

By: Representative Young

To: Judiciary A

HOUSE BILL NO. 550

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 73-7-21, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO  
 2 INCREASE THE NUMBER OF HOURS OF PRACTICE AND RELATED THEORY  
 3 REQUIRED TO BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A NAIL TECHNICIAN LICENSE; TO  
 4 CHANGE THE NAME OF A MANICURIST LICENSE TO NAIL TECHNICIAN  
 5 LICENSE; TO AMEND SECTION 73-7-19, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO  
 6 DELETE THE AUTHORITY TO PAY FOR LICENSE RENEWALS UNDER THE  
 7 COSMETOLOGY LICENSURE LAW WITH CASH AND ADD THE AUTHORITY TO PAY  
 8 FOR LICENSE RENEWALS BY CREDIT CARD OR DEBIT CARD; TO PROVIDE THAT  
 9 FOR THE RENEWAL OF PRACTITIONER LICENSES, THE LICENSEE MUST  
 10 COMPLETE A ONE HOUR CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSE ON SANITATION  
 11 OFFERED AND ADMINISTERED BY THE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY; TO AMEND  
 12 SECTIONS 73-7-2, 73-7-7, 73-7-12, 73-7-13, 73-7-14, 73-7-15,  
 13 73-7-23, 73-7-29 AND 73-7-35, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO CONFORM  
 14 TO THE PRECEDING PROVISIONS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

16 **SECTION 1.** Section 73-7-21, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
 17 amended as follows:

18 73-7-21. (1) The board shall admit to examination for  
 19 a \* \* \* nail technician license any person who has made  
 20 application to the board in proper form, has paid the required  
 21 fee, and who:

- 22 (a) Is at least seventeen (17) years of age;
- 23 (b) Can read, write and speak English;



24 (c) Has successfully completed no less than \* \* \* six  
25 hundred (600) hours of practice and related theory in manicuring  
26 and pedicuring over a period of no less than \* \* \* fifteen (15)  
27 weeks in an accredited school of cosmetology in this or any other  
28 state; and

29 (d) Has a high school education or its equivalent.

30 (2) Licensed \* \* \* nail technicians desiring to pursue  
31 additional hours to be eligible for a license as a cosmetologist  
32 may be credited with the \* \* \* qualifying hours acquired in  
33 studying and training to be a \* \* \* nail technician, which may be  
34 applied to the number of hours required for a cosmetology license  
35 examination.

36 (3) The board shall adopt regulations governing the use of  
37 electric nail files for the purpose of filing false or natural  
38 nails.

39 (4) Each application or filing made under this section shall  
40 include the social security number(s) of the applicant in  
41 accordance with Section 93-11-64.

42 **SECTION 2.** Section 73-7-19, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
43 amended as follows:

44 73-7-19. (1) Except as provided in Section 33-1-39, all  
45 licenses shall be renewed biennially under the fee schedule in  
46 Section 73-7-29. Applications for renewal of licenses for  
47 cosmetologists, estheticians, \* \* \* nail technicians and  
48 instructors must be accompanied by the required renewal fee. A



49 grace period of sixty (60) days will be given in which to renew  
50 the license; and upon the expiration of the grace period of sixty  
51 (60) days, any applicant for the renewal of a license will be  
52 required to pay the required renewal fee and a delinquent fee in  
53 addition to the renewal fee. The fees may be paid by either  
54 personal \* \* \* check, certified check, \* \* \* money order, credit  
55 card or debit card, under such safeguards, rules and regulations  
56 as the board may prescribe. Checks returned to the board because  
57 of insufficient funds shall result in nonrenewal of the license,  
58 which will require the penalty fee for insufficient fund checks  
59 plus all other amounts due for renewal of the license before the  
60 license may be renewed. After one (1) year has passed from the  
61 expiration date of the license, a delinquent fee must be paid for  
62 each year up to three (3) years, after which the required  
63 examination must be taken. All applications for examination  
64 required by this chapter shall expire ninety (90) days from the  
65 date thereof.

66 (2) For the renewal of a practitioner license, the licensee  
67 must complete a one (1) hour continuing education course on  
68 sanitation. The sanitation course will be offered and  
69 administered by the board either online or by course offering.  
70 The requirement of this subsection does not apply to senior  
71 licensees.



