

**Senate File 2365 - Introduced**

SENATE FILE 2365  
BY COMMITTEE ON STATE  
GOVERNMENT

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 3156)

**A BILL FOR**

1 An Act relating to the practice of barbering and cosmetology  
2 arts and sciences and providing transition provisions.  
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 10A.104, subsection 14, Code 2020, is  
2 amended to read as follows:

3 14. Administer inspections of cosmetology salons under  
4 ~~section 157.7~~ and ~~barbershops under section 158.6~~ chapter 157.

5 Sec. 2. Section 147.1, subsections 3 and 6, Code 2020, are  
6 amended to read as follows:

7 3. "*Licensed*" or "*certified*", when applied to a physician  
8 and surgeon, podiatric physician, osteopathic physician and  
9 surgeon, genetic counselor, physician assistant, psychologist,  
10 chiropractor, nurse, dentist, dental hygienist, dental  
11 assistant, optometrist, speech pathologist, audiologist,  
12 pharmacist, physical therapist, physical therapist assistant,  
13 occupational therapist, occupational therapy assistant,  
14 orthotist, prosthetist, pedorthist, respiratory care  
15 practitioner, practitioner of cosmetology arts and sciences,  
16 ~~practitioner of barbering~~, funeral director, dietitian,  
17 behavior analyst, assistant behavior analyst, marital and  
18 family therapist, mental health counselor, respiratory  
19 care and polysomnography practitioner, polysomnographic  
20 technologist, social worker, massage therapist, athletic  
21 trainer, acupuncturist, nursing home administrator, hearing  
22 aid specialist, or sign language interpreter or transliterator  
23 means a person licensed under [this subtitle](#).

24 6. "*Profession*" means medicine and surgery, podiatry,  
25 osteopathic medicine and surgery, genetic counseling, practice  
26 as a physician assistant, psychology, chiropractic, nursing,  
27 dentistry, dental hygiene, dental assisting, optometry, speech  
28 pathology, audiology, pharmacy, physical therapy, physical  
29 therapist assisting, occupational therapy, occupational therapy  
30 assisting, respiratory care, cosmetology arts and sciences,  
31 ~~barbering~~, mortuary science, applied behavior analysis, marital  
32 and family therapy, mental health counseling, polysomnography,  
33 social work, dietetics, massage therapy, athletic training,  
34 acupuncture, nursing home administration, practice as a hearing  
35 aid specialist, sign language interpreting or transliterating,

1 orthotics, prosthetics, or pedorthics.

2 Sec. 3. Section 147.2, subsection 1, Code 2020, is amended  
3 to read as follows:

4 1. A person shall not engage in the practice of medicine  
5 and surgery, podiatry, osteopathic medicine and surgery,  
6 genetic counseling, psychology, chiropractic, physical  
7 therapy, physical therapist assisting, nursing, dentistry,  
8 dental hygiene, dental assisting, optometry, speech pathology,  
9 audiology, occupational therapy, occupational therapy  
10 assisting, orthotics, prosthetics, pedorthics, respiratory  
11 care, pharmacy, cosmetology arts and sciences, ~~barbering,~~  
12 social work, dietetics, applied behavior analysis, marital  
13 and family therapy or mental health counseling, massage  
14 therapy, mortuary science, polysomnography, athletic training,  
15 acupuncture, nursing home administration, or sign language  
16 interpreting or transliterating, or shall not practice as a  
17 physician assistant or a hearing aid specialist, unless the  
18 person has obtained a license for that purpose from the board  
19 for the profession.

20 Sec. 4. Section 147.13, subsection 11, Code 2020, is amended  
21 to read as follows:

22 11. For cosmetology arts and sciences, the board of  
23 barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences.

