

1 ENGROSSED SENATE
2 BILL NO. 1764

By: Daniels of the Senate

3 and

4 Crosswhite Hader of the
5 House

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7 An Act relating to the State Board of Cosmetology and
8 Barbering; amending 59 O.S. 2021, Section 199.2,
9 which relates to the State Board of Cosmetology and
10 Barbering; modifying language; increasing membership;
11 increasing requirement of quorum; providing
12 qualifications for new members; and providing an
13 effective date.

14 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

15 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 59 O.S. 2021, Section 199.2, is
16 amended to read as follows:

17 Section 199.2. A. 1. There is hereby re-created, to continue
18 until July 1, 2024, in accordance with the provisions of the
19 Oklahoma Sunset Law, a State Board of Cosmetology and Barbering
20 which shall be composed of ~~eleven (11)~~ thirteen (13) members to be
21 appointed by the Governor and to serve at the pleasure of the
22 Governor.

23 2. One member shall be appointed from each congressional
24 district and the additional members shall be appointed at-large.
However, when congressional districts are redrawn, each member

1 appointed prior to July 1 of the year in which such modification
2 becomes effective shall complete the current term of office and
3 appointments made after July 1 of the year in which such
4 modification becomes effective shall be based on the redrawn
5 districts. Appointments made after July 1 of the year in which such
6 modification becomes effective shall be from any redrawn districts
7 which are not represented by a board member until such time as each
8 of the modified congressional districts are represented by a board
9 member. ~~One member shall be a barber appointed at-large.~~

10 3. At the time of appointment, the members shall be citizens of
11 this state, at least twenty-five (25) years of age, and shall be
12 high school graduates. Six members shall, at the time of
13 appointment, have had at least five (5) years' continuous practical
14 experience in the practice of cosmetology in this state; one member
15 shall be appointed at large and, at the time of the appointment,
16 have had at least five (5) years' continuous practical experience in
17 the practice of barbering in this state; one member shall be a
18 massage therapist appointed at-large; one member shall be a licensed
19 owner of a massage therapy establishment at-large; one member shall
20 be a lay person; one member shall be an administrator of a licensed
21 private cosmetology school; one member shall be an administrator of
22 a licensed barber school; and one member shall be an administrator
23 of a public school licensed to teach cosmetology or barbering.
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1 4. No two members shall be graduates of the same cosmetology
2 school, nor shall they be organizers of or promote the organization
3 of any cosmetic, beauty, or hairdressers' association. Each of the
4 eight cosmetology appointees shall continue to be actively engaged
5 in the profession of cosmetology while serving. No two members
6 engaged in the profession of barbering shall be organizers of or
7 promote the organization of any barbering association. Each of the
8 two barbering appointees shall continue to be actively engaged in
9 the profession of barbering while serving.

10 5. If any member retires or ceases to practice his or her
11 profession during the term of membership on the Board, such terms
12 shall automatically cease and the Governor shall appoint a like-
13 qualified person to fulfill the remainder of the term.

14 B. The terms of office for Board members shall be four (4)
15 years ending June 30.

16 C. Each member shall serve until a successor is appointed and
17 qualified.

18 D. ~~Six~~ Seven members of the Board shall constitute a quorum for
19 the transaction of business.

20 E. The Governor may remove any member of the Board at any time
21 at the Governor's discretion. Vacancies shall be filled by
22 appointment by the Governor for the unexpired portion of the term.

23 F. The Board shall organize by electing from its membership a
24 chair and vice-chair, each to serve for a period of one (1) year.

1 The presiding officer shall not be entitled to vote upon any
2 question except in the case of a tie vote.

3 Members shall be reimbursed for their actual and necessary
4 traveling expenses as provided by the State Travel Reimbursement
5 Act.

6 G. Within thirty (30) days after the end of each fiscal year,
7 the Board shall make a full report to the Governor of all its
8 receipts and expenditures, and also a full statement of its work
9 during the year, together with such recommendations as the Board
10 deems expedient.

11 H. The Board may expend funds for suitable office space for the
12 transaction of its business. The Board shall adopt a common seal
13 for the use of the executive director in authenticating Board
14 documents.

15 I. The Board shall meet at its office for the transaction of
16 such business as may come before it on the second Monday in January,
17 March, May, July, September, and November and at such other times as
18 it may deem advisable.

19 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2022.
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1 Passed the Senate the 15th day of March, 2022.

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4 Presiding Officer of the Senate

5 Passed the House of Representatives the ____ day of _____,
6 2022.

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