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Representative(s) Carroll offered the following:

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Amendment (with title amendment)

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Remove line(s) 178-636 and insert:

- (11) "Cosmetology intern" means a student enrolled in a cosmetology school or program to earn school or program hours by interning under the direct supervision of a licensed cosmetologist in a licensed salon.
- "Internship sponsor" means a licensed cosmetologist (12)registered with the board for the purpose of supervising a cosmetology intern and ensuring compliance by the intern with the laws and rules of this state and the internship requirements established by the board and administered through the school or program.

(12) "Body wrapping" means a treatment program that uses herbal wraps for the purposes of cleansing and beautifying the skin of the body, but does not include:

- (a) The application of oils, lotions, or other fluids to the body, except fluids contained in presoaked materials used in the wraps; or
- (b) Manipulation of the body's superficial tissue, other than that arising from compression emanating from the wrap materials.
- of the body, other than the head, face, and scalp, by the use of a sponge, brush, cloth, or similar device to apply or remove a chemical preparation or other substance, except that chemical peels may be removed by peeling an applied preparation from the skin by hand. Skin care services must be performed by a licensed cosmetologist or facial specialist within a licensed cosmetology or specialty salon, and such services may not involve massage, as defined in s. 480.033(3), through manipulation of the superficial tissue.
- Section 2. Section 477.0131, Florida Statutes, is created to read:
- 477.0131 Hair technician, esthetician, nail technician, and cosmetology licenses.--
- (1) A person who is otherwise qualified by this chapter and who is authorized to practice all of the services listed in s. 477.013(4)(a) shall be licensed as a hair technician.
- (2) A person who is otherwise qualified by this chapter and who is authorized to practice all of the services listed in s. 477.013(4)(b) shall be licensed as an esthetician.
- (3) A person who is otherwise qualified by this chapter and who is authorized to practice all of the services listed in s. 477.013(4)(c) shall be licensed as a nail technician.

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(4) A person who is otherwise qualified by this chapter and who is authorized to practice all of the services listed in s. 477.013(4) shall be licensed as a cosmetologist.

Section 3. Section 477.0132, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

477.0132 Hair braiding, hair wrapping, and body wrapping registration.--

- (1) A person whose occupation or practice is confined solely to hair braiding shall register with the department, shall pay the applicable registration fees, and shall take and pass a course consisting of a minimum of 40 hours, except as otherwise provided in this subsection. The course shall be approved by the board and shall consist of 4 hours of instruction in HIV/AIDS and other communicable diseases, 5 hours of instruction in sanitation and sterilization, 5 hours of instruction in disorders and diseases of the scalp, 2 hours of instruction regarding laws affecting hair braiding, and 24 hours of instruction in the application and removal of hair braiding. A person who demonstrates skill in the application and removal of hair braiding through a board-approved examination may be exempt from the 24 hours of instruction in the application and removal of hair braiding.
- (a) Persons whose occupation or practice is confined solely to hair braiding must register with the department, pay the applicable registration fee, and take a two-day 16-hour course. The course shall be board approved and consist of 5 hours of HIV/AIDS and other communicable diseases, 5 hours of sanitation and sterilization, 4 hours of disorders and diseases

of the scalp, and 2 hours of studies regarding laws affecting hair braiding.

- (2) (b) A person Persons whose occupation or practice is confined solely to hair wrapping shall must register with the department, pay the applicable registration fee, and take a one-day 6-hour course. The course shall be board approved and consist of instruction education in HIV/AIDS and other communicable diseases, sanitation and sterilization, disorders and diseases of the scalp, and instruction studies regarding laws affecting hair wrapping.
- (3) A person holding a registration in body wrapping before January 1, 2007, may continue to practice body wrapping as described in s. 477.013(4)(b)6. The board shall adopt by rule continuing education requirements for the renewal of body wrapping registrations.
- (c) Unless otherwise licensed or exempted from licensure under this chapter, any person whose occupation or practice is body wrapping must register with the department, pay the applicable registration fee, and take a two day 12 hour course. The course shall be board approved and consist of education in HIV/AIDS and other communicable diseases, sanitation and sterilization, disorders and diseases of the skin, and studies regarding laws affecting body wrapping.
- (4) (d) Only the board may review, evaluate, and approve a course and text required of an applicant for registration under this section subsection in the occupation or practice of hair braiding or, hair wrapping, or body wrapping. A provider of such a course is not required to hold a license under chapter 1005.

(5)(2) Hair braiding and, hair wrapping, and body wrapping are not required to be practiced in a cosmetology salon or specialty salon. When hair braiding or, hair wrapping, or body wrapping is practiced outside a cosmetology salon or specialty salon, disposable implements shall must be used or all implements shall must be sanitized in a disinfectant approved for hospital use or approved by the federal Environmental Protection Agency.

(3) Pending issuance of registration, a person is eligible to practice hair braiding, hair wrapping, or body wrapping upon submission of a registration application that includes proof of successful completion of the education requirements and payment of the applicable fees required by this chapter.

Section 4. Section 477.014, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

477.014 Qualifications for practice. --

- (1) On and after January 1, 2007, a 1979, no person who is not other than a duly licensed or registered under this chapter may not cosmetologist shall practice in any of the cosmetology areas provided in s. 477.013(4) or use the name or title of cosmetologist, hair technician, esthetician, or nail technician.
- (2) A person licensed or registered under this chapter on or after January 1, 2007, may not practice or hold himself or herself out as qualified to practice in an area in which he or she is not specifically licensed or registered under this chapter.
- (3) A cosmetologist licensed before January 1, 2007, may perform all the services of a licensed cosmetologist as defined in this chapter.

- (4) A facial specialist registered or enrolled in a cosmetology school before January 1, 2007, may take the examination for an esthetician license.
- (5) A manicure, pedicure, and nail extension specialist registered or enrolled in a cosmetology school before January 1, 2007, may take the examination for a nail technician license.
- (6) A specialist registered under this chapter before

 January 1, 2007, may continue to practice under the name of his
 or her specialty registration without taking the respective
 licensure examination. Renewal of all registrations existing
 before January 1, 2007, shall be accomplished pursuant to rules
 adopted by the board. Such renewal shall include a full
 specialty registration, which combines facial and manicure,
 pedicure, and nail extension.
- Section 5. Section 477.019, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 477.019 Cosmetologists; hair technicians; estheticians; nail technicians; qualifications; licensure; supervised practice; license renewal; endorsement; continuing education.--
- (1) A person desiring to be licensed <u>in the field of cosmetology</u> as a cosmetologist shall apply to the department for licensure.
- (2) An applicant <u>is shall be</u> eligible for licensure by examination to practice cosmetology, hair technician services, esthetician services, or nail technician services if the applicant:
- (a) Is at least 16 years of age or has received a high school diploma or graduate equivalency diploma or has passed an ability-to-benefit test, which is an independently administered 691417

- test approved by the United States Secretary of Education as provided in 20 U.S.C. s. 1091(d).
 - (b) Pays the required application fee, which is not refundable, and the required examination fee, which is refundable if the applicant is determined to not be eligible for licensure for any reason other than failure to successfully complete the licensure examination. ; and
 - (c)1. Is authorized to practice cosmetology in another state or country, has been so authorized for at least 1 year, and does not qualify for licensure by endorsement as provided for in subsection (6); or
 - 2.<u>a.</u> Has received a minimum number of hours of training as follows:
 - (I) For a hair technician, 1,000 hours.
 - (II) For an esthetician, 600 hours.
 - (III) For a nail technician, 350 hours.
 - (IV) For a cosmetologist, 1,800 hours.
 - b. The training Has received a minimum of 1,200 hours of training as established by the board, which shall include, but need shall not be limited to, the equivalent of completion of services directly related to the practice of cosmetology at one of the following:
 - (I)a. A school of cosmetology licensed pursuant to chapter 1005.
 - $\underline{\text{(II)}}_{b}$. A cosmetology program within the public school system.
- 187 <u>(III)</u> The Cosmetology Division of the Florida School for 188 the Deaf and the Blind, provided the division meets the 189 standards of this chapter.