24 Sec. 5. Section 147.13, subsection 12, Code 2020, is amended  
25 by striking the subsection.

26 Sec. 6. Section 147.14, subsection 1, paragraphs a and n,  
27 Code 2020, are amended by striking the paragraphs.

28 Sec. 7. Section 147.14, subsection 1, Code 2020, is amended  
29 by adding the following new paragraph:

30 NEW PARAGRAPH. x. For barbering and cosmetology arts and  
31 sciences, three members who are licensed cosmetologists; two  
32 members who are licensed to practice barbering and hairstyling;  
33 one member who is a licensed electrologist or esthetician; one  
34 member who is a licensed nail technologist; one member who  
35 is a licensed instructor of cosmetology arts and sciences or

1 hairstyling at a public or private school and who does not  
2 own a school of cosmetology arts and sciences; and one member  
3 who is not licensed to practice barbering and hairstyling  
4 or licensed in other practices of the cosmetology arts and  
5 sciences and who shall represent the general public.

6 Sec. 8. Section 147.76, Code 2020, is amended to read as  
7 follows:

8 **147.76 Rules.**

9 The boards for the various professions shall adopt all  
10 necessary and proper rules to administer and interpret this  
11 chapter and **chapters 148 through ~~158~~ 157**, except **chapter 148D**.

12 Sec. 9. Section 148A.3, subsection 1, Code 2020, is amended  
13 to read as follows:

14 1. Licensed physicians and surgeons, osteopathic physicians  
15 and surgeons, podiatric physicians, chiropractors, nurses,  
16 dentists, cosmetologists, and ~~barbers~~ barber-hairstylists, who  
17 are engaged in the practice of their respective professions.

18 Sec. 10. Section 157.1, Code 2020, is amended by adding the  
19 following new subsections:

20 NEW SUBSECTION. 001. "*Barber-hairstylist*" means a person  
21 who performs the practice of barbering and hairstyling.

22 NEW SUBSECTION. 01. "*Barbering*" means the practices listed  
23 in this subsection performed with or without compensation.

24 "*Barbering*" includes but is not limited to the following  
25 practices performed upon the upper part of the human body of  
26 any person for cosmetic purposes and not for the treatment of  
27 disease or physical or mental ailments:

28 a. Shaving or trimming the beard or cutting the hair.

29 b. Giving facial and scalp massages or treatments with oils,  
30 creams, lotions, or other preparations either by hand, or by  
31 electrical or mechanical appliances.

32 c. Singeing, shampooing, hair body processing, curling,  
33 blow waving, hair relaxing, bleaching or coloring the hair, or  
34 applying hair tonics.

35 d. Applying cosmetic preparations, antiseptics, powders,

1 oils, clays, waxes, or lotions to the scalp, face, or neck.

2 e. Styling, cutting, or shampooing hairpieces or wigs when  
3 done in conjunction with haircutting or hairstyling.

4 f. Shaving or trimming a beard with a straight edge razor.

5 NEW SUBSECTION. 14A. "*Hairstyling*" means curling, waving,  
6 press and curl hair straightening, shampooing, cutting,  
7 singeing, bleaching, coloring, or similar works, upon the hair  
8 on the head of any person, or upon a wig or hairpiece when done  
9 in conjunction with haircutting or styling by any means.

10 Sec. 11. Section 157.1, subsection 1, Code 2020, is amended  
11 to read as follows:

12 1. "*Board*" means the board of barbering and cosmetology arts  
13 and sciences.

14 Sec. 12. Section 157.1, subsection 4, Code 2020, is amended  
15 to read as follows:

16 4. "*Cosmetologist*" means a person who performs the practice  
17 of cosmetology, ~~or otherwise by the person's occupation claims~~  
18 ~~to have knowledge or skill particular to the practice of~~  
19 ~~cosmetology.~~ Cosmetologists shall not represent themselves to  
20 the public as being primarily in the practice of haircutting  
21 unless that function is, in fact, their primary specialty.

22 Sec. 13. Section 157.1, subsection 5, paragraph a, Code  
23 2020, is amended to read as follows:

24 ~~a. Arranging, braiding, dressing, curling, waving, press~~  
25 ~~and curl hair straightening, shampooing, cutting, singeing,~~  
26 ~~bleaching, coloring, or similar works, upon the hair of any~~  
27 ~~person, or upon a wig or hairpiece when done in conjunction~~  
28 ~~with haircutting or hairstyling by any means~~ Hairstyling.

