

October 10, 2024

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 third quarter (July to September) of 2024. 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 [reports@lrl.leg.mn](mailto:reports@lrl.leg.mn).

The enclosed report has been sent to you by email and certified mail. If you have any questions, please contact me at [gina.fast@state.mn.us](mailto:gina.fast@state.mn.us) or 651-201-2744.

Sincerely,



Gina Fast  
Executive Director  
Minnesota Board of Cosmetology

*Enclosed: Legislative Report on Inspections*

## Legislative Report on Inspections

### Third Quarter of 2024

The Minnesota Board of Cosmetology submits this Legislative Report on Inspections on October 10, 2024.

#### 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 third quarter of 2024, the board conducted the following number of inspections:

	Salons	Schools	Total
Number of Inspections	1337	35	1372

#### Inspections in Past Year

As of October 10, 2024, the board inspected the following within the last year:

Existing Salons Inspected		
Inspected	Existing	% Inspected
3,095	5,452	57%

Existing Schools Inspected		
Inspected	Existing	% Inspected
40	40	100

#### Number of Licensees

As of October 10, 2024, the board's number of current licensees totaled:

	Practitioners	Salons	Schools	Total
Number of Licensees	35,050	5,452	40	40,542

#### Number of Inspectors

As of October 10, 2024, the board's inspections division employs six inspectors.