

By Senator Grimsley

21-00428A-16

2016504__

1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to laser hair removal; amending s.
3 478.45, F.S.; defining terms; providing certification
4 and training requirements for electrologists who use
5 laser or pulsed-light devices in hair removal;
6 providing an effective date.

7
8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

9
10 Section 1. Present subsections (5) and (6) of section
11 478.45, Florida Statutes, are redesignated as subsections (6)
12 and (7), respectively, and a new subsection (5) is added to that
13 section, to read:

14 478.45 Requirements for licensure.—

15 (5) (a) As used in this subsection, the term:

16 1. "Laser or pulsed-light device" means an electronic
17 device approved by the United States Food and Drug
18 Administration for laser hair removal.

19 2. "Laser hair removal" means the use of a laser or pulsed-
20 light device in a hair removal procedure that does not remove
21 the epidermis.

22 (b) An electrologist who uses a laser or pulsed-light
23 device must be certified by a nationally recognized electrology
24 organization in the use of these devices and must have the
25 appropriate training as defined by the board for each device
26 used.

27 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016.