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Dear Committee Members,

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 2025. This report is required by Laws of Minnesota 2017, 1st Spec. Sess. chapter 4, article 1, section 29.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 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

Second Quarter of 2025

The Minnesota Board of Cosmetology submits this Legislative Report on Inspections on July 7, 2025.

Cost of Preparation

The total cost for the Minnesota Board of Cosmetology to prepare this report is approximately \$235. 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 2025, the board conducted the following number of inspections:

	Salons	Schools	Total
Number of Inspections	1613	22	1635

Inspections in Past Year

As of July 7, 2025, the board inspected the following within the last year:

Existing Salons Inspected			Existing Schools Inspected			
Ī	Inspected	Existing	% Inspected	Inspected	Existing	% Inspected
Ī	3,323	5,379	62%	41	41	100

Number of Licensees

As of July 7, 2025, the board's number of current licensees totaled:

	Practitioners	Salons	Schools	Total
Number of Licensees	35,390	5,379	41	40,810

Number of Inspectors

As of July 7, 2025, the board's inspections division employs five inspectors.