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1 AN ACT to amend and reenact §30-27-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,  
2 relating to eliminating any requirement that class hours of students be consecutive.

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

1 That §30-27-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and  
2 reenacted to read as follows:

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

**§30-27-12. Student registration; classes.**

1 (a) Prior to commencing studies in a licensed school, a student shall acquire a student  
2 registration issued by the board.

3 (b) An applicant for a student registration shall present satisfactory evidence that he or  
4 she meets the following conditions:

5 (1) Is enrolled as a student in a licensed school;

6 (2) Is of good moral character;

7 (3) Has paid the required fee;

8 (4) Has presented a certificate of health issued by a licensed physician; and

9 (5) Is a citizen of the United States or is eligible for employment in the United States.

10 (c) The student registration is good during the prescribed period of study for the student.

11 (d) The student may perform acts constituting barbering, hairstyling, cosmetology,  
12 aesthetics or nail care in a school under the general supervision of a master or certified instructor.

13 (e) The student is not required to take class hours that are consecutive.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

  
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Chairman, House Committee

  
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Chairman, Senate Committee

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Speaker of the House of Delegates

  
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The within is approved this the 26th  
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Governor

**PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR**

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**Time** 11:05am