72 ( \* \* \*3) Each application or filing made under this section  
73 shall include the social security number(s) of the applicant in  
74 accordance with Section 93-11-64.

75 **SECTION 3.** Section 73-7-2, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
76 amended as follows:

77 73-7-2. As used in this chapter, the following terms shall  
78 have the meanings ascribed herein unless the context otherwise  
79 requires:

80 (a) "Board" means the State Board of Cosmetology.

81 (b) "Cosmetology" means any one (1) or a combination of  
82 the following practices if they are performed on a person's head,  
83 face, neck, shoulder, arms, hands, legs or feet for cosmetic  
84 purposes:

85 (i) Cutting, clipping or trimming hair and hair  
86 pieces.

87 (ii) Styling, arranging, dressing, curling,  
88 waving, permanent waving, straightening, cleansing, bleaching,  
89 tinting, coloring or similarly treating hair and hair pieces.

90 (iii) Cleansing, stimulating, manipulating,  
91 beautifying or applying oils, antiseptics, clays, lotions or other  
92 preparations, either by hand or by mechanical or electrical  
93 apparatus.

94 (iv) Arching eyebrows, to include tweezing,  
95 waxing, threading or any other methods of epilation, or tinting  
96 eyebrows and eyelashes.



97 (v) Removing superfluous hair by the use of  
98 depilation.

99 (vi) Manicuring and pedicuring.

100 (c) "Cosmetologist" means a person who for  
101 compensation, whether direct or indirect, engages in the practice  
102 of cosmetology.

103 (d) "Esthetics" means any one (1) or a combination of  
104 the following practices:

105 (i) Massaging the face or neck of a person.

106 (ii) Arching eyebrows to include trimming,  
107 tweezing, waxing, threading or any other method of epilation or  
108 tinting eyebrows and eyelashes.

109 (iii) Tinting eyelashes or eyebrows.

110 (iv) Waxing, stimulating, cleaning or beautifying  
111 the face, neck, arms or legs of a person by any method with the  
112 aid of the hands or any mechanical or electrical apparatus, or by  
113 the use of a cosmetic preparation.

114 The term "esthetics" shall not include the diagnosis,  
115 treatment or therapy of any dermatological condition.

116 (e) "Esthetician" means any person who, for  
117 compensation, either direct or indirect, engages in the practice  
118 of esthetics.

119 (f) "Instructor" means a person licensed to teach  
120 cosmetology, or manicuring and pedicuring, or esthetics, or all of



121 those, pursuant to this chapter, and shall include those persons  
122 engaged in the instruction of student instructors.

123 (g) "Manicuring and pedicuring" means any one (1) or a  
124 combination of the following practices:

125 (i) Cutting, trimming, polishing, coloring,  
126 tinting, cleansing or otherwise treating a person's nails.

127 (ii) Applying artificial nails.

128 (iii) Massaging or cleaning a person's hands,  
129 arms, legs or feet.

130 (h) " \* \* \* Nail technician" means a person who for  
131 compensation, either direct or indirect, engages in the practice  
132 of manicuring and pedicuring.

133 (i) "Master" means a person holding a  
134 cosmetology, \* \* \* nail technician or esthetics license who has  
135 completed the minimum course of continuing education prescribed by  
136 Section 73-7-14.

137 (j) "Salon" means an establishment operated for the  
138 purpose of engaging in the practice of cosmetology, or manicuring  
139 and pedicuring, or esthetics, or wigology, or all of those.

140 (k) "School" means an establishment, public or private,  
141 operated for the purpose of teaching cosmetology, or manicuring  
142 and pedicuring, or esthetics, or wigology, or all of those.

143 **SECTION 4.** Section 73-7-7, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
144 amended as follows:



145           73-7-7. (1) The board shall have authority to make  
146 reasonable rules and regulations for the administration of the  
147 provisions of this chapter. The board shall set up a curriculum  
148 for operation of schools of cosmetology and the other professions  
149 it is charged to regulate in this state. The board shall receive  
150 and consider for adoption recommendations for rules and  
151 regulations, school curriculum, and related matters from the  
152 Mississippi Cosmetology Council, whose membership shall consist  
153 of, in addition to the board members, five (5) elected delegates  
154 from the Mississippi Cosmetology Association, five (5) elected  
155 delegates from the Mississippi Cosmetology School Association,  
156 five (5) elected delegates from the Mississippi Independent  
157 Beauticians Association, and five (5) elected delegates from the  
158 School Owners and Teachers Association. The board may revoke the  
159 license of any cosmetologist, esthetician, \* \* \* nail technician,  
160 instructor, school of cosmetology, or salon, or may refuse to  
161 issue a license to any cosmetologist, esthetician, \* \* \* nail  
162 technician, instructor, school of cosmetology, or salon that fails  
163 or refuses to comply with the provisions of this chapter and the  
164 rules and regulations of the board in carrying out the provisions  
165 of this chapter.

