SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS
MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARING

The South Dakota Board of Barber Examiners convened at 10:00 am (CDT) on Monday, June 22, 2020 via teleconference.


Hearing Officer: Kate Boyd, Executive Director

Roll call by President Darrell Deheer with the following members of the Board in attendance:
Darrell Deheer, President, via teleconference
Kristy Wright, Secretary-Treasurer, via teleconference
Randy Scott, via teleconference
Alex Jensen, via teleconference

Others in attendance:
Graham Oey, Department of Labor & Regulation Senior Attorney, via teleconference
Donnie Valderrama, via teleconference
Jim McGuire
Cathy Stavig
Catie Linneman

Hearing Officer Boyd reviewed and summarized each of the draft rule changes.

Written Testimony: No written testimony was received.

Oral Testimony:

Licensed barbers Catie Linneman, Cathy Stavig and Jim McGuire requested clarification on the curriculum requirements for an individual who is seeking a barber license with prior cosmetology or other related coursework, whether or not the additional hours will need to be obtained in a barber school, and what exams that individual will need to take to become a licensed barber. It was clarified that the education must be obtained in a licensed barber school, include the required additional curriculum as stated in the rules to meet the 1500 hour required education/curriculum, and take the full State Board examinations that include a hands-on practical and written theory examination.

Donnie Valderrama, owner of the South Dakota Barber College requested that the Board make two amendments to the proposed rules, the first one to eliminate the maximum number of students an instructor may supervise on an educational field trip and to remove the prohibition of the school to advertise the student prices outside the school.

Board Discussion and Action:

Randy Scott made a motion to amend rule 20:39:03:06 (Curriculum requirements for classroom education) so that the final sentence of the field trips paragraph reads: A minimum of one licensed instructor shall accompany no more than students. A Darrell Deheer seconded the motion. MOTION PASSED. (Deheer-yea; Jensen-yea; Scott-yea; Wright-yea)
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Randy Scott made a motion to amend rule 20:39:03:13 (Student barber practice) (2) to read: No school may advertise outside the school the prices charged in the school or that the school is a barber shop.

Approval of Rules: Alex Jensen made a motion to approve the proposed rules with the amendments to the two rules noted above. Randy Scott seconded the motion. MOTION PASSED. (Deheer-yea; Jensen-yea; Scott-yea; Wright-yea)

Randy Scott made a motion to adjourn. Kristy Wright seconded the motion. MOTION PASSED. (Jensen-yea; Scott-yea; Wright-yea; Deheer- absent and not voting.)

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
Kate Boyd, Executive Director
Hearing Officer

Adjournment: 11:15 am