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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1580

5 By: Representative Warren  
6 By: Senator J. Boyd  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO EXEMPT COSMETOLOGISTS FROM LICENSING  
10 RESTRICTIONS BASED ON CRIMINAL RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER  
11 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 TO EXEMPT COSMETOLOGISTS FROM LICENSING  
15 RESTRICTIONS BASED ON CRIMINAL RECORDS.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-3-102(h), concerning exemptions to the  
22 licensing restrictions based on criminal records, is amended to read as  
23 follows:

24 (h) This section does not apply to licensure or certification:

25 (1) Of professions not governed by this title;

26 (2) Of polygraph examiners and voice stress analysis examiners  
27 under § 17-39-101 et seq.;

28 (3) Of private investigators and private security agencies under  
29 the Private Security Agency, Private Investigator, and School Security  
30 Licensing and Credentialing Act, § 17-40-101 et seq.; ~~or~~

31 (4) Of body artists under § 17-26-601 et seq.; or

32 (5) Of cosmetologists licensed under Title 17, Chapter 26,  
33 Subchapter 3.  
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35 APPROVED: 4/10/23  
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