166           (2) The board shall have authority to prescribe reasonable  
167 rules and regulations governing sanitation of schools of  
168 cosmetology and beauty salons for the guidance of persons licensed  
169 under this chapter in the operation of schools of cosmetology, or



170 a beauty salon, and in the practice of cosmetology, esthetics,  
171 manicuring and pedicuring, and wigology. However, any and all  
172 rules and regulations relating to sanitation shall, before  
173 adoption by the board, have the written approval of the State  
174 Board of Health. When the board has reason to believe that any of  
175 the provisions of this chapter or of the rules and regulations of  
176 the board have been violated, either upon receipt of a written  
177 complaint alleging such violations or upon the board's own  
178 initiative, the board, or any of its authorized agents, shall  
179 investigate same and shall have authority to enter upon the  
180 premises of a school of cosmetology or salon at any time during  
181 the regular business hours of that school or salon to conduct the  
182 investigation. Such investigation may include, but not be limited  
183 to, conducting oral interviews with the complaining party, school  
184 or salon owner(s) and/or students of the school, and reviewing  
185 records of the school or salon pertinent to the complaint and  
186 related to an area subject to the authority of the board. Such  
187 investigation shall not include written interviews or surveys of  
188 school employees or students, and the privacy of patrons shall be  
189 respected by any person making such investigation.

190 (3) On or before July 1, 2001, the board shall adopt  
191 regulations to ensure that all fingernail service products used by  
192 licensed cosmetologists, \* \* \* nail technicians and other  
193 licensees do not contain methyl methacrylate (MMA) as a monomer  
194 agent for cosmetic nail applications.





195 (4) If the board finds that a violation of the provisions of  
196 this chapter or the rules and regulations of the board has  
197 occurred, it may cause a hearing to be held as set forth in  
198 Section 73-7-27.

199 **SECTION 5.** Section 73-7-12, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
200 amended as follows:

201 73-7-12. (1) Effective January 1, 2020, the State Board of  
202 Cosmetology shall terminate its student testing contract with  
203 proper notice and shall conduct examinations for cosmetologists,  
204 estheticians, \* \* \* nail technicians and instructors at such times  
205 and locations as determined by the board. The members of the  
206 board shall not personally administer or monitor the examinations,  
207 but the board shall contract for administrators of the  
208 examinations. A member of the board shall not receive any per  
209 diem compensation for any day that the member is present at the  
210 site where the examinations are being administered.

211 (2) This section shall stand repealed on July 1, 2021.

212 **SECTION 6.** Section 73-7-13, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
213 amended as follows:

214 73-7-13. (1) The board shall admit to examination for a  
215 cosmetology license any person who has made application to the  
216 board in proper form, has paid the required fee, and who (a) is at  
217 least seventeen (17) years of age, (b) can read, write and speak  
218 English, (c) has successfully completed no less than fifteen  
219 hundred (1500) hours over a period of no less than nine (9) months



220 in a licensed school of cosmetology, and (d) has a high school  
221 education or its equivalent or has been successfully enrolled in a  
222 community college.

223 (a) The board may, in its discretion, issue to any  
224 student who has completed the prescribed hours in a licensed  
225 school and paid the required fee a temporary permit until such  
226 time as the next examination may be held, but such student shall  
227 be issued only one (1) temporary permit. Application for an  
228 examination and license shall be accompanied by two (2) passport  
229 photographs of the applicant. No temporary permit will be issued  
230 to an applicant from any other state to operate a beauty salon or  
231 school of cosmetology in this state unless in case of emergency.

232 (b) Applicants for the cosmetologist examination, after  
233 having satisfactorily passed the prescribed examination, shall be  
234 issued a cosmetology license which until June 30, 2001, shall be  
235 valid for one (1) year, and after July 1, 2001, shall be valid for  
236 two (2) years, and all those licenses shall be subject to renewal.

237 (c) Any barber who can read, write and speak English  
238 and has successfully completed no less than fifteen hundred (1500)  
239 hours in a licensed barber school, and who holds a current valid  
240 certificate of registration to practice barbering and who holds a  
241 current valid license, is eligible to take the cosmetology  
242 examination to secure a cosmetology license upon successfully  
243 completing five hundred (500) hours in a licensed school of  
244 cosmetology. All fees for application, examination, registration



245 and renewal thereof shall be the same as provided for  
246 cosmetologists.

247 (2) Each application or filing made under this section shall  
248 include the social security number(s) of the applicant in  
249 accordance with Section 93-11-64.

250 (3) Any licensed cosmetologist, esthetician \* \* \* or \* \* \*  
251 nail technician who is registered but not actively practicing in  
252 the State of Mississippi at the time of making application for  
253 renewal, may apply for registration on the "inactive" list. Such  
254 "inactive" list shall be maintained by the board and shall set out  
255 the names and post office addresses of all persons registered but  
256 not actively practicing in this state, arranged alphabetically by  
257 name and also by the municipalities and states of their last-known  
258 professional or residential address. Only the cosmetologists,  
259 estheticians and \* \* \* nail technicians registered on the  
260 appropriate list as actively practicing in the State of  
261 Mississippi shall be authorized to practice those professions.  
262 For the purpose of this section, any licensed cosmetologist,  
263 esthetician or \* \* \* nail technician who has actively practiced  
264 his or her profession for at least three (3) months of the  
265 immediately preceding license renewal period shall be considered  
266 inactive practice. No cosmetologist, esthetician, or \* \* \* nail  
267 technician shall be registered on the "inactive" list until the  
268 person has furnished a statement of intent to take such action to  
269 the board. Any licensed cosmetologist, esthetician, \* \* \* nail



270 technician or wigologist registered on the "inactive" list shall  
271 not be eligible for registration on the active list until either  
272 of the following conditions have been satisfied:

273 (a) Written application shall be submitted to the State  
274 Board of Cosmetology stating the reasons for such inactivity and  
275 setting forth such other information as the board may require on  
276 an individual basis and completion of the number of clock hours of  
277 continuing education as approved by the board; or

278 (b) Evidence to the satisfaction of the board shall be  
279 submitted that they have actively practiced their profession in  
280 good standing in another state and have not been guilty of conduct  
281 that would warrant suspension or revocation as provided by  
282 applicable law; and

283 (c) Payment of the fee for processing such inactive  
284 license shall be paid biennially in accordance to board rules.

285 **SECTION 7.** Section 73-7-14, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
286 amended as follows:

287 73-7-14. (1) Any person who holds a current, valid  
288 cosmetology, \* \* \* nail technician or esthetics license may be  
289 licensed as a master cosmetologist, \* \* \* nail technician or  
290 esthetician if he or she has been a licensed cosmetologist, \* \* \*  
291 nail technician or esthetician in this state for a period of not  
292 less than twelve (12) months, and has completed a minimum course  
293 of sixteen (16) hours' study in continuing education approved by  
294 the board within the licensing period preceding initial



295 application for the license, and has paid the original license  
296 fee. Master cosmetologist, \* \* \* nail technician or esthetician  
297 licenses shall be renewable upon completion of a minimum course of  
298 eight (8) hours' study in continuing education approved by the  
299 board within a licensing period and payment of the required  
300 renewal fee. This is an optional license and persons who do not  
301 wish to complete the continuing education requirement may obtain a  
302 cosmetology license when renewing their license.

303 (2) Each application or filing made under this section shall  
304 include the social security number(s) of the applicant in  
305 accordance with Section 93-11-64 \* \* \*.

306 **SECTION 8.** Section 73-7-15, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
307 amended as follows:

308 73-7-15. (1) The board shall admit to examination for a  
309 cosmetology instructor's license any person who has made  
310 application to the board in proper form, has paid the required  
311 fee, and who:

- 312 (a) Is not less than twenty-one (21) years of age;
- 313 (b) Can read, write and speak English;
- 314 (c) Is a graduate of a licensed cosmetology school;
- 315 (d) Has a high school education or its equivalent;
- 316 (e) Has successfully completed one thousand (1,000)  
317 hours of instructor training in a licensed school of cosmetology;
- 318 (f) Has successfully completed six (6) semester hours  
319 in college courses approved by the board;



320 (g) Holds a current, valid Mississippi cosmetology  
321 license; and

322 (h) Has at least one (1) year active practical  
323 experience as a cosmetologist or, as an alternative to such  
324 experience, has successfully completed one thousand (1,000) hours  
325 of instructor training in a licensed school of cosmetology.

326 (2) The board shall admit to examination for an esthetics  
327 instructor's license any person who has made application to the  
328 board in proper form, has paid the required fee, and who:

329 (a) Is not less than twenty-one (21) years of age;

330 (b) Can read, write and speak English;

331 (c) Has a high school education or its equivalent;

332 (d) Has successfully completed one thousand (1,000)  
333 hours of instructor training in a licensed school in which the  
334 practice of esthetics is taught;

335 (e) Has successfully completed six (6) semester hours  
336 in college courses approved by the board;

337 (f) Holds a current, valid Mississippi esthetician's  
338 license; and

339 (g) Has had one (1) year of active practical experience  
340 as an esthetician or, as an alternative to such experience, has  
341 successfully completed one thousand (1,000) hours of instructor  
342 training in a licensed school in which the practice of esthetics  
343 is taught.



344 (3) The board shall admit to examination for a \* \* \* nail  
345 technician instructor's license any person who has made  
346 application to the board in proper form, has paid the required  
347 fee, and who:

348 (a) Is not less than twenty-one (21) years of age;

349 (b) Can read, write and speak English;

350 (c) Has a high school education or its equivalent;

351 (d) Has successfully completed one thousand (1,000)  
352 hours of instructor training in a licensed school in which the  
353 practice of manicuring is taught;

354 (e) Has successfully completed six (6) semester hours  
355 in college courses approved by the board;

356 (f) Holds a current, valid Mississippi \* \* \* nail  
357 technician license; and

358 (g) Has had one (1) year of active practical experience  
359 as a \* \* \* nail technician or, as an alternative to such  
360 experience, has successfully completed one thousand (1,000) hours  
361 of instructor training in a licensed school in which the practice  
362 of manicuring is taught.

363 (4) Applicants shall satisfactorily pass the examination  
364 prescribed by the board for licensing instructors prior to the  
365 issuance of the licenses provided for in this section. However,  
366 the board may, in its discretion, issue a temporary instructor's  
367 permit until such time as the next examination may be held, but  
368 such applicant shall be issued only one (1) temporary permit. All



369 applications for an instructor's examination shall be accompanied  
370 by two (2) recent head photographs of the applicant.

371 (5) All instructors licensed pursuant to this section shall  
372 biennially obtain twenty-four (24) clock hours of continuing  
373 education in teacher training instruction in cosmetology or  
374 esthetics or manicuring, as the case may be, as approved by the  
375 board. Any instructor who fails to obtain the continuing  
376 education required by this subsection shall not be allowed to  
377 instruct nor enroll students under his or her license until such  
378 education requirement has been met. The board may issue an  
379 inactive instructor's license to such instructors, and an inactive  
380 license may be converted into an active license after proof  
381 satisfactory to the board of completion of at least twenty-four  
382 (24) clock hours of approved continuing education required for  
383 teacher training instruction.

384 (6) Each application or filing made under this section shall  
385 include the social security number(s) of the applicant in  
386 accordance with Section 93-11-64.

387 **SECTION 9.** Section 73-7-23, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
388 amended as follows:

389 73-7-23. (1) The board may, upon application, issue a  
390 license by reciprocity to any cosmetologist, esthetician or \* \* \*  
391 nail technician over the age of seventeen (17) years from any  
392 other state who has satisfactorily completed the required number  
393 of accredited hours in that state, provided the state board from





394 which the applicant comes issues to cosmetologists, estheticians  
395 or \* \* \* nail technicians, as the case may be, from the State of  
396 Mississippi a license under the same conditions. Applications  
397 must be accompanied by (a) proof satisfactory to the board that  
398 the required hours have been completed, and (b) the required  
399 reciprocity fee, which shall be paid to the board.

400 (2) An instructor from any other state may be qualified for  
401 a Mississippi instructor's license upon presenting a valid  
402 instructor's license and proof of a high school education or its  
403 equivalent, provided that the instructor (a) is not less than  
404 twenty-one (21) years of age, (b) has completed training  
405 equivalent to the State of Mississippi's training as provided in  
406 Section 73-7-15 or has three (3) years or more of experience as a  
407 licensed instructor prior to application, (c) can read, write and  
408 speak English, (d) has completed twelve (12) semester hours in  
409 college courses approved by the board, and (e) has completed a  
410 minimum of five (5) continuing education hours in Mississippi  
411 board laws, rules and regulations. Such application must be  
412 accompanied by two (2) recent passport photographs of the  
413 applicant. Applicants shall pay the required license fee.

414 (3) An applicant for a Mississippi instructor's license by  
415 reciprocity who has not completed the college courses requirement  
416 at the time of application may apply for a onetime temporary  
417 teaching permit, which shall be valid for six (6) months and shall  
418 be nonrenewable. Such application must be accompanied by proof of



419 enrollment in college course(s), required permit fee, two (2)  
420 recent passport photographs of the applicant and other  
421 documentation as required for application for a Mississippi  
422 instructor's license by reciprocity. Upon proof of completion of  
423 college courses and payment of the required license fee, a  
424 Mississippi instructor's license shall be issued.

425 (4) The issuance of a license by reciprocity to a  
426 military-trained applicant or military spouse shall be subject to  
427 the provisions of Section 73-50-1.

428 **SECTION 10.** Section 73-7-29, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
429 amended as follows:

430 73-7-29. The State Board of Cosmetology shall assess fees in  
431 the following amounts and for the following purposes:

- 432 (a) Initial license/renewal for cosmetologist, \* \* \*  
433 nail technician, esthetician, or wig  
434 specialist.....\$ 50.00  
435 (b) Instructor initial license/renewal..... 80.00  
436 (c) Master cosmetologist license/renewal..... 70.00  
437 (d) Delinquent renewal penalty - cosmetologist, \* \* \*  
438 nail technician, esthetician, wig specialist and instructor 50.00

439 There shall be no renewal fee for any licensee seventy (70)  
440 years of age or older.

- 441 (e) Salon application and initial inspection.... 85.00  
442 (f) Salon reinspection..... 35.00  
443 (g) Salon change of ownership or location,



444	or both.....	85.00
445	(h) Salon renewal.....	60.00
446	(i) Salon delinquent renewal penalty.....	50.00
447	(j) Application and initial inspection for a	
448	new school.....	300.00
449	(k) New school reinspection.....	100.00
450	(l) School change of ownership.....	300.00
451	(m) School relocation.....	150.00
452	(n) School renewal.....	75.00
453	(o) School delinquent renewal penalty.....	100.00
454	(p) Duplicate license.....	10.00
455	(q) Penalty for insufficient fund checks.....	20.00
456	(r) Affidavit processing.....	15.00

457       The State Board of Cosmetology may charge additional fees for  
458 services which the board deems appropriate to carry out its intent  
459 and purpose. These additional fees shall not exceed the cost of  
460 rendering the service.

461       The board is fully authorized to make refunds of any deposits  
462 received by the board for services which are not rendered.  
463 Refunds will automatically be made on overpayment of fees.  
464 Refunds will be made on underpayments by written requests from  
465 applicants. If no request for refund is made within sixty (60)  
466 days, the fees will be forfeited.

467       **SECTION 11.** Section 73-7-35, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
468 amended as follows:



469           73-7-35. (1) No person licensed pursuant to this chapter  
470 shall practice his or her profession except within the physical  
471 confines of a salon possessing and displaying a properly executed  
472 license issued pursuant to Section 73-7-17. However, this  
473 requirement shall not prevent a person from rendering his or her  
474 services to any person who may be confined to his or her home, a  
475 hospital, or other place as a result of illness, and  
476 cosmetologists shall be permitted to render their services to  
477 deceased persons away from their salons.

478           (2) No salon owner licensed pursuant to this chapter shall  
479 allow a cosmetologist, esthetician, or \* \* \* nail technician to  
480 practice his/her profession in the salon without possessing a  
481 valid license issued pursuant to this chapter.

482           **SECTION 12.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
483 and after July 1, 2020.

