

NAIL SALON LEGISLATION

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PURPOSE: Create a trainee nail specialist program & modify the Secretary of State's enforcement of licensing requirements

ORIGINAL PROPOSAL

- ✓ Added new bond & liability insurance requirements for nail salons set by the Secretary of State.
- ✓ Empowered the Secretary of State to unilaterally shut stores down first and ask questions later.
- ✓ Criminalized business owners and workers for hiring unlicensed workers and for not carrying bond or liability insurance.
- ✓ Extended the powers of the Secretary of State to act on behalf of the State Attorney General.

AMENDED LEGISLATION

- ✓ Eliminated all language requiring businesses with new type of liability insurance or bond.
- ✓ Added more due process so small businesses will have a chance to appeal.
- ✓ Eliminated the criminalization of businesses for hiring unlicensed workers and for not having required insurance.
- ✓ Empowered the Department of Financial Services to certify in writing that any new liability insurance or bond must be readily available in the market.