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**BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS**

CHAPTER 17

Statutory Authority: 1976 Code Sections 40-1-50, 40-1-70, 40-7-50, and 40-7-60

17-51. Minimum Requirements for Licensing of Cosmetologists as Master Hair Care Specialists

**Synopsis:**

 The South Carolina Board of Barber Examiners proposes to amend regulations regarding requirements for a crossover license.

 A Notice of Drafting was published on August 28, 2015 in the *State Register*.

**Instructions:**

 Regulation 17-51 is amended as shown below.

**Text:**

17-51. Minimum Requirements for Licensing of Cosmetologists as Master Hair Care Specialists.

 1. The Board will issue master hair care specialist licenses to those licensed as cosmetologists by the South Carolina State Board of Cosmetology who submit a completed application with the application fee, proof of a current South Carolina cosmetologist license, and proof of a passing score on all portions of the practical examination prescribed by the Board along with the total number of years’ experience and training prescribed hereunder.

 2. Any licensed cosmetologist with fewer than two (2) years’ experience must have three hundred seventy-five (375) hours of barber school training approved by the Board.

 3. Any applicant failing any portion of the examination must complete fifty (50) hours of training in each portion failed in a Board approved barber school prior to reapplying and retaking the portion(s) of the examination failed.

**Fiscal Impact Statement:**

 There will be no cost incurred by the State or any of its political subdivisions for this regulation.

**Statement of Rationale:**

 The updated regulation will comport with the Board of Barber Examiners Practice Act.