

BOARD OF BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY

FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

Hearing Date: June 17, 2015

Subject Matter of Proposed Regulations: Military Training

Sections Affected: Section 910(c), California Code of Regulations

Updated Information

During the course of this rulemaking, the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology's legal counsel suggested modifying the specific language to explain more clearly the purpose behind the submittal of the Verification of Military Experience and Training (V-Met) records, which is that the Board will use the document to establish whether a military veteran has education, training and experience that is applicable toward qualifying for the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology's examinations. As a result, the Board modified the language and opened up a 15-day public comment period on the revisions between November 2-18, 2015.

The Board also made two non-substantive changes to the Order of Adoption:

- The Board modified the header of Section 910 to read "Out-of-State or Armed Services Applicants" to make it clear the section applies to armed services applicants as well as out-of-state applicants.
- The Board removed Section 7391 of the Business and Professions Code from the authority and reference citation. That section was repealed in 2005.

Local Mandate

A mandate is not imposed on local agencies or school districts.

Small Business Impact

There is no significant impact to small business.

Consideration of Alternatives

No reasonable alternative which was considered or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of the board would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the regulation is proposed, would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted regulation, or would be more cost effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy on other provision of law. The only possible alternative would be to not promulgate the amended Section 910 and maintain the status quo. However, to do so would violate Section 35 of the Business and Professions Code, which requires the Board to specify that education, training, and experience gained in the armed forces may be used by applicants to meet the licensure requirements for the occupations or professions the Board regulates.

Summary of, and Responses to, Comments Received During the Original 45-day Comment Period

No comments were received.

Summary of, and Responses to, Comments on the Modified Text Received During the 15-day Comment Period

No comments were received.