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Sent: Friday, August 14, 2015 1:57 PM
To: Hoffman, Bianca K (DPL)
Cc: Read, Lynn P (DPL)
Subject: State Required Hours

Dear Bianca and Lynn,

I am attaching a notice received by all Cosmetology Schools in 2011 of which you may or may not be aware.

Now that the statutes have been revised, would I be correct in assuming that since required hours have been removed in the statutes, this form would no longer be required to be signed by Massachusetts students. Referencing Governor Baker's Executive Order 561, this regulation is the epitome of unnecessary restrictions for business as defined by the Governor. If I am not correct in my assumption, may I respectfully ask that the new Board have this issue placed on its agenda for consideration. It makes for much confusion both for the schools and also for students. As an example, our school offers both a 300 hour and a 600 hour program for Esthetics. It would be much less confusing if students take their state licensing exams after the program that they have **freely** chosen to attend.

I would very much appreciate your input and help in this matter. I know that not only I, but other school owners have this concern as well.

Sincerely,

Mary L. Evangelista

