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Agency: TEXAS DEPARTMENT LICENSING AND REGULATION

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed:

the field is cosmetology is a skill and practice that cannot be taught be just anyone. A professional who is skilled in the in the practice of the beauty industry must have comprehensive training in the field is public safety in regard to services rendered. There sends to be an agenda of dumbing down this profession from the Texas state board rather than requiring more education from the schools. This is a viable profession but not of you continue to decrease the requirements to be successful. Please do not remove a license necessary to teach Cosmetology and Barbering.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

I felt TDLR did a poor job of representing the cosmetology industry when Covid 19 hit. We were prepared to protect the public from communicable diseases better than all places other than hospitals, doctors and dentists. You require that of us. When the time came to reopen YOU allowed movie theaters and malls to reopen before us. I didn't hear on word from you telling the governor how prepared we were...

Thanks to new rules that began in 2006. I feel you sold the industry down the river!!!

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree