

**CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 222(L&C)**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTIETH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE LABOR AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE

Offered: 4/24/17

Referred: Finance

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES CLAMAN, Birch, Drummond

**A BILL**

**FOR AN ACT ENTITLED**

1 **"An Act relating to the licensure of nail technicians; and providing for an effective**  
2 **date."**

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 \* **Section 1.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section  
5 to read:

6 LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the legislature that the Board of Barbers  
7 and Hairdressers consider allowing an applicant to use a foreign language interpreter or  
8 translator who is certified by the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers during a nail technician  
9 examination.

10 \* **Sec. 2.** AS 08.13.030 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

11 (d) The board may not require that an applicant for a license or renewal of a  
12 license to practice manicuring complete 250 hours of instruction in manicuring from a  
13 school of manicuring under AS 08.13.080(a)(4) if the applicant holds a valid license to  
14 practice manicuring that was issued on or before December 31, 2015.

1 \* **Sec. 3.** Section 13(a), ch. 27, SLA 2015, is amended to read:

2 (a) On and after January 1, 2016, a person who holds a valid license to  
3 practice manicuring on January 1, 2016, may continue to engage in the practice of  
4 manicuring under the license until the license expires normally under AS 08.13, as  
5 AS 08.13 existed before January 1, 2016, but shall otherwise comply with AS 08.13,  
6 as amended by this Act. A person who is eligible to engage in the practice of  
7 manicuring under this subsection may, for one

8 **(1) renewal period, renew the person's license to practice manicuring**  
9 **[IF,] before August 31, 2017, if the person meets the requirements for renewal**  
10 **under AS 08.13 as AS 08.13 existed before January 1, 2016; and**

11 **(2) additional renewal period, renew the person's license to**  
12 **practice manicuring before August 31, 2019** [AUGUST 31, 2017], **if** the person

13 **(A)** [(1)] submits proof satisfactory to the board that the person  
14 has completed 250 hours of work experience as a manicurist; and

15 **(B)** [(2)] has taken and passed a written or oral examination  
16 under AS 08.13.090.

17 \* **Sec. 4.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to  
18 read:

19 RETROACTIVITY. Section 13(a), ch. 27, SLA 2015, as amended by sec. 3 of this  
20 Act, is retroactive to January 1, 2016.

21 \* **Sec. 5.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c).