

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1153

Introduced by Assembly Member Eggman
(Coauthor: Senator Wyland)

February 22, 2013

An act to amend Sections 7324 and 7364 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to barbering and cosmetology.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1153, as introduced, Eggman. Esthetician: advanced skin care course.

Existing law requires an applicant for an esthetician license to meet certain educational requirements and authorizes the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology to approve schools that are licensed by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education, or a public school in this state, and that provide a course of instruction approved by the board. A skin care course established by a school consists of not less than 600 hours of practical training and technical instruction in accordance with a curriculum established by board regulation.

This bill would allow a school to establish an advanced skin care course of not less than 600 hours of practical training and technical instruction in accordance with a curriculum established by board regulation. The advanced skin care course would not be a requirement of obtaining an esthetician license.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 7324 of the Business and Professions
2 Code is amended to read:

3 7324. The board shall admit to examination for a license as an
4 esthetician to practice skin care, any person who has made
5 application to the board in proper form, paid the fee required by
6 this chapter, and is qualified as follows:

7 (a) Is not less than 17 years of age.

8 (b) Has completed the 10th grade in the public schools of this
9 state or its equivalent.

10 (c) Is not subject to denial pursuant to Section 480.

11 (d) Has done any of the following:

12 (1) Completed a course in skin care, *as described in subdivision*
13 *(a) of Section 7364*, from a school approved by the board.

14 (2) Practiced skin care, as defined in this chapter, outside of this
15 state for a period of time equivalent to the study and training of a
16 qualified person who has completed a course in skin care from a
17 school the curriculum of which complied with requirements
18 adopted by the board. Each three months of practice shall be
19 deemed the equivalent of 100 hours of training for qualification
20 under paragraph (1).

21 (3) Completed the apprenticeship program in skin care specified
22 in Article 4 (commencing with Section 7332).

23 SEC. 2. Section 7364 of the Business and Professions Code is
24 amended to read:

25 7364. (a) A skin care course established by a school shall
26 consist of not less than 600 hours of practical training and technical
27 instruction in accordance with a curriculum established by board
28 regulation.

29 (b) *An advanced skin care course established by a school shall*
30 *consist of not less than 600 additional hours of practical training*
31 *and technical instruction in accordance with a curriculum*
32 *established by board regulation. The advanced skin care course*
33 *is not a requirement of obtaining an esthetician license.*

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