2022 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 670

BY REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER

COSMETOLOGY: Provides relative to examination and licensing fees

1	AN ACT
2	To amend and reenact R.S. 37:585(C), 586(A)(4) and (6), and 599, relative to the Louisiana
3	Cosmetology Act; to provide for examinations for special permits; to provide for
4	fees for licenses, permits, and certificates for certain applicants; and to provide for
5	related matters.
6	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
7	Section 1. R.S. 37:585(C), 586(A)(4) and (6), and 599 are hereby amended and
8	reenacted to read as follows:
9	§585. Examination team
10	* * *
11	C. Each examination team member shall receive compensation in the form
12	of a per diem in the amount set forth in R.S. 37:599 and may shall be reimbursed for
13	necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of his duties, as approved by the board,
14	and paid in accordance with state travel regulations.
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16	§586. Examination of applicants
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CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words <u>underscored</u> are additions.

1	(4) Examinations for special permits shall be given at least twice per year
2	scheduled following receipt of an application for a special permit from an individual
3	who is required to pass an examination for issuance of the permit.
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5	(6) An applicant shall be responsible for all costs associated with taking an
6	examination at an off-site testing center administered by a testing service.
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8	§599. Fees
9	A. The following <u>nonrefundable</u> fees shall be assessed by the board:
10	(1) For each examination given by the examination team to an applicant:
11	1. (a) Theory examination \$25.00
12	(b) Practical examination \$25.00
13	(c) Re-take of any examination \$25.00
14	(2)(a) For each initial certificate of registration and each annual renewal of
15	such certificate: For each application for an initial license, permit, or certificate of
16	registration and each annual renewal of such license, permit, or certificate of
17	registration for a cosmetologist, esthetician, manicurist, or instructor and each
18	renewal thereof: \$35.00
19	(a) Cosmetologist - General
20	(i) Resident \$25.00
21	(ii) Nonresident \$50.00
22	(b) Esthetician
23	(i) Resident \$25.00
24	(ii) Nonresident \$50.00
25	(c) Manicurist
26	(i) Resident \$25.00
27	(ii) Nonresident \$50.00
28	(d) Teacher
29	(i) Resident \$25.00

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(ii) Nonresident	\$50.00
(c) Manager	\$25.00
(f)(b) Beauty For each beauty shop or salon, home care permit, and mobile	
salon <u>\$40.00</u>	
(i) Resident	\$30.00
(ii) Nonresident	\$65.00
(iii) Home care	\$30.00
(iv)(3) Initial inspection fee for salon, mobile salon, or booth rental	

9	required for licensure, change of ownership, or change of location	\$25.00
10	<u>\$40.00</u>	

(g) Booth rental permit	\$25.00
(h) Special permit	\$25.00

13	(i) Temporary permit \$25.00
14	(3) If a registrant wishes to restore an expired certificate listed in Paragraph
15	(2) of this Subsection within three years from the date of expiration, he shall be
16	assessed a fee equal to twice the applicable fee for each year the certificate was
17	expired, not to exceed three hundred dollars.

18	(4) Student registration including one "in-	-state" transfer
19	(a) Resident	\$10.00 upon entering the course
20	(b) Nonresident	\$10.00 upon entering the course
21	(5) Initial certificate of registration for a s	school
22	(a) Resident	\$315.00
23	(b) Nonresident	\$615.00
24	(6) Renewal of certificate of registration	for a school <u>for a resident</u>
25	(a) Resident	\$165.00
26	(b) Nonresident	\$465.00
27	(c)(7) Failure to timely renew	\$150.00

29 registration, license, or permit listed in Paragraph (5) of this Subsection this Section

(7)(8) If a registrant wishes to To restore an expired certificate of

1	within three years from the date of expiration, he the fee shall be assessed a fee
2	equal to twice the renewal fee for each year the certificate of registration, license, or
3	permit was expired in addition to the fee for failure to timely renew.
4	(8)(9) Other school fees:
5	1. (a) Initial inspection \$100.00
6	(b) Final Inspection \$300.00
7	(c) Change of ownership notice \$50.00
8	(d) Change of address notice \$100.00
9	(9)(10) Miscellaneous fees:
10	1. (a) Official certification of records \$15.00
11	(b) Duplicate license \$25.00
12	(c) Copy of booth rental contract form \$5.00
13	B. The board shall pay a per diem of one hundred dollars to each board
14	member and each examination team member.

DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides relative to examination and licensing fees.

<u>Present law</u> provides that each examination team member shall receive compensation in the form of a per diem in the amount set forth in <u>present law</u> and may be reimbursed for necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of his duties, as approved by the board, and paid in accordance with the state travel regulations.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that each examination team member shall receive compensation and shall be reimbursed for expenses incurred in the discharge of his duties, as approved by the board, and paid in accordance with the state travel regulations.

<u>Present law</u> provides that examinations for special permits shall be given at least twice per year.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes <u>present law</u> and instead provides that examinations for special permits shall be scheduled following receipt of an application for a special permit from an individual who is required to pass an examination for issuance of the permit.

<u>Present law</u> provides that an applicant shall be responsible for all costs associated with taking an examination at an off-site testing center.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes <u>present law</u> and instead provides that an applicant shall be responsible for all costs associated with taking an examination administered by a testing service.

<u>Present law</u> provides a list a fees for certificate and licensing for cosmetologist, esthetician, manicurists, teachers, managers, and beauty shop or salon owners that shall be assessed by the La. State Board of Cosmetology.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes <u>present law</u> and provides that for each application for an initial license, permit, or certificate of registration and each annual renewal of such license, permit, or certificate of registration for a cosmetologist, esthetician, manicurist, or instructor, and each renewal is \$35.

<u>Proposed law</u> further provides that the fees will be non-refundable.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the fee for beauty shop or salon and mobile salon for residents is \$30. <u>Present law</u> further provides that the fee for non-residents is \$65.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes the separate licensing fees for residents and non-residents provided in <u>present law</u> and instead provides that each beauty shop or salon, home care permit, and mobile salon shall pay a licensing fee of \$40.

Present law provides for the initial inspection fee for salons, mobile salons, or both rentals.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes the separate permit fees for booth, special, and temporary permits found in <u>present law</u> and instead provides that the initial inspection fee for salon, mobile salon, or booth rental required for licensure, change of ownership, or change of location shall be \$40.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the school registration including one "in-state" transfer for residents and non-residents is \$10 upon entering the course.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes the separate requirements for residents and non-residents found in <u>present law</u> and instead provides that the student registration including one "in-state" transfer is \$10 upon entering the course.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the school registration fee for residents is \$315 and for non-residents is \$615.

<u>Proposed law</u> deletes the separate requirements for residents and non-residents and instead provides that the fee is \$315.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the fee for renewal of certificate of registration for a school for residents is \$165 and non-residents is \$465. <u>Present law</u> further provides that the fee for failure to timely renew is \$150.

Proposed law deletes the fee for non-residents.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the board shall pay a per diem of \$100 to each board member and each examination team member.

<u>Proposed law</u> provides that the board shall pay a \$100 per diem to each examination team member.

(Amends R.S. 37:585(C), 586(A)(4) and (6), and 599)

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