29 Sec. 14. Section 157.1, subsection 5, paragraph b, Code  
30 2020, is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in  
31 lieu thereof the following:

32 b. Esthetics.

33 Sec. 15. Section 157.1, subsection 5, paragraphs c and d,  
34 Code 2020, are amended by striking the paragraphs.

35 Sec. 16. Section 157.1, subsection 5, paragraph e, Code

1 2020, is amended by striking the paragraph and inserting in  
2 lieu thereof the following:

3 e. Nail technology.

4 Sec. 17. Section 157.1, subsection 5, Code 2020, is amended  
5 by adding the following new paragraphs:

6 NEW PARAGRAPH. f. Shaving or trimming the beard with a  
7 straight edge razor or cutting the hair.

8 NEW PARAGRAPH. g. Barbering-hairstyling.

9 Sec. 18. Section 157.1, subsection 6, paragraph e, Code  
10 2020, is amended by striking the paragraph.

11 Sec. 19. Section 157.1, subsection 18, Code 2020, is amended  
12 to read as follows:

13 18. "*Manicuring*" means the practice of cleansing, shaping,  
14 or polishing the fingernails and massaging the hands and lower  
15 arms of a person. ~~"Manicuring" does not include the application  
16 of sculptured nails or nail extensions to the fingernails or  
17 toenails of a person, and does not include the practice of  
18 pedicuring.~~

19 Sec. 20. Section 157.1, subsection 19, Code 2020, is amended  
20 by striking the subsection.

21 Sec. 21. Section 157.2, subsection 1, paragraphs b and h,  
22 Code 2020, are amended by striking the paragraphs.

23 Sec. 22. Section 157.2, subsection 1, Code 2020, is amended  
24 by adding the following new paragraph:

25 NEW PARAGRAPH. j. Persons committed to the custody of the  
26 director of the department of corrections who cut the hair  
27 or trim or shave the beard of any other person committed to  
28 the custody of the director of the department of corrections  
29 without receiving direct compensation from the person receiving  
30 the service.

31 Sec. 23. Section 157.2, subsection 2, Code 2020, is amended  
32 to read as follows:

33 2. Cosmetologists shall not represent themselves to the  
34 public as electrologists, estheticians, or nail technologists  
35 unless the cosmetologist has completed the ~~additional~~ course of

1 study for the respective practice as prescribed by the board  
2 pursuant to [section 157.10](#).

3 Sec. 24. Section 157.2, subsection 3, Code 2020, is amended  
4 by striking the subsection.

5 Sec. 25. Section 157.3, subsection 2, Code 2020, is amended  
6 to read as follows:

7 2. Notwithstanding [subsection 1](#) and [sections 147.44,](#)  
8 [147.48,](#) and [147.49,](#) a person who completes the application  
9 form prescribed by the board and who submits satisfactory  
10 proof of having been licensed in a practice of the cosmetology  
11 arts and sciences in another state for at least twelve months  
12 in the twenty-four month period preceding the submission of  
13 the application shall be ~~allowed to take the examination for~~  
14 granted a license to practice the appropriate practice of  
15 the cosmetology arts and sciences. ~~However, the examination~~  
16 ~~requirement shall be waived for those persons who submit~~  
17 ~~evidence of licensure in another state which has a reciprocal~~  
18 ~~agreement with the state of Iowa under [sections 147.44,](#) [147.48,](#)~~  
19 ~~and [147.49.](#)~~

20 Sec. 26. Section 157.3, Code 2020, is amended by adding the  
21 following new subsections:

22 NEW SUBSECTION. 3. The board shall adopt rules for the  
23 licensure of persons who perform the practice of barbering  
24 and hairstyling. A barber-hairstylist licensed pursuant to  
25 this subsection shall not practice any cosmetology art or  
26 science other than barbering or hairstyling. Nothing in  
27 this subsection shall restrict the practice of barbering or  
28 hairstyling by a cosmetologist.

