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# 116th MAINE LEGISLATURE

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Legislative Document

No. 508

H.P. 395

House of Representatives, February 16, 1993

**An Act to Provide Additional Exemptions to the Need for a Cosmetology License.**

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Reference to the Committee on Business Legislation suggested and ordered printed.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph W. Mayo".

JOSEPH W. MAYO, Clerk

Presented by Representative CLOUTIER of South Portland.  
Cosponsored by Representatives: ADAMS of Portland, BRENNAN of Portland, CARROLL of Gray, FARNSWORTH of Hallowell, FITZPATRICK of Durham, HATCH of Skowhegan, HUSSEY of Milo, JACQUES of Waterville, JOHNSON of South Portland, JOSEPH of Waterville, KONTOS of Windham, MELENDY of Rockland, MITCHELL of Vassalboro, PFEIFFER of Brunswick, QUINT of Paris, RICHARDSON of Portland, STEVENS of Orono, TOWNSEND of Portland, TOWNSEND of Eastport, TRACY of Rome, TUFTS of Stockton Springs, Senator: AMERO of Cumberland.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine as follows:

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3 Sec. 1. 32 MRSA § 14203, sub-§1, as enacted by PL 1991, c.  
4 397, §6, is amended to read:

6 1. **Exemptions.** The prohibitions and penalties of this  
7 chapter do not apply to the following persons when acting within  
8 the scope of their profession or occupation:

10 A. Persons authorized by law of this State to practice  
11 medicine and surgery and persons under the supervision and  
12 control of those persons;

14 B. Commissioned medical officers of the United States Armed  
15 Forces;

16 C. Registered nurses, licensed practical nurses and nurse's  
17 aides;

20 D. Persons who practice upon members of their immediate  
21 families or on persons residing in their household and who  
22 receive no payment for such practice;-and

24 E. Persons employed by licensed establishments who provide  
25 shampooing services within the licensed establishments; and

26 F. Persons employed to apply special make-up designed for  
27 theater lighting to a person who requires this make-up for  
28 an appearance in the theater or a movie, on television or as  
29 a model.

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33 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

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35 Currently, the law allows persons authorized to practice  
36 medicine and surgery to perform cosmetology functions without  
37 being licensed. This bill extends this exemption to persons  
38 working under the supervision of a doctor of medicine or surgery.

40 The bill also exempts from the need for a cosmetology  
41 license persons who apply the special make-up required for  
42 appearance in the theater or as a model.