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190 (IV) d. A government-operated cosmetology program in this state.

- c. A person who has enrolled and begun his or her education before January 1, 2007, may take the examination to be licensed as a cosmetologist upon completion of 1,200 hours of education.
- d. A person who begins his or her education on or after

 January 1, 2007, shall comply with the hour requirements in subsubparagraph a. in order to qualify to take his or her
 respective examination.

- The board shall establish by rule procedures whereby the school or program may certify that a person is qualified to take the required examination after the completion of a minimum of 1,000 actual school hours. If the person then passes the examination, he or she shall have satisfied this requirement; but if the person fails the examination, he or she shall not be qualified to take the examination again until the completion of the full requirements provided by this section.
- (3) Upon an applicant receiving a passing grade, as established by board rule, on the examination and paying the initial licensing fee, the department shall issue a license to practice in the applicant's respective area of cosmetology provided in s. 477.013(4).
- (4) After submitting a complete application to take the first available examination for licensure as a cosmetologist, hair technician, esthetician, or nail technician, a graduate of a licensed cosmetology school or a program within the public school system, which school or program is certified by the 691417

219	Department of Education, is eligible to practice in the
220	graduate's respective area for a maximum period of 60 days,
221	provided such graduate practices under the supervision of a
222	professional licensed under this chapter in a licensed salon. A
223	graduate who fails to pass an examination the first time may
224	continue to practice under the supervision of a professional
225	licensed under this chapter in a licensed salon for an
226	additional 60-day period, provided the graduate applies for the
227	next available examination. A graduate may not continue to
228	practice under this subsection if the graduate fails the
229	examination twice. Following the completion of the first
230	licensing examination and pending the results of that
231	examination and issuance of a license to practice cosmetology,
232	graduates of licensed cosmetology schools or cosmetology
233	programs offered in public school systems, which schools or
234	programs are certified by the Department of Education, are
235	eligible to practice cosmetology, provided such graduates
236	practice under the supervision of a licensed cosmetologist in a
237	licensed cosmetology salon. A graduate who fails the first
238	examination may continue to practice under the supervision of a
239	licensed cosmetologist in a licensed cosmetology salon if the
240	graduate applies for the next available examination and until
241	the graduate receives the results of that examination. No
242	graduate may continue to practice under this subsection if the
243	graduate fails the examination twice.

- (5) Renewal of license registration shall be accomplished pursuant to rules adopted by the board.
- (6) The board shall adopt rules specifying procedures for the licensure by endorsement of practitioners desiring to be 691417

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licensed in this state who hold a current active license in another state <u>or country</u> and who have met qualifications substantially similar to, equivalent to, or greater than the qualifications required of applicants from this state. <u>For purposes of this subsection</u>, work experience may be substituted for required educational hours in the amount and manner provided by board rule.

- (7)(a) The board shall prescribe by rule continuing education requirements for licensees and registered specialists that intended to ensure the protection of the public through updated training of licensees and registered specialists, not to exceed 16 hours biennially, as a condition for renewal of a license or registration as a specialist under this chapter. Continuing education courses shall include, but not be limited to, the following subjects as they relate to the practice of cosmetology: HIV/AIDS human immunodeficiency virus and acquired immune deficiency syndrome; Occupational Safety and Health Administration regulations; workers' compensation issues; state and federal laws and rules as they pertain to cosmetologists, the practice of cosmetology, salons, specialists, specialty salons, and booth renters; chemical makeup as it pertains to hair, skin, and nails; and environmental issues. Courses given at educational cosmetology conferences may be counted toward the number of continuing education hours required if approved by the board.
- (b) Any person whose occupation or practice is confined solely to hair braiding or, hair wrapping, or body wrapping is exempt from the continuing education requirements of this subsection.