29 NEW SUBSECTION. 4. Notwithstanding subsection 1, a person  
30 who completes the application form prescribed by the board  
31 and who completes a barbering apprenticeship training program  
32 registered by the office of apprenticeship of the United States  
33 department of labor while committed to the custody of the  
34 director of the Iowa department of corrections shall be allowed  
35 to take the barber-hairstylist license examination to practice

1 barbering and hairstyling.

2 Sec. 27. Section 157.7, subsection 1, Code 2020, is amended  
3 to read as follows:

4 1. The department of inspections and appeals shall  
5 employ personnel pursuant to **chapter 8A, subchapter IV**, to  
6 perform duties related to inspection functions under this  
7 chapter. ~~The department of inspections and appeals shall, when~~  
8 ~~possible, integrate inspection efforts under **this chapter** with~~  
9 ~~inspections conducted under **chapter 158**.~~

10 Sec. 28. Section 157.8, subsection 2, paragraph c, Code  
11 2020, is amended by striking the paragraph.

12 Sec. 29. Section 157.8, subsection 3, paragraph c, Code  
13 2020, is amended to read as follows:

14 c. A person employed as an instructor in the cosmetology  
15 arts and sciences by a licensed school shall be licensed in  
16 the practice and shall possess a separate instructor's license  
17 which shall be renewed biennially. An instructor shall file  
18 an application with the department on forms prescribed by the  
19 board. Requirements for licensure as an instructor shall be  
20 determined by the board by rule. The board shall not require  
21 an applicant for licensure as an instructor to obtain any  
22 additional training hours beyond the hours required for a  
23 license to practice cosmetology arts and sciences in order to  
24 receive an instructor's license.

25 Sec. 30. Section 157.8, Code 2020, is amended by adding the  
26 following new subsection:

27 NEW SUBSECTION. 4. A school of barbering or cosmetology  
28 arts and sciences on the effective date of this Act may seek  
29 and obtain a license to provide instruction in any or all of  
30 the cosmetology arts and sciences.

31 Sec. 31. Section 157.9, Code 2020, is amended to read as  
32 follows:

33 **157.9 License suspension and revocation.**

34 Any license issued by the department under the provisions  
35 of **this chapter** may be suspended, revoked, or renewal denied

1 by the board for violation of any provision of this chapter  
2 ~~or chapter 158~~ or rules promulgated by the board under the  
3 provisions of chapter 17A.

4 Sec. 32. Section 157.10, subsections 1 and 3, Code 2020, are  
5 amended to read as follows:

6 1. a. The course of study required for licensure for the  
7 practice of cosmetology shall be ~~two~~ one thousand one eight  
8 hundred clock hours, or seventy the equivalent number of  
9 semester credit hours or the equivalent thereof as determined  
10 pursuant to administrative rule and regulations promulgated  
11 by the United States department of education. The clock  
12 hours, and equivalent number of semester credit hours or the  
13 equivalent thereof as determined pursuant to administrative  
14 rule and regulations promulgated by the United States  
15 department of education, of a course of study required for  
16 licensure for the practices of electrology, esthetics, nail  
17 technology, ~~manicuring~~ razoring and shaving, and ~~pedicuring~~  
18 eyelash technology shall be established by the board. The  
19 board shall adopt rules to define the course and content of  
20 study for each practice of cosmetology arts and sciences.

21 b. The course of study required for licensure which is  
22 limited to the practice of esthetics shall be six hundred  
23 hours.

24 c. The course of study required for licensure which is  
25 limited to the practice of nail technology shall be three  
26 hundred twenty-five hours.

27 3. A barber ~~licensed under chapter 158~~, barber-hairstylist,  
28 or a student in a barber school who applies for licensure in  
29 a practice of cosmetology arts and sciences or who enrolls in  
30 a school of cosmetology arts and sciences shall be granted,  
31 at the discretion of the school, ~~at least half credit and~~  
32 ~~up to~~ full credit for each course successfully completed for  
33 licensure as a barber or barber-hairstylist which meets the  
34 requirements for licensure in a practice of cosmetology arts  
35 and sciences.

