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Attn: Chris Steller, Acquisitions Department Legislative Reference Library 645 State Office Building 100 Rev. Dr. MLK Jr. Boulevard St. Paul, MN 55155

RE: Board of Cosmetology Quarterly Legislative Report

Dear Chris Steller,

The Minnesota Board of Cosmetology submits its quarterly report to the legislature summarizing inspection numbers, number of licensees by type, and number of inspectors employed for the second quarter (April to June) of 2020. This report is required by Laws of Minnesota 2017, 1<sup>st</sup> Spec. Sess. chapter 4, article 1, section 29.

Two paper copies of this report are enclosed, and an electronic copy has been emailed to <u>reports@lrl.leg.mn</u>.

The enclosed report has been sent to you by email and certified mail. If you have any questions, please contact me at <u>gina.fast@state.mn.us</u> or 651-201-2744.

Sincerely,

Gina Fast Executive Director Minnesota Board of Cosmetology

Enclosed: Legislative Report on Inspections



# Legislative Report on Inspections Second Quarter of 2020

The Minnesota Board of Cosmetology submits this Legislative Report on Inspections on July 9, 2020.

### **Cost of Preparation**

The total cost for the Minnesota Board of Cosmetology to prepare this report is approximately \$235. Included in this cost are staff time to prepare the report and associated printing and mailing costs. This approximate cost is provided in accordance with Minnesota Statutes 2017, section 3.197, which requires a report to the legislature contain, at the beginning of the report, the cost of preparing the report.

#### **Inspections in Past Quarter**

In the second quarter of 2020, the board conducted the following number of inspections:

|                       | Salons | Schools | Total |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|-------|
| Number of Inspections | 105    | 0       | 105   |

#### **Inspections in Past Year**

As of July 1, 2020, the board inspected the following within the last year:

| Existing Salons Inspected |          | Existing Schools Inspected |           |          |             |
|---------------------------|----------|----------------------------|-----------|----------|-------------|
| Inspected                 | Existing | % Inspected                | Inspected | Existing | % Inspected |
| 3,062                     | 5,446    | 56                         | 38        | 38       | 100         |

## **Number of Licensees**

As of July 1, 2020, the board's number of current licensees totaled:

|                     | Practitioners | Salons | Schools | Total  |
|---------------------|---------------|--------|---------|--------|
| Number of Licensees | 32,417        | 5,010  | 38      | 37,465 |

#### **Number of Inspectors**

As of July 1, 2020, the board's inspections division employs seven inspectors.

#### COVID-19 Note

During the Second Quarter of 2020, Executive Orders issued by the Governor temporarily closed salons and schools as an effort to slow the spread of COVID-19. During this time, Board of Cosmetology inspections were put on hold.