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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 112, §§ 87T through 87KK, and c. 30A, § 2, the Board of Registration of Cosmetology and Barbering will hold a virtual public hearing relative to its regulations (240 CMR 2.00-11.00). Specifically, the proposed changes remove unnecessary requirements and assist in business operations. This includes clarifying definitions, updating premises requirements, and reducing minimum school sizes. A small business impact statement has been filed with the Secretary of State's Office. The Board will hold the public hearing as follows (pre-registration is not required):

**Friday, August 8, 2025 at 9:30 a.m.:**

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting>

Meeting ID: 214 791 468 954 4

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Interested Parties will be given an opportunity to present testimony orally at this hearing. The Board will also accept written comments regarding the regulations received prior to the hearing via email at [cosmetologyandbarberingboard@mass.gov](mailto:cosmetologyandbarberingboard@mass.gov) or by mail at this address:

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Written comments must be received by 4:00 p.m. on **Tuesday, August 5, 2025**. A copy of the proposed regulations may be obtained at the Board's web site located at: <https://www.mass.gov/orgs/board-of-registration-of-cosmetology-and-barbering> or by contacting the Board office directly at the above address or by phone: (617) 701-8792. Once all testimony is received, the Board intends to conclude the hearing and immediately convene a regular board meeting to finalize the regulations, and the public is welcome to attend that regular board meeting.

