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Agency: TEXAS DEPARTMENT LICENSING AND REGULATION

First Name: Emma

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Title: Cosmetology Instructor

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State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I am opposing the elimination of the Cosmetology Instructors License. I believe everyone is entitled to learn from someone that has the adequate training in classroom management, student learning styles, sanitation and disinfection, state board testing and cosmetology theory. Breaking down theory and practical skills can be a difficult task if one does not understand the steps and sequencing for the student to be able to apply the skills and tasks assigned. Because all students learn differently, one must possess the skills to be able to communicate effectively and clearly. Having knowledge of the skills is not the only qualifications, because you may be able to complete the skills, however, not have the ability to teach it. Our industry will disintegrate if there is not a speciality instructor licensed individual that knows the fundamentals of teaching all the required sanitation and safety measures involved in this industry. As a licensed instructor of a high school program, I take many hours of professional development and continuing education to stay up to date with the industry so I can bring the best education to my students. Caring about the health and welfare of our students, clients and ourselves is and should be everyone's priority. Nobody goes to a Nurse Aid for Medical care or go to a criminal justice student for protection because they do not have the proper schooling and training. They same Should apply for a License Cosmetology instructor. No one should trust one that has not had the proper experience and training to teach them.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I recommend you keep the Cosmetology License for Instructors to ensure the proper education of the students interested in the field of cosmetology to ensure the health and safety of the consumers and clients.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree