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# MEMORANDUM

# State of Alaska

TO: Harry D. Treager, Director  
Division of Occupational Licensing

DATE: February 22, 1984

FILE NO:

TELEPHONE NO:

*Pat*  
FROM: Pat Park-Fisher, Secretary  
Division of Occupational Licensing

SUBJECT: Barbers and Hairdressers  
Survey Responses

Responses to the June 9, 1983 Board of Barbers, Hairdressers and Cosmetologists Sunset Survey are:

Continue Board	110
Terminate Board	6
Undecided	6
Total	<u>122</u>

#### Other comments:

1. Concerned about negative results if board is sunsetted.
2. Concerned about lack of controls on field.
3. Exams should be continued.
4. Keep the license.
5. Eliminate AS 08.13.160. License could be issued as:
  - a. Haircutter - would do haircuts and board trims
  - b. Chemical work
  - c. Cosmetology - to do facials and shaving
6. Board needs to be reorganized.
7. Concern about shop sanitation inspections.
8. Terminate the board if functions can be handled by another means.
9. Feels politics interferes with function of board.
10. Concern about infections.
11. Worried about use of chemicals by untrained persons.

Many have been concerned about untrained persons working in the field if the board is terminated. Most seem to think that termination of the board means the end of licensure.

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GEORGIA C. SKANNES  
3711 Baranof  
Ketchikan, Alaska 9901  
907-225-2459

February 17, 1984

Senator Richard Eliason  
Alaska State Senate  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Dick,

I would like to take this opportunity to ask your support for SB 435; to extend the termination date of the State Board of Barbers and Hairdressers to June 30, 1988; introduced by the Senate Labor and Commerce Committee.

This Sunset Legislation would allow unlicensed individuals to operate without taking a State exam.

For those of us who have the required 2,000 hours to be licensed by the State of Alaska, it seems unfair. I have had my license for Hairdressing since 1971. Although I am not a practicing hairdresser, I have had to keep up my fees to keep my license.

There is already a problem with the local shops employing unlicensed individuals without the required number of hours. The number of hours and money that we have invested over the years should account for more control.

Please feel free to make copies of this letter to forward to the appropriate committees.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

*Georgia C. Skannes*  
Georgia C. Skannes  
Hairdresser

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TARGET: LJHK SUBJ: POM 6

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TO: SENATORS ELIASON, MULCAHY, PETTYJOHN, RODEY, AND SACKETT

FROM: DONNA NYONG  
604 COPPERBRUSH COURT  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99502  
(H) 349-5128 (W) 243-0727

RE: SENATE BILL 435

I AM A LICENSED STYLIST AND I HAVE WORKED HARD FOR THIS. PLEASE  
RETAIN STATE BOARD OF HAIRDRESSERS.

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FROM: SHIRLEE ANC LIG TO: POMS/JUNEAU INFO  
TARGET: LUHK SUBJ: P.O.M.

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TO: SENATORS RODEY, SACKETT, PETTYJOHN, MULCAHY AND ELIASON

FROM: VEDA REID  
3861 JEWELL LAKE ROAD  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99502  
(H) 344-5136 (W) 243-0727

RE: SENATE BILL 435

I ENDORSE THE STATE BOARD; WE NEED OUR LICENSURE.

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MSG 34-00019003 PRTY 1 02/29/84 13:45:30 ORIG: LA17 IN= 0008 OUT= 0109  
FROM: KIM / ANCH LIO TO: POM / JNU INFO  
TARGET: LJHK SUBJ: P O M

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TO: SENATORS ELIASON, MULCAHY PETTYJOHN, ROBEY AND SACKETT

FROM: JAN MARTIN, 2752 W 42ND PLACE, APT 3, ANCHORAGE 99503  
H 243-7506 W 243-0727

RE SB435, BOARD BARBERS/HAIRDRESSERS

I WOULD LIKE YOU TO RETAIN THE BOARD FOR LICENSING HAIRDRESSING.

January 26, 1984  
P. O. Box 473  
Juneau, Alaska 99802-473

The Honorable Senator Bill Ray  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Senate  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator Ray:

I am writing this letter to urge you to introduce a bill on the floor of the Senate to keep the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Our Board is up for Sunset Review again and I wish to make it known that I, as a professional hairdresser and local salon owner, do not want to see our board dissolved.

I want to help protect my profession for the safety of the public as well as the protection of the many other professionals in this State. If unlicensed people are allowed to perform services on customers without the proper training it can be harmful to the consumer. For instance, if performing a service that involves the use of chemicals and a mistake is made it can do much more than just turn someones hair green, it can cause irreversible damage such as deafness, blindness, and scarring. We attend schools and apprentice programs to learn these important things. We take great pride in the professional services we have to offer the public. If our board is dissolved it will cause a great many problems statewide.

Senator Ray, I appeal to you to please help us in any way that you can. Thank you for listening.

Sincerely,  
Julie

*Julie Hulse Ward*

Julie Hulse Ward

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FROM: KAREN, ANC LIO TO: POM - JUNEAU INFO  
TARGET: LJHK SUBJ: POM

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TO: SEN. ELIASON, P. FISCHER, MULCAHY, PETTYJOHN, RODEY, SACKETT

FROM: JUDY CLARKSON  
1330 W. 72ND CIRCLE  
ANCHORAGE, AK. 99502  
H. 349-3685; W. 243-0727

REINSTATE THE STATE BOARD OF HAIRDRESSERS. WE NEED SB 435.

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FROM: DAVE/ANC LIO TO: POM - JNO LIO  
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TO: SENATORS ELIASON, MULCAHY, PETTYJOHN, RODEY AND SACKETT.

FROM: BEVERLY CARDOZA  
5900 RATMOND DR.  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99507  
243-0727

MESSAGE: I DEFINATELY WANT THE STATE BOARD OF HAIRDRESSERS TO REMAIN.  
I AM A LICENSED STYLIST AND THINK IT IS IMPORTANT TO CONTINUE  
LICENSURE.

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FROM: MARCIE, ANC INFO TO: POM, JUNEAU INFO  
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TO: SENATORS ELIASON, MULCAHY, PETTYJOHN, RODEY, SACKETT  
FROM: WILMA J. RADUEGE  
3345 MT. VERNON COURT, ANCHORAGE  
4011 ARCTIC BLVD, ANC 99503  
H 274-1442 W 562-4767

TO ALL COMMITTEE MEMBERS, IN REFERENCE TO SENATE BILL 435, I URGE YOU  
TO PASS THIS BILL, EXTENDING THE TERMINATION DATE OF THE BOARD OF BARBERS  
AND HAIRDRESSERS. THE PUBLIC NEEDS THE PROTECTION OF STUDENTS BEING  
EXAMINED BY PROFESSIONALS WITHIN THE RESPECTIVE FIELDS. THANK YOU FOR YOUR  
CONSIDERATION. /S/ WILMA J. RADUEGE

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Sent  
audit 2/6  
called 2/6

MSG 84-00021386 PRTY 1 03/06/84 14:29:19 ORIG: LA08 IN= 0009 OUT= 0111  
FROM: CANDY/ANCHORAGE TO: JUNEAU LIO  
TARGET: LJHK SUBJ: \*\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT \*\*\*\*\*

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WE HAVE A GROUP OF PEOPLE HERE IN OUR OFFICE WHO THOUGHT THAT THE SENATE LABOR AND COMMERCE MEETING GOING ON RIGHT NOW WOULD BE TELECONFERENCED. IT IS NOT A T/C AND THE GROUP IS QUITE UPSET.

THE WOMAN WHO IS REPRESENTING THE GROUP, WILMA RADUEGE, JUST SENT A POM WHICH YOU SHOULD ALREADY HAVE RECEIVED. IT IS # 21362. SHE WOULD VERY MUCH APPRECIATE IT IF THIS COULD BE DELIVERED TO THE COMMITTEE WHILE IT IS MEETING, IN OTHER WORDS, NOW. SHE MAKES THIS REQUEST BECAUSE SHE WAS UNDER THE IMPRESSION, AND SAYS SHE WAS TOLD BY THE COMMITTEE, THAT SHE COULD PRESENT HER OPINION OVER THE LTN.

SHE DID ASK THAT I PUT THIS REQUEST THROUGH TO YOU...LET ME KNOW IF IT IS APPROPRIATE.

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DATE: June 9, 1983

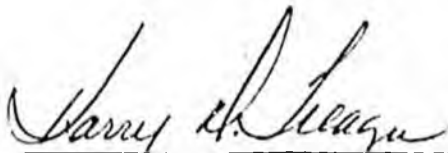
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Please address all replies to me at the following:

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Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

  
Harry D. Treager, Director

9-19-83

Dear Sir:  
\* My thought on the Sunset Leg. is if I'm correct in my understanding, is that there will no longer ~~be~~ be a board. If that's the case - who do hairdressers, cosmetologists etc have to answer to? Also if there is no board, will there still be a State Board Exam for students to take to enable them to qualify for a license? I know I'm really not up with all the legislation on the Sunset Law & I'm terrible at keeping up with any political 'stuff', but I seriously

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do have an interest because I realize if (board) does  
practice me as a licensed Cosmetologist. Would it be  
possible to get a part of list... on what our board  
actually does & what negative results will happen  
if it is terminated? I would appreciate any info on  
this specifically.

