

Senate File 434 - Introduced

SENATE FILE 434
BY COMMITTEE ON STATE
GOVERNMENT

(SUCCESSOR TO SSB 1235)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to continuing education requirements for
2 licensed barbers.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 158.11 Continuing education.

2 1. A person licensed pursuant to this chapter shall be
3 required to complete no more than three hours of continuing
4 education every two years that meets the requirements
5 established by the board. The continuing education compliance
6 period shall extend for a two-year period beginning on July 1
7 and ending on June 30 of each even-numbered year.

8 2. A member of the board shall not provide the continuing
9 education required by this section.

10 Sec. 2. Section 272C.2A, Code 2015, is amended to read as
11 follows:

12 **272C.2A Continuing education minimum requirements —**
13 **~~barbering and cosmetology arts and sciences.~~**

14 The ~~board of barbering and the board of cosmetology arts and~~
15 ~~sciences,~~ created pursuant to chapter 147, shall ~~each~~ require,
16 as a condition of license renewal, a minimum of six hours of
17 continuing education in the two years immediately prior to a
18 licensee's license renewal. The board of cosmetology arts and
19 sciences may notify cosmetology arts and sciences licensees on
20 a quarterly basis regarding continuing education opportunities.

21 EXPLANATION

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

24 Currently, the board of barbering requires by rule that
25 licensed barbers complete eight hours of continuing education
26 every two years. Code section 272C.2A also requires a minimum
27 of six hours of continuing education every two years. This
28 bill requires barbers to be required to complete no more than
29 three hours of continuing education every two years. The bill
30 also prohibits members of the board of barbering from providing
31 such continuing education.