

1 **H. B. 2386**

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3 (By Delegates Pethtel, Ferro, Statler, Kurcaba, Howell, McGeehan,
4 Faircloth, Hartman, Morgan, and Storch)

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6 [Introduced January 27, 2015; referred to the
7 Committee on Government Organization.]

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10 A BILL to amend and reenact §30-27-10 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended relating
11 to the Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists; and exempting cosmetologists who have been
12 licensed for twenty years or more from continuing education requirements.

13 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

14 That §30-27-10 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended be amended and reenacted
15 to read as follows:

16 **ARTICLE 27. BOARD OF BARBERS AND COSMETOLOGISTS.**

17 **§30-27-10. Professional license and certificate renewal requirements.**

18 (a) A professional licensee and certificate holder shall annually or biennially on or before
19 January 1, renew his or her professional license or certificate by completing a form prescribed by the
20 board, paying the renewal fee and submitting any other information required by the board.

21 (b) The board shall charge a fee for each renewal of a license or certificate, and a late fee for
22 any renewal not paid by the due date.

23 (c) The board shall require as a condition of renewal of a professional license or certificate

1 that each licensee or certificate holder complete continuing education: *Provided*, That a barber or
2 cosmetologist who has been licensed for twenty years or more is exempt from the continuing
3 education requirement of this subsection.

4 (d) The board may deny an application for renewal for any reason which would justify the
5 denial of an original application for a license or certificate.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to exempt cosmetologists who have been licensed for twenty years or more from continuing education requirements.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from the present law, and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.