As far as improvements for the board - I really  
can't give any because I really don't know all that  
they cover. I just know one thing that is really  
not cracked down on in our area, are women  
doing hair in their homes, for money & not legally  
set up. Please don't get me wrong - as a squealer or  
anything, because I just don't feel it's fair for those  
who've taken the time, money & efforts to set up  
shops. I'm not complaining for myself, because  
I work 3-5 days a week & am as busy as can be  
from 8:30 am to 7:00 pm everyday. It's just the  
principle of it all. I enjoy my work very much &  
am only doing it because I love it. I've worked many  
years & still don't tire of it or the clients.

Thank you for your response to my questions -  
I'll be anxious to hear from you. I forgive my lateness  
in replying to this letter.

Sincerely,  
Cris McLay  
P.O. Box 815  
Homer, Alaska  
99603

Aug 22, 1983

Dear Mr. Treagen

I recently received a letter from you regarding the termination of the board under sunset legislation. I am, sorry to say, at this time unfamiliar with the term "sunset legislation". It has been some time since I worked in Alaska - perhaps you can send me some information which can bring me up to date.

Thank you -

Jane Gonzales  
3111 Joe Pette  
#266  
Albany, N.M.  
87111

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*"1 license"  
why are they considered  
different?*

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*Harry D. Treager*  
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Harry D. Treager, Director

*Thank you for asking -  
Manicurists should be "tested" +  
"licensed"  
We should follow nationally set standards*

*M. M. Guire*

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Aug. 23, 1983

Dear Mr. Treager,

Since you recently wrote asking for suggestions for improvements to the Board of Barbers & Hairdressers, I thought I'd write to you about a problem I & probably others had with the statutes on license fees.

Under Sec. 08.13.185. Fees (6+7) it states that the "initial 2 year" license fee for hairdressing is \$55.00 and the "initial 2 year" license fee for cosmetology is \$45.00. This tells me that for those initial fees, totaling \$100.00, I should get 2 licenses, each good for 2 years. However, that is not the case. I took my exam in January of this year & sent in my \$100.00 for my licenses. I received only one piece of paper with both titles on it and it was only good until June 30, 1983. Since the license was issued March 7, 1983, this means I paid \$100.00 for a 3 month (almost 4 months) license. I subsequently had to pay another \$70.00 to renew my licenses. I feel this is extremely unfair & the wording or the licensing procedure should be changed. If the words "initial 2 year" are to be kept in the description then the license should be good for 2 years regardless of when it was purchased.

I realize that currently all licenses come due at the same time every 2 years and that a system of prorating is written into the statutes.

In 12 AAC 02.030. Prorating Licensing Fees - it gives the schedule of prorating with the "Catch-22" in paragraph (d) stating that "Licensing & renewal fees in the amount of \$60.00 or less will not be

promoted by the department, but must be paid in full...

A quick check of the 12 Fees listed in Sec. 08.13.185, reveals that only 3 of the fees are over \$60.00. What we have here is a case of the few-benefitting; and the many having to pay.

Since I paid a total of \$100.00 & received only 1 piece of paper, I thought I should qualify for prorating. But I was informed by Wanda Fleming that the Fees were considered separately and so did not qualify for prorating. If the Fees are considered separately, how come the licenses are not separate instead of combined into one?

If the licensing procedure is to be kept the same, wouldn't it be more appropriate & less misleading to just say "initial license fee" in Sec. 08.13.185 Fees - and thereby circumvent the idea that - a license is for 2 years when in reality it may be for much less.

I don't expect a refund at this late date but I would like to see some changes so that this doesn't happen to anyone else. Since this wouldn't happen again until 1985 there is plenty of time to give the matter consideration & possibly make some changes.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Sheryl Soderstrom  
402 # #27 Wedgewood  
Fairbanks, AK 99701

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& Economic Development

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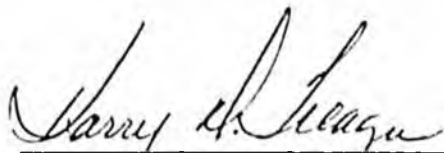
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Harry D. Treager, Director

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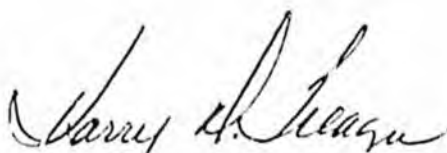
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*I don't know enough in depth to properly address the problem of the functions of the board, that is, the necessary functions, can be taken over by another means, such as incorporating with another agency that has time to handle it. Also all for eliminating the board & saving some state money. We do need professionals to judge whether a person is qualified to do the work of barbering.*

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*Allen E. Johnson*

Debbie Evans  
SR Box 2972 A  
Wasilla, AK 99687

State of Alaska  
Division of occ. Lic.

TO: Harry D Treager (Director)

Department of Commerce  
Economic Development

I received your letter asking  
for my opinion on your ~~license~~  
termination on June 30, 1984.

Yes, if you are under the  
Sunset Law, then I feel you  
should be terminated. Because  
the Sunset Law do not protect  
the Licensed Cosmetologist. We  
have worked too hard for  
our license. So why should it  
others who wish to become  
hairdressers or Barber do the same.

As for improvements of the  
board. I feel you have lightened  
up to much on your state ~~test~~  
test. I have seen to ~~many~~  
many new hairdressers that didn't  
even know how to do a simple  
S/S. And in order to serve the  
people right, we should know  
all phases of Cosmetology.

Thank You  
Mrs Evans

PROGRESSIVE HAIRSTYLES  
1565 S. BRAGAN #102  
Anchorage, Alaska 99504  
Ph. 272\*0351

TO: Mr. Harry D. Treagar

we would like to see the board terminate.

Franco \* Licensed Barber  
Margret \* Licensed Barber  
Sandy \* Licensed Cosmetologist

The Boards and Hair Schools in Alaska are not keeping up with the times and needs of the public. There is a large turnover of professionals due to the Boards and Schools. These people cannot make a decent living, so they get discouraged and drop out of the trade. This is because of improper training, schools that do not have an organized system of teaching. Worst of all is when a group of people will not change because of the inconvenience.

I have been in this for 10 years. I've fought this problem and cannot get results because people refuse to change. There old ways prevent and limit others to gain knowledge for a better life and community.

Whether your a beauty shop or barber shop, both shops are servicing men and women. The public now days will go into any shop as long as they can get what they want done. We are called barbers, beauticians, hairdressers, cosmetologist, hairstylist, hair-cutter, and guess what? Yes, we all do hair. If we can be under one heading, maybe this industry will start working together instead of being segregated.

SINCERLY,

*Franco K. Pimentel*

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Alaska Dept. of Commerce  
2. EIGHTH FLOOR

September 6, 1983

Julianna Dennis  
P.O. Box 1045  
Homer, Alaska 99603

State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce and Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Attn: Mr. Harry D. Treager

Dear Mr. Treager

In reply to your memo of June 9, 1983, This is what I believe should be done to the board.

Alaska Statute Sec. 08.13.160 allows non professionals to open a shop and practice our trade. I think that in the interest of maintaining professional standards, and in the best interest of the public, this regulation should be eliminated. I dont see any reason to have a state board if this is to remain in effect.

Our state board issues licenses for Hairdresser, Barber, and Cosmetician. It appears to me that barbers licenses includes facials and shaves, but a hairdresser must buy a cosmetitions license to do facials. I suggest that the state board issue licenses in these catagories:

Haircutter - Does all types of haircuts and beard trims.

Chemical Work - Does all permanent and semi-permanent hair color, all permanent waves and straightening.

Cosmetition - Includes all facials and shaving

I think shampoo and sets and air waving needs no regulation and could be done by an assistant to a haircutter or chemical work licensee. Nothing should be regulated if the effect can be removed by one shampoo.

Thank you for allowing me to express my views on this matter.

*Julianna Dennis*

Julianna Dennis  
Owner-Operator, Haircuts Etc.

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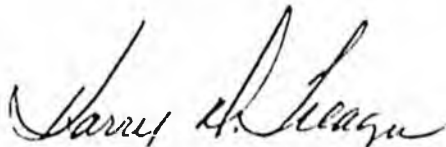
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Give a 100% on Mono's Sons

August 16, 1983

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Reference: Cosmetology Apprenticeship Program.

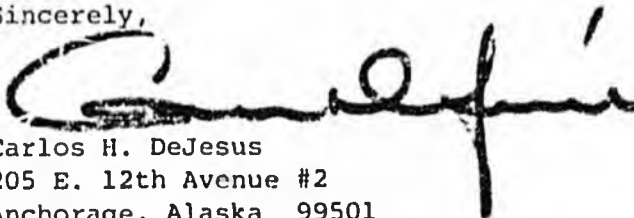
Dear Sirs;

In response to your letter requesting possible alternatives for cosmetology evaluation to the State Board, I have formulated the concept of an apprenticeship program. The overall purpose behind this program would be to provide those cosmetologists who are truly qualified to obtain licenses. At present, it appears that too many students in cosmetology school are obtaining licenses without being thoroughly trained. Institution of such a program could provide longer and more concentrated training. Achieving professional status would be determined by a master stylist having a minimum of eight (8) years experience. The uncertain length of tenure would ensure only those students that have a true desire to be cosmetologists would obtain the license. Limiting the number of students in this manner would produce a greater quality of work since instruction could become more concentrated.

Costs of this program could be kept at a minimum by limiting the number of qualified students and thus, reduce the amount of government red tape and paper work. It appears that the amount of a grant distributed now exceeds the costs for a student to complete the necessary schooling. This has resulted in abuse of funds at the state's expense. A student can obtain a license, never utilize the experience learned, and still have available funds for an alternative use. A reevaluation of these costs could reduce the amount of funds distributed, or possibly encompass more students within the BEOG program.

Therefore, the combination of the elimination of the State Board, and institution of such an apprenticeship program will benefit both the cosmetology profession and state government operations.

Sincerely,



Carlos H. DeJesus  
205 E. 12th Avenue #2  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501  
907-274-8855

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I believe the board should be done away with. Other than sanitation enforcement they are worthless. They wrongly use their Authority for their own "Ego" Trip of power. I saw them

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Give a 100% on Mono's Sons

board test just to be playing the  
kuddies system, Mike was a  
good cutter had a total screw off  
in school and they gave him 100  
on all his test. Then they turn  
around + fail Garry Witzit  
twice when he bought the  
school from Ferraday. He was  
a good barber + all they  
did was humiliate him.  
I lost all respect for Bud  
Smith + the so called  
Barber Board + definitely  
Vote for Sunset Law.

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Reference: Cosmetology Apprenticeship Program.

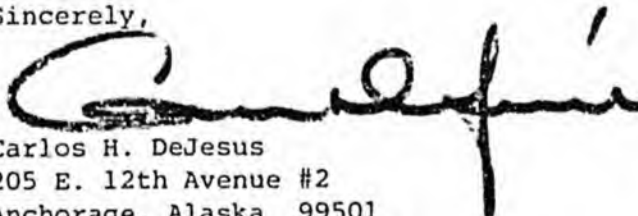
Dear Sirs;

In response to your letter requesting possible alternatives for cosmetology evaluation to the State Board, I have formulated the concept of an apprenticeship program. The overall purpose behind this program would be to provide those cosmetologists who are truly qualified to obtain licenses. At present, it appears that too many students in cosmetology school are obtaining licenses without being thoroughly trained. Institution of such a program could provide longer and more concentrated training. Achieving professional status would be determined by a master stylist having a minimum of eight (8) years experience. The uncertain length of tenure would ensure only those students that have a true desire to be cosmetologists would obtain the license. Limiting the number of students in this manner would produce a greater quality of work since instruction could become more concentrated.

Costs of this program could be kept at a minimum by limiting the number of qualified students and thus, reduce the amount of government red tape and paper work. It appears that the amount of a grant distributed now exceeds the costs for a student to complete the necessary schooling. This has resulted in abuse of funds at the state's expense. A student can obtain a license, never utilize the experience learned, and still have available funds for an alternative use. A reevaluation of these costs could reduce the amount of funds distributed, or possibly encompass more students within the BECG program.

Therefore, the combination of the elimination of the State Board, and institution of such an apprenticeship program will benefit both the cosmetology profession and state government operations.

Sincerely,



Carlos H. DeJesus  
205 E. 12th Avenue #2  
Anchorage, Alaska 99501  
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# Trend Setters School of Beauty

407 East Northern Lights Blvd.

Anchorage, Alaska 99503

(907) 274-HAIR

10 January 1984

Harry D. Treager, Director  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
State of Alaska  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Treager:

Reference your letter of June 9, 1983 regarding the Sunset Legislation and the termination of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. Although I feel that the board should be terminated, some confusion has been generated by your letter.

Many licensed practitioners are of the opinion that upon the board's termination, that there will no longer be any licensing requirements for barbers and hairdressers working in the state of Alaska. This, however, is not the intent of the Department of Commerce. Barbers and hairdressers would still require the proper education and a state license to work.

I strongly recommend that you send a letter to all licensed barbers and hairdressers in the state to clarify this. Many operators who may prefer that the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers be terminated are fearful to express their opinion for fear that all licensing and control of barbers and hairdressers will end when the board terminates on June 30, 1984.

I hope that you will consider this proposal so that the state can receive a true accounting of those who desire that the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers be terminated.

Sincerely,

*Dennis Millhouse*

DENNIS A. MILLHOUSE

Owner-Trend Sentters School of Beauty

cc: file

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*Harry D. Treager*

Harry D. Treager, Director

*Keep the Board.*

*Continue the Board*

*I feel this is very important, as otherwise  
any one can be a hairdresser, without going to school  
and we wouldn't be professional  
any more*

*Mary A. Phares AA0145*

*502 W. Firweed Lane*

*Anchorage*

*Alaska*

*99503*

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Harry D. Treager, Director

*I vote to continue the board. Without the board it would be too easy for anyone to just send in their money for a license that the rest of us had to work hard and go to school to earn the right to send you.*

*Thank you  
Antoinette Perkins  
License # A174621*

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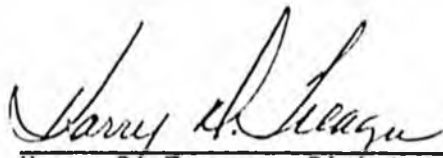
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*The Board should be kept  
For  
Sunation reasons - Inspectors  
& staff outlook  
Gordon Thompson*

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SHARON VISSER

Aug. 10, 1983

Dear - Mr. Breager,

I have received your recent letters concerning the examination of stylists and the Sunset law.

First I'd like to address the questions concerning the examination. Since I originally was licensed in Washington & received my Alaska license through reciprocity 7 years ago. It is very difficult to relate to this problem & answer the questions knowledgeably. Since I'm unaware as to the amount of time it takes to receive the results. I would say 2-4 weeks would be reasonable at this point I see no reason to replace the national exam with a state one. I do feel on some to be very necessary however. Which ever exam is used (state or national) should cover cutting, perming, straightening, coloring, manicuring, pedicure.

Three questions I would ask in an exam are: 1. What is the difference between

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Sharon Moore  
Sincerely,

Some way

I hope my input has helped you in

physical

also provide the consumer items and information  
not only maintain our professional team but  
as many before on the K. Howard. This  
will very important to have a brand + market  
in regard to the Annual how to put it

a round table, my square face.

3. Clarify what typed. How many test units
  2. Explain what PM become in + will determine
- Why keep + changing

August 16<sup>th</sup> 1983

TO HARRY TREMPER

Harry. I know this is not  
your fault. But the politicians and  
mess the Barber board have been in  
this last 15 years is a mess.

I had license in 5 states I  
have been in Alaska 24 years I cannot  
hire a Barber that is capable to do  
the work. The last 12 years all our  
Board was made up of. Two two  
Bit (Hares) on the men half are  
Dinners. The Public Deserves a  
Better State. I cannot take my  
car to a mechanic, cause they are  
not license. I cannot take my  
kid to a doctor in Alaska.  
Because the doctor is not

(2)  
is not well enough educated  
to doctor my kid. I have asked  
Harry Bell the Politician  
No.

Yours Truly

Cecil Brown

P.S. I ONLY KNOW  
ONE BARBER IN  
ANCHORAGE THAT  
IS QUALITYPHIDE  
TO SERVE ON THE  
BOARD HIS NAME  
IS ROY STEEN



Studio Eleven  
430 Dock St.  
Ketchikan, Alaska  
99901

Dear Sir:

The Sunset Legislation should not even be considered. The ability to deal with the public ~~and~~ the capacity to utilize the services comes from experience & training acquired through schooling. Cosmetology is a professional career — offers many opportunities ~~and~~ rewards to those who receive a thorough training, ~~and~~ who observe professional ethics.

There should be a news letter or some kind of communication within the state.

Always,  
Deborah J. Hannas



Barbara J. Cocklin  
Box 424  
Soldotna, Alaska 99669  
(Licensed Hairdresser)  
AK 01082

State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
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Harry D. Treager, Director  
Dear Mr. Treager,

I think that it would be a poor thing if the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers were to terminate. Do they intend to some day do away with other things like The Board of Education, and the Bar for Lawyers. If they should do away with this board you will find that there is a lot of problems occur with head ~~MASSIS~~ infections etc. I strongly urge you to keep this Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Sincerely

*Barbara J. Cocklin*

Dear Thurgood,

all I've got to say is that it will be  
a lot harder to get a Handpresses license  
in the state of AK. Personally I think  
they should keep it.

Sincerely

Samuel J. McCloud.

Aug 10, 1953

Dear Sir:

The undersigned has received  
 kind letters from several sources  
 that the board not be terminated.  
 The believe everyone working in  
 this profession need be examined  
 and licensed by the state board.  
 It is a profession we are all  
 proud of. If this was to be passed  
 next we would have a war  
 with the medical profession. It  
 would also be very disarranging  
 to a lot of practitioners and  
 patients who put a lot of time  
 and \$ in their education.  
 Thank you!

