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## DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Exempts shampooing and threading from regulation by the La. State Board of Cosmetology when those services are not combined with any other regulated service.

Present law defines "cosmetology" as the practice of using one's hands, mechanical or electrical apparatuses, or appliances or using cosmetic preparations, antiseptics, soaps, detergents, tonics, lotions, or creams in any one or any combination of the practices of esthetics, hair dressing, and manicuring for compensation, direct or indirect, including tips.

Proposed law retains present law and stipulates that cosmetology shall not include the practice of shampooing or the practice of threading if those services are not combined with any other service that is regulated pursuant to present law.

Proposed law provides that nothing in present law shall be construed to require a person who performs shampooing or threading, and does not perform those services in combination with any other service regulated pursuant to present law, to possess a certificate, permit, or any other type of credential from the La. State Board of Cosmetology.

Proposed law provides that any rule or regulation of the La. State Board of Cosmetology requiring certification or permitting which applies exclusively to shampooing or to threading shall be null, void, and without effect upon the effective date of proposed law. Requires that any such rule be repealed on or before Dec. 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 37:563(6); Adds R.S. 37:581(F))