1     Sec. 33. NEW SECTION. 157.10A **Course of study — barbering**  
2 **and hairstyling.**

3     The course of study required for a license to practice  
4 barbering and hairstyling shall be one thousand five hundred  
5 hours, or the equivalent number of semester credit hours or the  
6 equivalent thereof as determined pursuant to administrative  
7 rules and regulations of the United States department of  
8 education, which shall include training on the use of a  
9 straight edge razor. Nothing in this section shall restrict  
10 the practice of barbering or hairstyling by a cosmetologist.

11     Sec. 34. Section 157.12, Code 2020, is amended to read as  
12 follows:

13     **157.12 Supervisors.**

14     A person who directly supervises the work of practitioners  
15 of cosmetology arts and sciences shall be licensed in the  
16 practice supervised ~~or a barber licensed under [section 158.3](#).~~

17     Sec. 35. Section 157.13, subsection 1, unnumbered paragraph  
18 1, Code 2020, is amended to read as follows:

19     It is unlawful for a person to employ an individual to  
20 practice cosmetology arts and sciences unless that individual  
21 is licensed or has obtained a temporary permit under this  
22 chapter. It is unlawful for a licensee to practice with or  
23 without compensation in any place other than a licensed salon,  
24 or a licensed school of barbering or cosmetology arts and  
25 ~~sciences, or a licensed barbershop as defined in [section 158.1](#).~~  
26 The following exceptions to [this subsection](#) shall apply:

27     Sec. 36. Section 261.9, subsection 3, paragraph b, Code  
28 2020, is amended to read as follows:

29     **b.** ~~Is a barber school licensed under [section 158.7](#) or~~  
30 a school of barbering or cosmetology arts and sciences  
31 licensed under [chapter 157](#) and is accredited by a national  
32 accrediting agency recognized by the United States department  
33 of education. For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017,  
34 an eligible institution under this paragraph shall provide a  
35 matching aggregate amount of institutional financial aid equal

1 to at least seventy-five percent of the amount received by  
2 the institution's students for Iowa tuition grant assistance  
3 under [section 261.16A](#). For the fiscal year beginning July  
4 1, 2018, the institution shall provide a matching aggregate  
5 amount of institutional financial aid equal to at least  
6 eighty-five percent of the amount received in that fiscal year.  
7 Commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, and  
8 each succeeding fiscal year, the matching aggregate amount of  
9 institutional financial aid shall be at least equal to the  
10 match provided by eligible institutions under paragraph "a".

11 Sec. 37. Section 261B.11, subsection 1, paragraph i, Code  
12 2020, is amended to read as follows:

13 *i.* Postsecondary educational institutions licensed by  
14 the state of Iowa under ~~[section 157.8](#) or [158.7](#)~~ chapter 157  
15 to operate as schools of cosmetology arts and sciences or as  
16 barber schools in the state.

17 Sec. 38. Section 272C.1, subsection 6, paragraph g, Code  
18 2020, is amended to read as follows:

19 *g.* The board of barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences,  
20 created pursuant to [chapter 147](#).

21 Sec. 39. Section 272C.1, subsection 6, paragraph i, Code  
22 2020, is amended by striking the paragraph.

23 Sec. 40. Section 714.18, subsection 2, unnumbered paragraph  
24 1, Code 2020, is amended to read as follows:

25 A school licensed under the provisions of [section 157.8](#) or  
26 ~~[158.7](#)~~ shall file with the college student aid commission the  
27 following:

28 Sec. 41. Section 714.25, subsection 2, unnumbered paragraph  
29 1, Code 2020, is amended to read as follows:

30 A proprietary school shall, prior to the time a student  
31 is obligated for payment of any moneys, inform the student,  
32 the college student aid commission, and in the case of a  
33 school licensed under [section 157.8](#), the board of barbering  
34 and cosmetology arts and sciences or ~~in the case of a school~~  
35 ~~licensed under [section 158.7](#), the board of barbering, of all~~

1 of the following:

2 Sec. 42. REPEAL. Chapter 158, Code 2020, is repealed.

3 Sec. 43. EMERGENCY RULES. The board of cosmetology arts  
4 and sciences, board of barbering, and board of barbering and  
5 cosmetology arts and sciences may adopt emergency rules under  
6 section 17A.4, subsection 3, and section 17A.5, subsection 2,  
7 paragraph "b", to implement the provisions of this Act and  
8 the rules shall be effective immediately upon filing unless  
9 a later date is specified in the rules. Any rules adopted  
10 in accordance with this section shall also be published as a  
11 notice of intended action as provided in section 17A.4.