Rec'd from AH 3445 - H 4561  
 Art Taylor 3-425      Max Zank  
 Ruth Weiss  
 Clara Kitchens  
 Betty Ann Michaels

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*Harry D. Treager*  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Harry D. Treager, Director

*Please, send my my instructor license.  
Already Paid waiting for a long month.  
Respectfully yours  
Vicquino V. Carrillo*

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Aug. 12, 1983

Dearest Sir or madam,

I'm glad that I have the opportunity to express my feeling about Board of Barbering.

(1) If the Board of Barbering is eliminated then the Board of all professions must be then eliminated.

(2) The Board of Barbering must be separated to the Board of Hairdresser - Reason Why? What the Hairdresser can not do is they don't know how to shave, Taper, crew-cut = Flat top. The Board of Barbering can not do what the Hairdresser can do. So must <sup>be</sup> separated. (3) All Board of Examiners must not involve in any ownership of the school.

(4) The state must have a Barber inspector. So I recommend my self.

T.H. ... b. O. O

P. O. Box 59  
Lancaster, Ca. 93534-0059

August 12, 1983

Dear Mr. Treager:

I am happy to be able to have a chance to give you my opinion on the Sunset Legislation as pertains to the Barber Board.

To terminate the Board would be a "step backward" in the Barber Industry. I was a Barber in 1955 and have had a license since the Barber Law and Board was established. I feel that the Board serves a honest and good purpose both for the Barbers AND the general public. The examinations that the Barber Board holds is protection for the current license holders, and to the general public, so that they will be assured of qualified people being issued new license's.

If all goes well, I should be making my home sometime early in 1984 in Homer, but no later than April of 1984. If, before that time, there is anything that I can do between now and then, please advise me.

*Al Buonassissi*

- Al Buonassissi

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*I am not in favor of this.  
I think there should be some control  
over who works in a shop. This profession  
would not be professional if you did that.  
(changed laws) In order to keep it professional  
a person must have good training & experience.  
I think it should be kept the way it is.*

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*Sandy Suggenbucker*

Ginger O'Connor  
P. O. Box 3182  
Sitka, AK.  
747-5896

Date: August 16, 1983

To: Harry D. Treager, Director  
Division of Occupational Licensing

I am disappointed to hear that the Board of Barbers and Hair Dressers will terminate in 1984.

Being a licensed Hair Dresser, and have worked and seen alot of Professionals, I feel a Board is needed to keep this Profession "Professional". I feel strongly in that a Profession, such as Hair-dressing, needs a Board for licensing or we will have a State full of "unprofessional" personnel doing a job and giving, such as myself, a bad reputation... we already have enough of those.

Why is there a question of having a Board now? What is the problem?

I have always been proud to be a professional in this field of work. Without a State Board, I will not feel recognized or supported by the State of Alaska.

I appreciate your consideration, and will await your response.

Sincerely, *Ginger O'Connor*  
Ginger O'Connor

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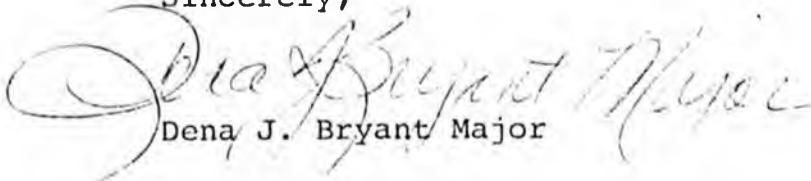
Dena J. Bryant Major  
License # 1949  
P. O. Box 4161  
Anchorage, AK 99509

Mr. Harry D. Treager  
State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, AK 99811

Dear Mr. Treager:

I am shocked and disgusted that this Sunset question hasn't been resolved. No way should anyone be allowed to practice hairdressing/cosmetology without a thorough practical and written exam by the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. The thought of unlicensed, untrained persons practicing the cosmetology sciences is ridiculous and unnerving to those of us who have spent countless dollars and time, not only attending Beauty College, but also attending the continuing education that is demanded of caring professionals who practice Hairdressing/Cosmetology. Not only for my sake as a professional, but for the protection of the public needing competent beauty services, the abolition of the Board should not be allowed to happen. Imagine the lawsuits from hair breakage and bleeding scalps due to lack of knowledge on the part of the unskilled, unlicensed "operators." Also, the licensed and trained practitioners of Cosmetology would be put in a situation where their "license qualifications" would be questioned by, conceivably, each and every client. Termination of the Board is unfair to professionals and the public. No, do not do away with licensing of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Sincerely,

  
Dena J. Bryant Major

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Don't think we hairdressers and Salon  
owners have to much to say. Sunset  
Legislation will do what they want, even  
hairdressers talked too, hadn't wanted the  
Sunset Legislation in control. What a  
terrible thing taking board away this will  
mean anyone can fix hair. *Jeannine Bohner*

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In regard to your letter June 9-83. I do not feel the Board of Cosmetologists should be terminated. I feel it is very important to be qualified in doing people's hair. If a person does not have to take a board how do we know how many people will be damaged by this. I own a shop, if this happens anyone can work in a shop what does this do for our Cliental. How can we say we are qualified if we have not gone

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... .. others operators will speak

Out about this. We need qualified people not just anyone who wants to do law. I feel our board in the past has been good and should stand. I went to school in Alaska and took my board in 1972. I have been proud of that fact and believe anyone wanting to be a cosmetologist should want to know they are qualified before making a mistake. One important factor is if you are not licensed how will we get insurance. Companies will not insure us if we have not been proven.

Sincerely  
Juanita Shumaker

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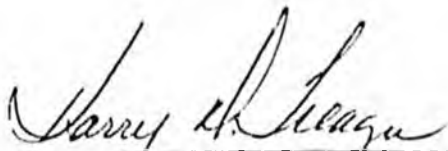
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*Maintain the Board - But streamline  
processing.*

*Judith Swanoff*

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SR 1 Box 3410 Klondike  
Chugiak, Ak. 99567  
Aug. 18, 1983

To whom it may concern

I think it is very important  
to continue licensing the Barbers,  
Hairdressers & Cosmetologists.

I look at myself and others as  
professionals.

I have been working for 6½ yrs. and  
still feel I'm learning. I just don't see  
how anyone without an education and  
license in this field could do satisfactory  
work.

For the protection of my profession  
and the people that come to us I feel  
an education and license is very  
important!

Yours truly  
Ann Marie Shapiro

Hairdresser # AA 2926



Dear Harry Treaeger,

I read the papers about the sunset law. I think it is terrible, I can't believe that someone would even think of such a thing. I am a professional, my clients & the people that I work with everyday depend on that. Please don't destroy what we all have worked so hard for. I am sure that practically all the professionals in this business feel the same way, at least everybody I work with does. I hope that my letter & the letters of many others will prevent this sunset-law from ever happening. Thank you for reading this & being interested in my opinion. Please don't let this happen.

Sincerely,  
Laurdes D. Smith

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With out a board for Alaska all then  
we need know liems to be some a doctors  
don't, or eye doctor ect. As a professional  
I don't feel it would be a safe place to see.

As in our profession would you like in  
a chair knowing your hardware with color,  
firm & liems can hand had no education  
liems. Would you say to your doctor go  
a head of do surgery knowing he or she had  
no liems or education. I have been a  
hardware for 19 yrs. I paid my dues & feel  
the next generation are no exception. There  
has to be a line liem no place. Any why  
should our profession be one of the first  
to say no liems required

liems # 440 3448  
Mare J. Bunde.

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ALASKA DEPT. OF COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING  
PO BOX 0-LIC  
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811

Dear Sirs

IN RESPONSE TO YOUR LETTER CONCERNING  
WHETHER THE ALASKA BOARD OF BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS  
SHOULD CONTINUE ASSESS JUNE 30 '84, I HAVE THE  
FOLLOWING COMMENTS TO OFFER:

THERE HAS BEEN AN ONGOING CONFLICT BEING THE  
PAST SEVERAL YEARS IN REGARD TO UPGRADE THE  
BARBER/HAIRDRESSING PROFESSION TO A POINT WHERE  
IT CAN TRULY BE CONSIDERED "PROFESSIONAL". I  
FEEL THAT, DUE TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF  
ALASKA STATE STATUTES WHICH ESTABLISHED THE BOARD  
OF BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS AND THE STRICT REQUIRE-  
MENT PERTAINING TO PRACTISING THIS PROFESSION IN  
ALASKA, ALASKA BARBERS & HAIRDRESSERS ARE ASKING  
THE FOLK IN THE COUNTRY. TO ABANDON THE BOARD OR  
TO UNDERMINE THEIR AUTHORITY, WOULD PROMOTE SHADY,  
UNPROFESSIONAL AND UNETHICAL PRACTICES IN THE STATE,  
AND WOULD BE CONTEMPTUOUS TO ALL OF THOSE  
WHO SPENT SO MUCH PERSONAL TIME, MONEY, ~~AND~~  
AND PERSONAL EFFORT, TO MEET THE EXISTING

STATE REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN THE  
REQUIRED LICENSING. TO ABOLISH THE BOARD,  
AND ITS AUTHORITY, WOULD RENDER MOOT ANY  
LICENSING REQUIREMENTS IN THE SITUATION  
WITHOUT ~~BE~~ THE REVIEW AND ENFORCEMENT  
BODY TO IMPLEMENT THE REQUIREMENTS.

