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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: HB 1135

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 23, 2024

BILL AMENDED: Feb 22, 2024

SUBJECT: Cosmetology Apprenticeships.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Wesco

FIRST SPONSOR: Sen. Rogers

BILL STATUS: CR Adopted - 2nd House

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: State

Summary of Legislation: *Taking Examination*– The bill provides that an individual who completes a United States Department of Labor registered apprenticeship program to practice cosmetology may take the cosmetologist licensure examination and, upon passage of the examination, practice as a cosmetologist.

Instructor License– The bill requires an applicant for a beauty culture instructor license to state that the applicant has completed at least 100 hours of methodology, but provides that the applicant is not required to complete any methodology in excess of 100 hours.

Effective Date: July 1, 2024.

Explanation of State Expenditures: *Taking Examination*– The PLA would likely need to update forms, information, and rules to implement this requirement. This can be accomplished within the PLA’s existing staffing and resource levels.

Instructor License– The Board may need to meet to approve a methodology test and the PLA may need to update applicants and license holders on the changes the bill makes to the methodology requirements. It is likely the Board and the PLA would be able to accomplish this provision as a matter of routine business.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

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State Agencies Affected: Professional Licensing Agency; Board of Cosmetology and Barber Examiners.

Local Agencies Affected:

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