12 Sec. 44. TRANSITION PROVISIONS.

13 1. a. The merger of the boards of barbering and cosmetology  
14 arts and sciences in this Act shall not affect the appointment  
15 or any term of office of a member of either board prior to the  
16 effective date of this Act. A member of the board of barbering  
17 or the board of cosmetology arts and sciences shall continue to  
18 serve until the member's term expires or the member ceases to  
19 hold office, whichever first occurs.

20 b. The initial membership of the board of barbering and  
21 cosmetology arts and sciences shall consist of all members  
22 of the boards of barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences  
23 serving on the effective date of this Act.

24 2. A rule adopted by the board of cosmetology arts and  
25 sciences or board of barbering that is in force and effect  
26 immediately prior to the effective date of this Act shall  
27 continue in full force and effect until the earlier of the  
28 following:

29 a. The rule is amended, rescinded, or supplemented by the  
30 affirmative action of the board of barbering and cosmetology  
31 arts and sciences.

32 b. The rule expires by its own terms.

33 3. Any license or permit issued by the board of cosmetology  
34 arts and sciences or board of barbering in effect on the  
35 effective date of this Act shall continue in full force and

1 effect until expiration or renewal. A location licensed as a  
2 barber school as of the effective date of this Act shall be  
3 considered to be a licensed school of cosmetology arts and  
4 sciences and shall be issued a license to operate as a school  
5 of cosmetology arts and sciences upon the expiration of the  
6 location's license to operate as a barber school. A location  
7 licensed to operate as a barbershop as of the effective date of  
8 this Act shall be considered to be a licensed salon and shall  
9 be issued a salon license upon the expiration of the location's  
10 barbershop license.

11 4. Any funds in any account or fund of the board of  
12 cosmetology arts and sciences or board of barbering shall  
13 be transferred to the control of the board of barbering and  
14 cosmetology arts and sciences.

15 5. Any cause of action, statute of limitation, or  
16 administrative action relating to or initiated by the board of  
17 cosmetology arts and sciences or board of barbering shall not  
18 be affected as a result of this Act and shall apply to the board  
19 of barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences.

20 6. All client and organizational files in the possession  
21 of the board of cosmetology arts and sciences or board of  
22 barbering shall become the property of the board of barbering  
23 and cosmetology arts and sciences.

24 7. Any personnel in the state merit system of employment who  
25 are mandatorily transferred due to the effect of this Act shall  
26 be transferred without any loss in salary, benefits, or accrued  
27 years of service.

28 8. A person licensed as a barber as of the effective date  
29 of this Act shall be considered to be a person licensed to  
30 practice barbering and hairstyling. Such a license shall  
31 permit such a person to continue to practice barbering as  
32 provided in chapter 158, Code 2020.

33 9. A person currently enrolled in a barbering school in a  
34 course of study requiring at least two thousand one hundred  
35 hours of instruction must complete the course of study by

1 January 1, 2022. Each school of cosmetology arts and sciences  
2 shall offer a course of study in barbering and hairstyling by  
3 January 1, 2021.

4 EXPLANATION

5 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with  
6 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

7 This bill relates to the practices of barbering and  
8 cosmetology. The bill merges the boards of cosmetology  
9 arts and sciences and barbering into the board of barbering  
10 and cosmetology arts and sciences, repeals Code chapter  
11 158 governing barbering, and makes conforming changes. The  
12 bill gives the board of barbering and cosmetology arts and  
13 sciences all of the powers and responsibilities of the prior  
14 boards. The bill provides that the current members of the  
15 boards of barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences shall  
16 become members of the merged board until those members' terms  
17 otherwise expire or the members are otherwise replaced. The  
18 bill also provides that the current rules of both boards shall  
19 remain in effect until the board of barbering and cosmetology  
20 arts and sciences amends, rescinds, or supplements the rules,  
21 or the rules expire by their own terms. The bill grants the  
22 board of barbering, the board of cosmetology arts and sciences,  
23 and the board of barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences  
24 emergency rulemaking authority to implement the provisions of  
25 the bill. The bill also provides other transition provisions,  
26 including but not limited to the transitioning of current  
27 licenses held under Code chapter 158 to new licenses under Code  
28 chapter 157 upon the expiration of the current licenses.

