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1 AN ACT Relating to eliminating the expiration of the state
2 cosmetology, barbering, esthetics, and manicuring advisory board; and
3 amending RCW 18.16.050.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 18.16.050 and 1997 c 179 s 1 are each amended to read
6 as follows:

7 (1) There is created a state cosmetology, barbering, esthetics, and
8 manicuring advisory board consisting of seven members appointed by the
9 director. These seven members of the board shall include a
10 representative of a private cosmetology school and a representative of
11 a public vocational technical school involved in cosmetology training,
12 with the balance made up of currently practicing licensees who have
13 been engaged in the practice of manicuring, esthetics, barbering, or
14 cosmetology for at least three years. One member of the board shall be
15 a consumer who is unaffiliated with the cosmetology, barbering,
16 esthetics, or manicuring industry. (~~On June 30, 1995, the director~~
17 ~~shall appoint seven new members to the board. These new~~) Members
18 shall serve a term of three years. (~~The director shall appoint two~~
19 ~~new members including: (a) One representative with employee~~

1 ~~supervisory experience from a chain salon having ten or more salons;~~
2 ~~and (b) one representative from the industry at large who has~~
3 ~~substantial salon and school experience. The board shall cease to~~
4 ~~exist on June 30, 1998. Any members serving on the advisory board as~~
5 ~~of July 1, 1995, or who are appointed after July 27, 1997, are eligible~~
6 ~~to be reappointed, should the advisory board be extended beyond June~~
7 ~~30, 1998.)~~) Any board member may be removed for just cause. The
8 director may appoint a new member to fill any vacancy on the board for
9 the remainder of the unexpired term.

10 (2) The board appointed on June 30, 1995, together with the
11 director or the director's designee, shall conduct a thorough review of
12 educational requirements, licensing requirements, and enforcement and
13 health standards for persons engaged in cosmetology, barbering,
14 esthetics, or manicuring and shall prepare a report to be delivered to
15 the governor, the director, and the chairpersons of the governmental
16 operations committees of the house of representatives and the senate.
17 The report must summarize their findings and make recommendations,
18 including, if appropriate, recommendations for legislation reforming
19 and restructuring the regulation of cosmetology, barbering, esthetics,
20 and manicuring.

21 (3) Board members shall be entitled to compensation pursuant to RCW
22 43.03.240 for each day spent conducting official business and to
23 reimbursement for travel expenses as provided by RCW 43.03.050 and
24 43.03.060.

25 (4) The board may seek the advice and input of officials from the
26 following state agencies: (a) The work force training and education
27 coordinating board; (b) the department of employment security; (c) the
28 department of labor and industries; (d) the department of health; (e)
29 the department of licensing; and (f) the department of revenue.

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