I URGE THE CONTINUATION OF THE BOARD  
OF BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS. THANK YOU FOR  
YOUR CONSIDERATION OF MY VIEWS IN THIS MATTER

Sincerely -

Debra J. Brown

d/b/a Debbie's of Dillingham  
Box 10049  
Dillingham, Alaska 99576

cc: Rep AUGUSTE HERRMAN  
Sen. BOB MURPHY

FEB 11 1994

Dear Sir,

I Vote to maintain the Barber  
Board in full status as it has been in  
The Past.

William L. Watts  
Rising Barber Shop  
8300 Oldeward Hwy  
Anchorage, AK 99502

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Harry D. Treager, Director

*It should be continued. Continue to make improvements in examination procedures.*

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*I do think we should have a Board  
of Barbers, Hairdressers + Cosmetologists*

*Suggestion - "Get our license out to us  
sooner."*

*Sincerely AA 491*

*Pauline M. Kennedy  
2452 Karluk  
anch. AK. 99504*

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*(((over)))*

Also put out a Booklet stating Rules + Regulations + also, In Case you want to let your license go for awhile, a way to ~~Put~~ Re-New them when you want to go back to work, and a small Fee, for Renewal. I've been doing Beauty work since 1953, Before license came into effect, and can not obtain answers to the above subject.

Sincerely

P. M. K.

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Department of Commerce  
& Economic Development

Dear Sirs

I received a letter concerning  
Termination of The Board of  
Barbers and Hairdressers.  
I am gladly giving my  
opinion and frankly I feel  
IT is degrading to my profession.  
The suggestion of termination  
is appalling to me. In addition  
I feel IT is unfair to all who  
are presently licensed cosmetologists.  
I spent one year in educating  
myself plus School tuition. I  
carry not only Alaska license but  
a California license as well. I  
believe if people start  
practising without a license and

Proper instruction, results  
may be disastrous. Cutting, Coloring,  
Styling etc.. is an Art  
which must be learned properly  
Another aspect which could be  
over looked is Sanitation which  
is enforced in the Salons. It  
is a benefit to the public!  
Without Licenses and qualified  
Practitioners - Amateurs Stylist  
will become a nuisance. My  
feeling on the subject are  
harsh perhaps but, such as are  
my strong beliefs. I hope my  
opinion will be taken in  
consideration and appreciated.

Sincerely

Mrs J. Montoya  
Former Miss Katharine D. Reyes

8-23-53

Harry L. Trager  
Dear Sis

I think the Board should  
be continued.

Because we work hard  
to get our license for a year  
school to get it.

If the board is terminated  
there would be a lot of  
people working without  
license and the people  
with license wouldn't  
have a chance to get a  
job. Besides the people with-  
out license wouldn't know  
if a person is allergic to the  
chemical they're using.

Melba D. ...

Dear Whom ever it may concern,

I'm turning in my  
protest for the sunset  
law.

Thank-you  
Neen Ellis

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& Economic Development

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Statute #s (08.03.01 & AS44.56.010)

SUNSET LAW

An Act terminating the existence of the board of Hairdressing and Beauty College.

We the, peop. listed here under; do not wish to see standards of hair-dressing lowered in the State of Alaska.

Therefore: We would like the continuance of licensing to maintain or improve these standards for the protection of the consumer.

NAMES

ADDRESS

<u>NAMES</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>
Stephen	PO Box 2756 Palmer, Alaska 99645
Mike Carr	PO Box 6942 Palmer AK 99645
Marc Carr	SRB 52302 Fairview Dr Wasilla 99687
Lucky Tessaro	Box 3227 Palmer, AK
Kiileen Ollies	SRA Box 3076 Wasilla 99647
Russella J. Allen	PO Box 864 Palmer AK 99645
Barbara Heymon	Box 1475 Palmer AK 99645
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Lara Jacobs	SR 52302 Wasilla AK 99687
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Patricia Ann Eilertsen	PO Box 2649 Palmer AK 99645
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Harry D. Treager, Director

*Board of Barbers &  
Hairdressers  
They should continue  
License # 03123*

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John A. Deth  
4366 Spinnard Rd.  
Anchorage, Ak. 99503

Dear Sir:

In response to your letter asking for opinions regarding whether the Board of Barber & Hairdressers should be continued or terminated, I am in favor of keeping the Board & letting it continue as is. I feel it is doing a good job & serving the purpose it was intended to do.

Sincerely yours  
John Deth

August 21, 1983

Dear Mr. Treager,

In regard to your letter of June 9, 1983 I would like to state that I strongly believe that there must be a regulating board in order to maintain a level of professionalism for hairdressers in Alaska.

Without licensing and proper supervision of barbers and hairdressers, I believe that the hairdressing standards of today would soon disappear and be very detrimental to our profession.

Sincerely,

Margie Anton

S.R.1 Box 2663

Chugiak Alaska 99567

State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce &  
Division of Occupational Licensing

August 17, 1983  
Kenai, Alaska 99611

Dear Harry D. Treager;

I recieved your letter about improvements for the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. I can't believe anyone would want to due away with our professional licenses. I believe the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers is needed. Am I mistaken, thinking that you also go around and inspect the shops for Sanitation reason. If the Board was terminated does this mean no one would take on shop inspections?

I worked hard for my Licence, and I am proud of it. I do not work at a shop at this time, but keep my licence up, so as if I had to work I could.

I wish I had suggestions for you for improvements, but I don't have enough up to date information to say. I ~~do~~ feel you are very much needed.

Marcia Kay Heinrich  
Star RT. 3,  
Kenai, Alaska 99611

*Marcia K. Heinrich*

Responded  
WA 8-30-83

RA

Cheryl Rene Evans  
328 Bonifare Place  
Suite 2033  
Anchorage, AK 99504

Date: August 18, 1983

To: Mr. Treagan,

I feel that the Broad would not be terminated if it should continue. If you terminated it that means anybody could walk into a shop and start cutting hair. If it wasn't my hair cut by some person that didn't have a license, would you

I also feel you should give your people in doct testing, cause how of the people that pass aren't that great. The schools should also be re-evaluated for what's taught, cause when you leave school we have learned in our world we can see in regular beauty shops.

Can you tell me my last words? I'm also wondering why cutting is so strong, I receive my removal of my license. I haven't receive it yet, can you please send it soon.

Thank you for directing a letter to the concern of many of us.

Sincerely,

Jiv Mailed 8-18-83

Initial issues 12-8-81 4038

Cheryl Rene Evans

Aug. 23, 1983

Dear Mr. Treager,

I received your letter regarding Sunset legislation & the termination of the Board of Barbers & Hairdressers.

I am unclear as to exactly what the Sunset legislation means to our profession, what it will or will not do and all the ramifications of such.

I believe the Board of Barbers & Hairdressers serves a very good purpose in monitoring the profession & keeping our standards high, but I feel that I am in no position to submit any opinions without further information on sunset legislation.

I do think that it is very important to have at least (1) one board member & enough trained proxies to hold exams at least twice a year in each city or area with beauty or barber schools.

I cannot stress enough the value of having a board member available locally to answer questions & keep us aware of what is going on. Of course this value hinges on the board member - are they available to talk to? are they open & friendly - or condescending & closed? do they keep themselves abreast of all developments in the business? etc.

#AA 4470

Sincerely,  
Sheryl Soderstrom  
402 H #27 Wedgewood  
Fairbanks, AK 99701

San Bernardino  
Aug 20, 1983

Honorable: Inez Director.

Dear Sir:  
In reply to your letter of June  
9, 1983.

I think the board should be  
continued. If and when you should  
terminate it will allow any one to  
cut or what ever there is to do to  
a person below the average price  
sanitation will become very poor.  
out break of diseases of all kind.

I think you should continue the  
licensed operation for the safety of  
people and the price at a good  
level.

I am continuing my license for  
this reason I may come back  
to Alaska to live. I think I was  
examined under you in 1958. I am  
licensed in your states:

Yours truly  
Glenn J. Berry.

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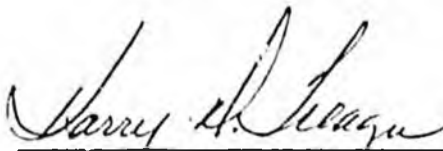
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Harry D. Treager, Director

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To whom it may concern:

I feel that I have been professionally trained in a field of skill that was licensed and to stop that licensing would be detrimental to myself and to the community. I paid good money to learn a skill that is licensed to protect all. I am firmly against the stopping of such licensing.

Reggy Cook

3930 Cosmos

Anch. Ak

99503

If I wanted a non licensed profession I would be a waitress.

Dear Mr Treager

We need the board of Barbers & Hairdressers for the community protection. It's just that simple. To do otherwise would be injustice to my profession & to patrons.

