

HOUSE No.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Demetrius J. Atsalis

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to the recruitment of cosmetology students.

PETITION OF:

NAME:

Demetrius J. Atsalis

DISTRICT/ADDRESS:

Second Barnstable

[SIMILAR MATTER FILED IN PREVIOUS SESSION
SEE HOUSE, NO. 196 OF 2007-2008.]

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE RECRUITMENT OF COSMETOLOGY STUDENTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 87T of chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is
2 hereby amended by inserting after the word “skin” in lines 6, the following words:— “Apprentice Cosmetologist”,
3 means any person who is 18 and is engaged in the learning of any or all the practices of cosmetology and, while so
4 learning, performs or assists in any of the practices of cosmetology in a licensed cosmetology salon under the
5 supervision of a practitioner licensed in the profession the apprentice is studying. The apprentice may perform or
6 assist the licensed practitioner in any of the functions which the practitioner is licensed to perform.

7 SECTION 2. Said section 87T of chapter 112, as so appearing, is hereby further amended by inserting after
8 the word “cosmetologist” the following words:— “Cosmetology Apprenticeship Program”, means a continuous
9 week-by-week supervised employment and training program preparing people for skilled positions in the field of
10 cosmetology.