29 The bill changes the definition of "cosmetology" by  
30 removing arranging, braiding, and dressing of hair from  
31 the definition. The bill adds esthetics, hairstyling, nail  
32 technology, barbering, and shaving or trimming facial hair  
33 with a straight razor to the practices encompassed within the  
34 definition of "cosmetology" and removes from the definition of  
35 "cosmetology" treatments performed upon the hair or wig of a

1 person, the removal of superfluous hair, the application of  
2 makeup or eyelashes, the tinting or lightening of facial or  
3 body hair, and certain nail treatments. The bill strikes from  
4 the definition of "cosmetologist" language relating to persons  
5 who claim by the persons' occupation to have knowledge or skill  
6 particular to the practice of cosmetology.

7 The bill changes the definition of "manicuring" by removing  
8 the exclusion of the application of sculpted nails or nail  
9 extensions and pedicuring from the definition. The bill  
10 also removes manicuring and pedicuring from the definition  
11 of "cosmetology arts and sciences". The bill also adds a  
12 definition for "hairstyling."

13 The bill excludes from the definition of the practice of  
14 cosmetology arts and sciences a person committed to the custody  
15 of the director of the department of corrections who cuts  
16 the hair or shaves the beard of another such person without  
17 receiving direct compensation from the person receiving the  
18 service.

19 The bill removes a prohibition on licensed cosmetologists  
20 practicing the removal of skin using a razor-edged instrument.

21 The bill requires the board to allow a person who has  
22 completed an approved barbering apprenticeship training  
23 program while in the custody of the director of the department  
24 of corrections to take the exam to practice barbering and  
25 hairstyling.

26 The bill also sets the training requirements for a license to  
27 practice esthetics to 600 hours and the training requirements  
28 for a license to practice manicuring to 325 hours.

29 The bill prohibits the board from requiring an applicant for  
30 licensure as an instructor of cosmetology arts and sciences to  
31 obtain any additional training hours beyond those required to  
32 receive a license to practice cosmetology arts and sciences to  
33 receive the license.

34 The bill allows an existing school of barbering or  
35 cosmetology arts and sciences to seek and obtain a license to

1 instruct any or all of the cosmetology arts and sciences.

2 The bill sets the course of study for a license to practice  
3 cosmetology to 1,800 clock hours, or the equivalent, removes  
4 manicuring and pedicuring from the required curriculum, and  
5 adds razoring, shaving, and eyelash technology to the required  
6 curriculum.

7 The bill removes the requirement that a school award at least  
8 half credit for each course successfully completed to a barber  
9 or a person enrolled in a barbering school who applies for a  
10 license to practice cosmetology but leaves to the discretion of  
11 the school whether full credit should be granted.

12 The bill requires the board of barbering and cosmetology  
13 arts and sciences to grant an Iowa license to practice a  
14 cosmetology art or science to a person who presents evidence of  
15 having had an equivalent license in another state for at least  
16 12 of the last 24 months.

17 The bill also directs the board of barbering and cosmetology  
18 arts and sciences to adopt rules for the licensure of persons  
19 who practice barbering and hairstyling. Under current law,  
20 cosmetologists and barbers may both provide services that  
21 include hairstyling. The bill preserves the ability of  
22 cosmetologists to provide such services and instructs the board  
23 to create a new license permitting barbering and hairstyling  
24 licensees to provide only barbering and hairstyling services.

25 The bill also provides for the development of a process  
26 for the licensure of persons who provide both hairstyling and  
27 barbering services but who do not practice any of the other  
28 cosmetology arts and sciences.