STATE OF WYOMING

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0048

Barber licensing amendments.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Blake, Esquibel, K. and Madden and Senator(s) Cooper, Esquibel, F. and Geis

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to barber licensing; establishing an
- 2 official symbol for barbers; amending the grounds upon
- 3 which a license may be revoked, suspended or withheld;
- 4 amending licensing requirements; requiring rulemaking; and
- 5 providing for an effective date.

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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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9 **Section 1**. W.S. 33-7-113 is created to read:

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33-7-113. Barber poles; official symbol; display.

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- 13 A stationary or rotating pole with diagonal stripes of red
- 14 and white or red, white and blue shall be knows as a barber
- 15 pole and shall be the symbol of the practice of barbering.

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Section 2. W.S. 33-7-207(a)(vii) and by creating a 1 new paragraph (ix) and 33-7-209(a)(iii) are amended to 2 3 read: 4 5 33-7-207. Refusal to issue or renew; revocation; suspension; denial. 6 7 (a) The board may revoke, suspend, deny, or refuse to 8 9 issue or renew any certificate of registration or barbershop or barber school license, or may otherwise 10 censure the holder of a certificate of registration or 11 barbershop or barber school license for any of the 12 13 following causes: 14 15 (vii) Unprofessional conduct; and 16 17 (ix) A judicial disposition of quilt or a plea of nolo contendere relative to a criminal offense which 18 19 adversely relates to the practice or instruction of barbering. 20 21 33-7-209. Qualifications for registration as barber; 22 examination. 23

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(a) A certificate of registration to practice 1 2 barbering shall be issued upon passage of a board administered or board approved examination, 3 and upon 4 meeting all requirements set forth by board rule and 5 regulation, to any person who files a completed application, accompanied by the required 6 fees and documentation and who:

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9 (iii) Is a cosmetologist or hair stylist licensed under W.S. 33-12-119 through 33-12-140, has 10 11 completed seven hundred fifty (750) hours of training at an approved barber school or college as set forth in rules 12 13 promulgated by the board and passed an examination conducted by the board to determine his fitness for 14 practice. 15

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Section 3. This act is effective July 1, 2013. 17

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