Sincerely

Mary L Wallace

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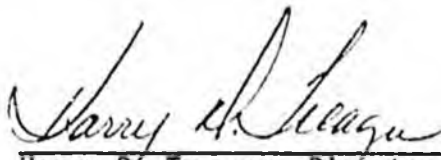
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*The Board should  
be continued!*  
License # AA  
03766

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Phone 283-3460 or 283-5114

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Mrs, Rubenia Johansen  
P. O. Box 2796  
Kenai, Alaska 99611

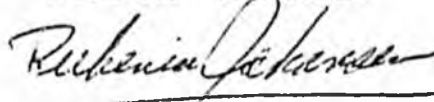
Dear Harry.

My opinion of the sunset legislation is that it should not be terminated, as a licensed hairdresser it took a lot of work and alot of hours of schooling to get this license. It think all Hairdresser should have to be licensed by the State Of Alaska.

Please continue the board my one suggestion is the it should not take so long from the time you take the test until you fine out weather you have passed, also the time until you can take the test again is to long.

Sincerly

Rubenia Johansen

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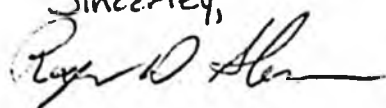
Dear Harry Treager;

This is in answer to your letter of June 9, 1983 concerning the termination or continuation of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. I am presently the owner/operator of the Stadium Style & Barber Shop in downtown Ketchikan and have been here for over two years and have been an Alaskan resident for nine years. I have been in barbering since 1979 and I feel there is a great necessity for a board to help control and preserve a healthy profession. A board does not need to control each shop, but a standard of sanitation, health and professionalism should be met.

At the present time I am applying for the vacant position on the board and am very interested in being an active member. Its function is important to me.

Thank you for considering this letter and hope we  
can all work together for the best of this profession  
in Alaska.

Sincerely,



Roger D. Slaven

Skidman Barber + Style Shop

310 Front St.

Ketchikan, Alaska 99901

License # AA 4259

Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Sir,

I would like to see the board stay in operation, but not as is. The southcentral and southeastern need their own board members to adequately keep the standards up. ~~Some~~

I would like to see that all aspects of hair care are closely defined and followed by the board members. The board members should be from each field such as a barber, hairdresser, ~~and~~ cosmetologist and some business person.

So over all I'd say a breakdown in services would better serve our public.

Thank you.  
David T. Alderson, Bar.  
2206 Fougass  
Ketchikan Alaska 99821

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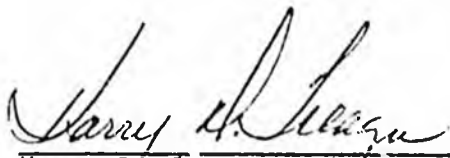
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Harry D. Treager, Director

*I think we ought to keep the license!*

*E. Russell Bennett*

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Sept 16, 1983  
To Whom it may concern:

I as a licensed barber would request that you continue with the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. Because by doing away with the Board would allow anyone to get a license, just because they went to Barber or hairdressing schools. Just because a person went to school for that particular training doesn't qualify them to be a barber or hairdressing. Some people need additional training even after they have completed all their hours in training. And some no matter how many hours they have in just don't have that grace to be a barber or hairdresser. You would be doing an injustice to society by doing away with the Board.

Sincerely,  
Lily Espinoza

SEP 17 1983

Jo Anne's At The Baranof  
127 N. Franklin  
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Henry D. Treager, Director  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
State of Alaska  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Treager:

This is in response to your request for comments on the continuance of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers in Alaska.

Good cosmetology is a boon to our social climate. Bad cosmetology can be dangerous not merely psychologically but physically as well. Without being graphic, let us just realize that the wrong use of chemicals on people can be devastating.

Doing away with the Board would be a big mistake and could have drastic consequences. Our profession is older than medicine and a parallel can be drawn here. It is only because the medical and legal professions have comparable boards that those that practice in these fields have to rise above mediocrity and provide the best service possible to their clients.

Yes, State Government can control, through the licensing process, who practices the profession. But the quality of that practice can be kept high only through the self-policing efforts of the individual members. The vehicle for this process has to be the Board.

An effective Board should have good representation of the active practitioners. The Board should have good regional representation. A member of the profession should represent Southeast Alaska.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the future of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers in Alaska.

Sincerely,

Jo Gandara

JO ANNE L. GANDARA  
Owner/Operator

GERI SHOENAKER  
Operator

Aug. 30, 1983  
14 Fairway Dr.  
Elma, Wa. 98541

State of Alaska  
Dept. of Commerce & Economic Development  
Div. of Occupational Licensing

Attn: Mr. Harry D. Treager, Director:

Dear Mr. Treager:

It is my humble opinion that abolishment of the Board of Barber & Hair-dressers would result in a devastating state of affairs, for not only the people in the business, but for the public in general. In addition, I don't think it would take any length of time at all for everyone to realize this.

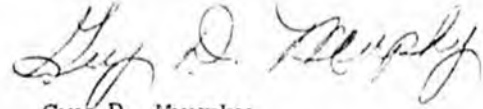
I have about 40 years experience in the trade and have worked in a great many localities in several different states. I state this only to justify having an opinion at all in the matter.

The education one must complete in order to qualify for a license to Barber is of great significance in my opinion. Should just one person not qualified be permitted to work on the public and run into one or another infectious disease they did not recognize, think of the magnitude of damage they could cause.

I not only advocate the continuence of the Board of Examiners, but suggest the State establish a stringent shop exxmination for sanitation.

In regard to the Board of Exxminers, I would like to suggest that the members be selected on the basis of experience in the trade. I don't believe one should be permitted to judge good workmanship unless they are qualified in the field.

Sincerely yours,

  
Guy D. Murphy

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*we want that it  
should be continued*

*K. K. Hyang Eysel  
Dawn F. Nohl  
Hebert Eysel*

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Men's & Women's Hair Styling



Candy Lee

Uptown  
Barbershop

P.O. Box 1909, Kodiak, Alaska 99615

in the Bakery



486-4522

Sept 23, 1983

I don't think the Board of  
Hairdressers and Barbers should be terminated.  
I went to Modern Barber College in Seattle  
and took my test in Anchorage in 1976.  
I am a shop owner and have been for  
4 years so am concerned about organizing  
the professionals of this service. I have  
resided in Kodiak since birth so I have  
great dedication to the whole of Alaska  
and our residents. At the moment I  
have an apprentice who is a Kodiak local  
and 2 other full time hairdressers that  
went through school to work for me.

Not only am I for the board but  
also want to serve on it as a representative  
of the small towns, villages, cities all  
over Alaska since there are a lot more  
like Kodiak city and out side villages on  
the island that we serve.

Thank you!

Candy Lee

Original sent to Carol Dyfner 9-30-83



3101 Penland Parkway, Suite A4, Anch. Ak. 99504 (907) 276-2129

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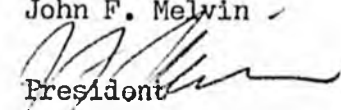
Director; Harry D. Treager

Dear Sir;

Please find the enclosed letters from the staff of  
Jon Anthony's Hair Care Center.

Please consider these letters representative of the  
opinion of the management of Jon Anthony's.

John F. Melwin



President

Jon Anthony's Inc.

Sirs:

I am stunned at the suggestion of this totally unprofessional act. I briefly give my opinion in hopes that proper action will be taken. If America is to be the best, Quality is demanded. A signature of excellence on ones work is a proud benefit from our performance. With this unprofessional weakness instilled in our already infected profession, can we be so proud? "No!"

I suggest rules and regulations. I demand them of myself, and expect the same from others. Is this unreasonable??

Let's be the best! —  
Let's be intelligent, informed,  
and motivated!

Thank you  
Fam. Collins

August 11, 1983

Sir:

The thought of terminating the state-board disgusts me! I am a "professional" hairstylist, and have worked hard to uphold the professionalism our career requires. How can you even consider the idea? Without any set requirements or standards our profession will be a mockery! I am totally against this absurd request. Please consider all the work we have instilled to create a professional environment - don't pollute it!!

Rita Kuczynski

TO: WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:.....

I am appalled at the very idea of letting just anyone from off the street ( which means anyone without a HAIR DRESSERS LICENCE ) practice hair dressing. I went through 1 1/2 years of Beauty School day and night and also worked to pay my way through. Just to think that all of my studying and hard ships have been for nothing has me extremely up-set. We Licensed hair-dressers have enough trouble undoing others mistakes, without having just anyone that might happen to walk down a aisle of a drug store pick up a box of color, or someone else just might happen to purchase a pair of scissors from a grocery store and call themselves a HAIR DRESSER. THE THOUGHT OF THIS HAPPENING APPALLS ME TO NO END.....

CHERYL FREEMAN  
Nails Technician  
Anchorage, Alaska 99503  
LICENSED HAIRDRESSER

Dear Mr. Traeger,

I am seriously concerned about the Sunset Legislation and terminations of Licensure for Barber, Hair Dresser, + Cosmetology. I am currently licensed as Both Hair dresser + Cosmetologist.