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(c) The board may, by rule, require any licensee in violation of a continuing education requirement to take a refresher course or refresher course and examination in addition to any other penalty. The number of hours for the refresher course may not exceed 48 hours.

Section 6. Section 477.0212, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

477.0212 Inactive status.--

- (1) A cosmetologist's license issued under this chapter that has become inactive may be reactivated under s. 477.019 upon application to the department.
- (2) The board shall adopt promulgate rules relating to licenses that which have become inactive and for the renewal of inactive licenses. The board shall prescribe by rule a fee not to exceed \$100 \$50 for the reactivation of an inactive license and a fee not to exceed \$50 for the renewal of an inactive license. The board shall prescribe by rule the continuing education requirements to be met prior to license renewal or reactivation.

Section 7. Section 477.023, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

477.023 Schools of cosmetology; licensure.-- A No private school of cosmetology may not shall be permitted to operate without a license issued by the Commission for Independent Education pursuant to chapter 1005. However, this chapter does not nothing herein shall be construed to prevent certification by the Department of Education of grooming and salon services and cosmetology training programs within the public school

system or to prevent government operation of any other program of cosmetology in this state.

Section 8. Section 477.0231, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

477.0231 Cosmetology internships.--

- (1) The selection and placement of cosmetology interns shall be determined by the cosmetology school or program. The school or program shall determine whether a student is eligible to become a cosmetology intern and whether an internship sponsor meets the requirements for its educational objectives. The school program, on behalf of the student, shall provide written notice to the board that an internship sponsor has been selected and name the cosmetology intern to be supervised. The school or program shall determine the length and schedule of an individual cosmetology internship, but such internship may not exceed 24 months.
- (2) Each internship sponsor shall obtain approval from a school or cosmetology program and shall register with the board before accepting placement of each cosmetology intern. The application for registration shall include the name and contact person of the school or program placing the intern, the names and addresses of the internship sponsor, and other information that the board requires.
- (3) The internship sponsor shall actively supervise the cosmetology intern in the practice of cosmetology pursuant to rules established by the board. A cosmetology intern may only practice within the field of cosmetology in which he or she is engaged in the course of study. The internship sponsor shall ensure that the cosmetology intern is complying with the laws 691417

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- 334 and rules governing cosmetology and is complying with the educational objectives and guidelines established by the 335 336 cosmetology school or program and the board.
 - (4) All services provided by the cosmetology intern shall be expressly approved by the internship sponsor and contracted for by the internship sponsor. The internship sponsor shall ensure that the public is clearly informed that the cosmetology intern is not a licensed cosmetologist.
 - (5) Pursuant to rules established by the board, the cosmetology salon in which a cosmetology intern is engaged in the practice of cosmetology shall post notice in a conspicuous manner within the salon indicating that a student intern is providing services on the premises.
 - (6) While engaged in the practice of cosmetology, a cosmetology intern shall posses written documentation of his or her authorization to engage in the practice of cosmetology from the student's cosmetology school or program and shall furnish such documentation to the department before engaging in the practice of cosmetology and upon request by department personnel.
 - The board shall establish by rule the education (7) prerequisites for cosmetology internships, including the minimum number of hours of classroom instruction and required course work. The board shall establish by rule the number of permitted cosmetology internships per internship sponsor, the minimum and maximum number of internship hours, and the recommended educational objectives and quidelines for an internship program in a cosmetology school or program.

