes with respect to exams and certain fees and fines assessed by the La. State Board of Cosmetology (board).

<u>Present law</u> provides that applicants for license examinations are responsible for all costs associated with taking exams at test centers that are off-site from the board's testing center. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

<u>Proposed law</u> further provides that applicants are responsible for costs of exams administered by a third-party testing company at the board's testing center or at an off-site testing center.

<u>Proposed law</u> makes certain changes to fees assessed by the board. Provides that assessed fees are nonrefundable.

<u>Present law</u> provides for assessed fees for certain examinations. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> but makes certain changes to fee amounts.

<u>Present law provides certain fees for respective resident and nonresident cosmetologists, estheticians, manicurists, and teachers.</u> Further provides fees for certain license renewal, permits, registrations, inspections, and expired certificates.

Proposed law retains present law but makes changes to certain fee amounts.

<u>Present law provides for fines for certain violations found through inspections.</u> <u>Proposed law retains present law and provides for an increase in fines for certain violations.</u>

(Amends R.S. 37:586(A), 599(A), and 601; Repeals R.S. 37:586(A)(4))