I feel my prior education + training have been essential in promoting consistency of instruction and subsequently, maintaining higher standards for the Profession.

Hair Dressing + Cosmetology profession has become more complex in the last 10 yrs. (Chemical work has become more complex in Permanent waving coloring Relaxing Etc., necessitating an on going education in the field.

Terminating licensing will lower the standards we have worked so hard to establish. This will "Open the Doors" for uneducated, untrained individuals. Terminating licensing in Alaska, will also make it difficult to compete with other states in these professions.

I feel that we should Not lose our licenses and should continue to maintain high standards in the hair Dressing + Cosmetology professions..

Just Remember after the Sunset, Darkness always follows,

Sincerely  
Cindy McCarter

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING

BILL SHEFFIELD, GOVERNOR

POUCH D  
JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811  
PHONE: (907) 465-2534


DATE: June 9, 1983

TO: All Licensed Barbers, Hairdressers and Cosmetologists

The Board of Barbers and Hairdressers is now under Sunset Legislation and is due to terminate on June 30, 1984. Professionals licensed by the board are asked to submit their opinions on whether the board should be terminated or continued. Additionally, we are seeking suggestions for improvements to the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers. All responses will be given serious consideration.

Please address all replies to me at the following:

State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

  
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Harry D. Treager, Director

*Board should  
continued*

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August 15, 1983

Harry D. Treager  
Director  
State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce  
& Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99911

Dear Mr. Treager:

This is in response to your letter dated June 9, 1983, regarding the termination of the 'Board of Barbers and Hairdressers'.

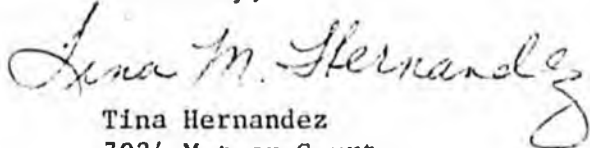
The Board ensures that future hairdressers are aware of the profession and what it entails. (The proper utilization of chemicals, i.e. perms, colors, bleaches, relaxers and the effects they have on hair; proper sanitation and use of instruments, and recognizing communicable diseases, such as lice, dandruff, etc.)

The discontinuance of the State Board would be negligent to the safety and well-being of the public. You are allowing any person, (ex; an ex-construction worker) to own his own business. Since he would not be required to have a certified license, proving his capabilities and knowledge in the field, a \$25 business license would entitle him to jeopardize the health and safety of the public.

To guarantee the continued professionalism required in our field, and to avoid the unnecessary legal burden assumed when nonprofessionals are allowed unlimited rights in this business, I sincerely support the continuance of the 'Board of Barbers and Hairdressers'.

Attached is a list of other LICENSED hairdressers who feel the same.

Sincerely,



Tina Hernandez  
7024 Meteor Court  
Anchorage, AK 99504  
License #AA428

TH/pjr

attachment

Debra K. Bryson  
4634 Kupreanof  
Anch. AK. 99501  
907-563-7060

Lyn Ann Rupe  
4300 Cope St.  
Anch. AK. 99503  
907-561-8752

Marilyn M. Capps (# AA 1570)  
201 E. 16<sup>th</sup> Ave #204  
Anchorage, Alaska

Lynna Malina  
311 Pettis Rd (# AA 2604)  
Anch. Ak. 99502  
907-3497771

Jane Fritsch  
Doris Headline Beauty Salon  
1237 W. 27<sup>th</sup> Ave  
Anchorage, Alaska, 99503

Jo Ann Hallander

Kathleen B. Aloia

Phyllis L. Chudzik (Wa license 209-05 0082024)

Florence K. Williams L. K. Hair Studio

Donna Munsen Alaska A.D.

Janet Wyatt

9-2-83

Mr Harry Treager

I received the letter you send regarding the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Personally I feel very strong about this and I think that the Board should certainly be continued. I also feel they should be carefully selected so we don't have a repeat of the item in the paper concerning the falsification of grades. After all it is the only way we can be sure the applicants have the knowledge required to take care of patrons properly.

At the present time

the state is plagued with  
people who have not put  
in the hours and have  
not passed the Board,  
yet are doing hair.

If we terminate the  
Board we will have  
many more people who  
have failed the Board go  
ahead and practice. A  
person who does not  
know what they are doing  
can cause many problems.

I hope you will keep me  
informed on this, I am  
very interested, as it does  
concern my profession.

Thank you

Carlton H. Neitzel

Box 4557

Soldotna, Alaska

Barber License #

99669

0346

9 September 1983

State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce &  
Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Juneau, Alaska 99811 Pouch D

Subject: Board of Barbers and Hairdressers

Reference your letter dated 9 June 1983, concerning above subject.

First let me state out-right that I am in favor of retaining the Board.

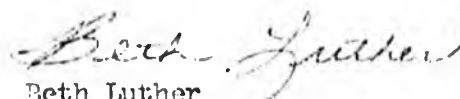
The professions require controls so that the public may be protected.

Recently there has been an increase in the number of women (and men) in the profession (Hairdressers & Cosmetologists), that are not fully capable, or professional. What has happened? It appears that the controls have already been eased.

Without a State Board, the problem will increase with any one, with little effort, be-coming a "glorified beautician". We would lose our credibility with the other states, not to mention our own people, who are aware of our professional integrity.

We have been a fine example in the past, let it also be said of us in the future.

Sincerely,



Beth Luther  
404 Standish St  
Anchorage, AK 99504

BL/lr

August 19, 1983  
13019 Medio Drive  
San Antonio, Texas  
78253

State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce &  
Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Sirs:

I am writing in response to Mister Treager's letter of June 9, 1983. We barbers, hairdressers and cosmetologists perform services, which; if done improperly, could be detrimental to the well being of our clientele. A stringent education and training program is required to minimize the possibility of this occurring. A state controlled agency is an absolute must to ensure that each student pursuing a vocation in barbering, hairdressing or cosmetology receives an adequate education and is appropriately certified to function in that field at the completion of training.

I cannot justify the termination of the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Sincerely,



Shu H. Robinette



8/16/83

To Harry Treager,

I received your letter about the Sunset  
Legislation. Time certainly does fly, it seems as if  
we just got through with the last battle to keep  
our board. I think we definitely need to keep the  
Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Change is difficult and improvement  
are sometimes just as difficult. One suggestion I might  
have is to have volunteer examiners to aid the  
board. This would keep cost down, have exams more  
often in more cities. The volunteers would have to  
meet requirements, possibly like those of an instructor.  
But I think the students should be questioned  
orally or by written exam on every aspect of our  
profession.

Sincerely,  
Sherwin  
3-6000 Suite 101  
Juncos CA 99801

AUGUST 10, 1983

HARRY D. TREAGER  
STATE OF ALASKA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT  
DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING

DEAR MR. TREAGER,

IN REGARDS TO YOUR LETTER OF JUNE 9, 1983, I WOULD LIKE TO  
SUBMIT MY OPINION PERTAINING TO THE FUTURE OF THE STATE BOARD OF  
BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS.

WITH ALL OF THE NECESSARY DECISIONS THAT OUR LAWMAKERS HAVE,  
I CANNOT CONCEIVE WHY THEY WOULD CONSIDER MAKING A DECISION ON  
AN ISSUE THAT SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN RAISED.

HAVING BEEN AN EMPLOYEE, AS WELL AS AN EMPLOYER, IN THE  
COSMETOLOGY FIELD, FOR THE PAST TWENTY-TWO YEARS, LET ME STATE  
THAT WE NEED THE PROTECTION OF THE BOARD. MANY TRADES HAVE A  
LICENSING BOARD GOVERNING THEM AND CERTAINLY, THIS IS ONE WAY  
WE MAINTAIN OUR PROFESSIONALISM.

OUR SHOPS MUST CONTINUE TO PRESERVE THE HIGH STANDARDS FOR OUR  
PROFESSION THAT WE HAVE HAD IN THE PAST. THE ENSUING EFFECTS OF  
TERMINATING THE STATE BOARD WOULD BE DISASTROUS. IT WOULD MEAN  
THE LOSS OF SECURITY FOR THE PUBLIC IMAGE WE HAVE TO MAINTAIN.

CAN THE AVERAGE PERSON TELL THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN REGULAR  
DANDRUFF AND SEBORRHEA DERMATITIS? DO YOU THINK THEY COULD  
TELL WHEN A SIMPLE SKIN MOLE SUDDENLY LOOKS LIKE A SUSPICIOUS,  
POSSIBLE MELANOMA? IT IS NOT MY INTENTION TO MAKE MYSELF APPEAR  
A DOCTOR. HOWEVER, BECAUSE OF YEARS OF TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE,  
THERE HAVE BEEN MANY INSTANCES IN WHICH I HAVE ADVISED A CLIENT  
TO SEEK IMMEDIATE MEDICAL ATTENTION, ONLY TO FIND THAT MY  
SUSPICIONS WERE WELL FOUNDED BUT THE MATTER HAD GONE UNNOTICED  
BY THE CLIENT.