- 362 The board may terminate the internship of any 363 cosmetology intern and the sponsorship of any internship sponsor 364 for a violation of the laws and rules governing cosmetology. The board shall provide notice of termination of an internship to 365 the internship sponsor, the cosmetology school or program, and 366 the cosmetology intern. In the case of a terminated cosmetology 367 internship, the school or program shall determine the 368 369 educational status of the cosmetology intern. A cosmetology intern whose internship sponsor has been terminated, has been 370 371 otherwise disciplined by the board, or has voluntarily withdrawn 372 from sponsorship remains eligible for new placement through the 373 school or program.
 - Section 9. Section 477.025, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
 - 477.025 Cosmetology salons; specialty Salons; requisites; licensure; inspection; mobile cosmetology salons.--
 - (1) No cosmetology salon or specialty salon shall be permitted to operate without a license issued by the department except as provided in subsection (11).
 - (2) The board shall adopt rules governing the licensure and operation of salons and specialty salons and their facilities, personnel, safety and sanitary requirements, and the license application and granting process.
 - (3) Any person, firm, or corporation desiring to operate a cosmetology salon or specialty salon in the state shall submit to the department a salon an application form upon forms provided by the department, and accompanied by any relevant information requested by the department, and by an application fee.

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- (4) Upon receiving the application, the department may cause an investigation to be made of the proposed cosmetology salon or specialty salon.
- (5) When an applicant fails to meet all the requirements provided herein, the department shall deny the application in writing and shall list the specific requirements not met. No applicant denied licensure because of failure to meet the requirements herein shall be precluded from reapplying for licensure.
- (6) When the department determines that the proposed cosmetology salon or specialty salon may reasonably be expected to meet the requirements set forth herein, the department shall grant the license upon such conditions as it shall deem proper under the circumstances and upon payment of the original licensing fee.
- (7) No license for operation of a cosmetology salon or specialty salon may be transferred from the name of the original licensee to another. It may be transferred from one location to another only upon approval by the department, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- (8) Renewal of license registration for cosmetology salons or specialty salons shall be accomplished pursuant to rules adopted by the board. The board is further authorized to adopt rules governing delinquent renewal of licenses and may impose penalty fees for delinquent renewal.
- (9) The board is authorized to adopt rules governing the periodic inspection of cosmetology salons and specialty salons licensed under this chapter.

- (10)(a) The board shall adopt rules governing the licensure, operation, and inspection of mobile cosmetology salons, including their facilities, personnel, and safety and sanitary requirements.
- (b) Each mobile salon must comply with all licensure and operating requirements specified in this chapter or chapter 455 or rules of the board or department that apply to cosmetology salons at fixed locations, except to the extent that such requirements conflict with this subsection or rules adopted pursuant to this subsection.
- (c) A mobile cosmetology salon must maintain a permanent business address, located in the inspection area of the local department office, at which records of appointments, itineraries, license numbers of employees, and vehicle identification numbers of the licenseholder's mobile salon shall be kept and made available for verification purposes by department personnel, and at which correspondence from the department can be received.
- (d) To facilitate periodic inspections of mobile cosmetology salons, prior to the beginning of each month each mobile salon licenseholder must file with the board a written monthly itinerary listing the locations where and the dates and hours when the mobile salon will be operating.
- (e) The board shall establish fees for mobile cosmetology salons, not to exceed the fees for cosmetology salons at fixed locations.
- (f) The operation of mobile cosmetology salons must be in compliance with all local laws and ordinances regulating business establishments, with all applicable requirements of the 691417

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- Americans with Disabilities Act relating to accommodations for persons with disabilities, and with all applicable OSHA requirements.
 - (11) Facilities licensed under part II or part III of chapter 400 shall be exempt from the provisions of this section and a cosmetologist licensed pursuant to s. 477.019 may provide salon services exclusively for facility residents.
 - Section 10. Section 477.026, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

477.026 Fees; disposition.--

- (1) The board shall set fees according to the following schedule:
- (a) For <u>hair technicians</u>, <u>estheticians</u>, <u>nail technicians</u>, <u>or</u> cosmetologists, fees for original licensing, license renewal, and delinquent renewal may <u>shall</u> not exceed \$50 \$25.
- (b) For hair technicians, estheticians, nail technicians, or cosmetologists, fees for endorsement application, examination, and reexamination may shall not exceed \$150 \$50.
- (c) For cosmetology and specialty salons, fees for license application, original licensing, license renewal, and delinquent renewal may shall not exceed \$100 \$50.
- (d) For specialists, fees for application and endorsement registration shall not exceed \$30.
- $\underline{\text{(d)}}$ (e) For specialists, fees for initial registration, registration renewal, and delinquent renewal $\underline{\text{may}}$ shall not exceed \$100 \$50.
- (e) (f) For hair braiders and, hair wrappers, and body wrappers, fees for registration may shall not exceed \$40 \$25.

