

INCREASE COSMETOLOGY FEES

House Bill 5347 (Substitute H-1) Sponsor: Rep. Ilona Varga Committee: Regulatory Affairs

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5347 (SUBSTITUTE H-1)

The bill would amend the State License Fee Act to increase fees for cosmetology licensees and to create the Cosmetology Enforcement Fund. Fees for licensees would be increased as follows:

- * Cosmetologist, manicurist, electrologist, natural hair culturist, esthetician, or instructor license -- from \$12 to \$40.
 - * Cosmetology establishment license -- from \$25 to \$40.
 - * School of cosmetology license -- from \$100 to \$200.

The state treasurer would be required to credit the fund with the difference in the money collected under the fee increase. The fund could only be used for training inspectors and to enforce inspection provisions required under Article 12 of the Occupational Code, entitled "Cosmetology" (MCL 339.1201 et al.). Any money remaining in the fund at the end of a fiscal year would remain in the fund and not revert to the general fund. The state treasurer would be required to direct the investment of the fund and also credit interest and earnings from the investment to the fund. Further, the fund would be permitted to receive gifts and donations as provided by law.

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