- (f) For internship sponsors, fees for registration may not exceed \$30.
 - (2) All moneys collected by the department from fees authorized by this chapter shall be paid into the Professional Regulation Trust Fund, which fund is created in the department, and shall be applied in accordance with ss. 215.37 and 455.219. The Legislature may appropriate any excess moneys from this fund to the General Revenue Fund.
 - (3) The department, with the advice of the board, shall prepare and submit a proposed budget in accordance with law.
- Section 11. Section 477.0263, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
- 477.0263 Cosmetology services to be performed in licensed salon; exceptions exception.--
- (1) Cosmetology <u>or specialty</u> services shall be performed only by licensed cosmetologists, <u>hair technicians</u>, <u>estheticians</u>, <u>nail technicians</u>, <u>or registered specialists</u> in licensed salons, except as otherwise provided in this section.
- (2) Pursuant to rules established by the board, cosmetology or specialty services may be performed by a licensed cosmetologist, hair technician, esthetician, nail technician, or registered specialist in a location other than a licensed salon, including, but not limited to, a nursing home, hospital, or residence, when a client for reasons of ill health is unable to go to a licensed salon. Arrangements for the performance of such cosmetology or specialty services in a location other than a licensed salon shall be made only through a licensed salon.
- (3) Any person who holds a valid cosmetology license in any state or who is authorized to practice cosmetology in any 691417

country, territory, or jurisdiction of the United States may perform cosmetology services in a location other than a licensed salon when such services are performed in connection with the motion picture, fashion photography, theatrical, or television industry; a photography studio salon; a manufacturer trade show demonstration; a department store demonstration; or an educational seminar.

- (4) Pursuant to rules established by the board, cosmetology, hair technician, esthetician, nail technician, or specialty services may be performed in a location other than a licensed salon when such services are performed in connection with a special event and are performed by a person who is employed by a licensed salon and who holds the proper license or specialty registration. Scheduling an appointment for the performance of such services in a location other than a licensed salon shall be made through a licensed salon.
- Section 12. Section 477.0265, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:
 - 477.0265 Prohibited acts.--
 - (1) It is unlawful for any person to:
- (a) Engage in the practice of cosmetology or a specialty without an active license in the field of cosmetology as a cosmetologist or registration as a specialist issued by the department pursuant to the provisions of this chapter unless authorized as a cosmetology intern pursuant to this chapter and supervised by a licensed cosmetologist.
- (b) Own, operate, maintain, open, establish, conduct, or have charge of, either alone or with another person or persons, a cosmetology salon or specialty salon:

- 1. Which is not licensed under the provisions of this chapter; or
 - 2. In which a person not licensed <u>in the field of cosmetology</u>, authorized as a cosmetology intern, or registered as a cosmetologist or a specialist is permitted to perform cosmetology services or any specialty.
 - (c) Engage in willful or repeated violations of this chapter or of any rule adopted by the board.
 - (d) Permit an employed person to engage in the practice of cosmetology or of a specialty unless such person holds a valid, active license in the field of cosmetology as a cosmetologist or a registration as a specialist or is authorized as a cosmetology intern pursuant to this chapter and supervised by a licensed cosmetologist.

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Remove line(s) 43-47 and insert:
certification; creating s. 477.0231, F.S.; providing for
cosmetology internships; providing requirements for the board,
cosmetology interns, internship sponsors, and cosmetology salons
relating to cosmetology internships; amending s. 477.025, F.S.,
relating to cosmetology and specialty salons, requisites,
licensure, inspection, and mobile cosmetology salons, to
conform; amending s. 477.026, F.S.; revising fee provisions to
conform; increasing fee caps for certain fees; providing a fee
cap for internship sponsors; amending s.