THERE ARE SO MANY CHEMICAL COMBINATIONS THAT ARE USED IN OUR  
WORK THAT TO PUT THESE IN THE HANDS OF UNQUALIFIED PEOPLE WOULD  
BE DANGEROUS. WE MUST RETAIN LICENSES TO KEEP RESPECTABILITY  
IN OUR PROFESSION. FOR YEARS, MANY PEOPLE SOUGHT TO UPGRADE THE  
PUBLIC'S OPINION OF HAIRDRESSERS, AND WITH THE HIGHLY  
TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCES WE HAVE MADE, HAVE CREATED AN IMAGE OF A  
HIGHLY QUALIFIED AND KNOWLEDGEABLE INDIVIDUAL. WHY WOULD YOU  
WANT TO RETURN US TO THE THOUGHTS OF THE DARK AGES AGAIN?

THE TERMINATION OF THE STATE BOARD WOULD BE DEVASTATING TO THE  
SHOP OWNERS HERE IN ALASKA, AS WELL AS ANYWHERE IN THE COUNTRY.

SHOP OWNERS WOULD NO LONGER BE IN A POSITION TO INSURE THAT THEIR CLIENTELE WOULD BE ADMINISTERED TO BY A "QUALIFIED" STAFF. AND, WITHOUT THIS FACTOR, THE SHOPS WOULD EVENTUALLY LOSE THEIR STANDING IN THE COMMUNITY.

THEREFORE, I SINCERELY URGE YOU TO DO EVERYTHING WITHIN YOUR POWER TO SAFEGUARD OUR INDUSTRY.

THANKING YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE YOU, I REMAIN

RESPECTFULLY YOURS,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Shirley Ann Viviano". The signature is written in dark ink and is centered on the page.

SHIRLEY ANN VIVIANO

1436 Stacia Street  
Fairbanks, Alaska 99701

August 24, 1983

Mr. Harry D. Treager, Director  
State of Alaska, Department of Commerce and  
Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licenses  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Treager:

In response to your letter, dated June 9, 1983, please be advised that I am firmly in support of maintaining the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

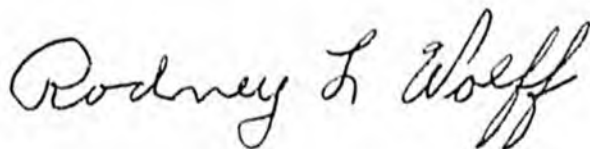
Health examinations, certification of qualifications, evidence of proper training and internships is essential to the provision of good service to the public sector. Examples of lax licensing and control procedures can be seen in California, Oregon and Washington in the early 1920's and 1930's, and it seems ludicrous to provide opportunity for these procedures to be relaxed so those types of problems can be repeated. It is human nature to take advantage of such opportunities.

I am the oldest barber in Fairbanks, Alaska (at 81 years of age), and my experience tells me that controls and licensing through a State organization are absolutely essential.

If I can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully yours,

PASTTIME BARBERSHOP



Rodney L. Wolff

RLW:su/jb

August 30, 1983

Harry Treager, Director  
Dept of Commerce & Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D.  
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Dear Mr. Treager:

In regard to your letter of June 9, 1983 addressing the Board of Hairdressers, Barbers and Cosmetologists:

It is my opinion that the Board needs more representation from Southeast Alaska and that these persons should represent each field; i.e., barber, hairdresser, etc. I also feel that all aspects of hair care should be defined by the board in order to better establish professional guidelines. Every ruling made by the board needs to have follow-up to make sure everyone is complying with whatever is set down by the board. There is little follow-up in Southeast Alaska and therefore compliance is not met by those practicing here.

Sincerely,



Elmo Kienbaum  
Shop owner, barber-hairstylist

Oct. 15, 1933

Dept. of Commerce  
Division of Occupational Lic.  
Director Harry Treager

Dear Harry:

This letter is in regards to your letter seeking suggestions for improvements to the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

First of all, I can't believe so much time has gone by since I recieved this letter, sorry I havn't replied sooner.

I think the Board is very important. I know it maybe hard for someone not licensed in the profession to realize this bud I feel only persons in the profession should be examining for licensing no matter if we are talking about Doctors, Dentist, Barbers, etc...

Ithink the Board has come a long way in the past three years specially if one remembers 1930 and Bill 544.

One thing I would like to see is the Board gain the power to funtion better and more thoroughly.

I know as a past Board member, the Board is definitely on the right tract to set-up a very good system with thanks to you for being so extremely helpful.

Sincerely,  
Bud Smith



Oct. 27, 1983  
Barbara Underwood  
PO Box 2126  
Palmer, Nc 99645

Dear Mr. Deagan,

The fact that it is even being thought of to terminate the Board is the most ridiculous thing I've ever heard of. I think it should be continued.

I don't know enough about the state Board to add any more suggestions. Except maybe maybe not make a student so tense when she's at state board. Just the thought of the test is enough to fear without having to worry about how strict they will be.

Thank You  
Barbara Underwood

WHITTIER ALASKA 99693  
P.O. BOX 727  
(907) 472 2350

November 8, 1983

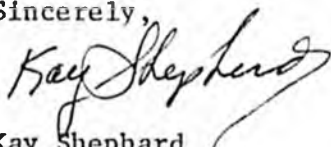
Harry D. Treager  
Director  
State of Alaska  
Department of Commerce & Economic Development  
Division of Occupational Licensing  
Pouch D-LIC  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Mr. Treager:

In answer to your letter, June 9, 1983, requesting opinions on whether the Board of Cosmetology should be terminated or continued, I believe that Cosmetology is an important profession and it is imperative that we make every effort to maintain the high standards that have been promulgated to date. To disband the board, the State of Alaska would be taking a definite step backward.

I would like to add, also, that the teachers in Alaskan Beauty Schools should be required to take advanced training in presentation and teaching techniques as do the teachers in our public school system.

Sincerely,



Kay Shephard

December 7, 1983

Dear State of Alaska,

Regarding your letter dated June 9, 1983: It is my opinion that there should be a Board of Barbers and Hairdressers in existence. It is a much needed department. The level of professionalism and expertise should not be downgraded. The Board should consist of professional members in the field as well as non-professionals, this would only give the best experience of both fields. The Board should keep up to date in the profession and set the standards. A nationalized test of proficiency could be employed perhaps, in keeping with the modern trends as well as the important basics.

I also believe that the physical locations of establishments should be checked and reviewed more thoroughly, to keep a high standard for all to follow.

I disagree with the high price of licensing in Alaska. It is far above other states and the renewal fee is very high also. I hold a license in three states: Utah, Texas and Alaska. When Utah raised the licensing fee 200% +, the licensed operators complained and the renewal fee was adjusted. I think it is only fair for the licensed operators to have a word in what goes on. If the fees are to be kept as high as other professionals such as doctors, lawyers and realtors, then our salaries should be adjusted thereto.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment and I will look forward to your response and the result of future legislation.

Sincerely,

*Elizabeth Reynolds Niedric*

Elizabeth Reynolds Niedric

P.O. Box 1501

Clovis, N.M. 88101

ANCHORAGE ALASKA  
SCHOOL OF BARBERING

3519 MT. VIEW DRIVE  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99504

907/274-0732

December 27, 1983

Dear Mr. Treager, -

As the owner of Anchorage Alaska Barber College for the past year, I feel the state Board of Examiners has been very professional and effective in their grading of students.

As instructor I feel it is necessary for an outside unbiased group of examiners to observe, test, and grade students.

I support the state Board wholeheartedly and feel they should not be sunsetted.

I appreciated your attendance at the hairdresser's meeting, you clarified many things and encouraged our group with many fine points.

Cordially, Larry G. Whitehead

ANCHORAGE ALASKA  
SCHOOL OF BARBERING

3519 MT. VIEW DRIVE  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99504

907/274-0732

Dec 27, 1983

Dear Mr. Treager,

As a former student of the Anchorage Alaska Barber College and presently an instructor at the same college I have had several opportunities to require the supervision of the Barber & Beauty Board or it's members individually. Each time they have presented themselves professionally, cooperatively and pleasantly.

They seem to be very interested and concerned with many aspects of our profession that all individuals, public & professional, fail to realize or appreciate.

My expressed wish is that not only will the Barber & Beauty Board continue but also that their authority increase in the public's behalf as well as the practitioners.

Linda Clark

ANCHORAGE ALASKA  
SCHOOL OF BARBERING

3519 MT. VIEW DRIVE  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA 99504

12/23/83

907/274-0732

Dear Mr Treager,

As a student attending the Anchorage Barber College, I support the State Board as it is !!

I feel that it is very important for a person trying to get a license for a Barber, Instructor, or even trying to be a board member, has to attend a school and take a board exam. Then passing the exam with at least a 75% average!

Joann Holland

JoAnn Holland  
8420 RYOAKS A.  
Anch. AK  
99504

Jan 5, 1984

Dear Mr. Tweager,

I am a licensed  
Hairdresser and I am greatly opposed  
to the termination of the Board.

In the past students had to  
study and know what they were  
doing to be allowed to practice. If  
the board was terminated it would  
mean certain deterioration in quality  
of work and respect of the public to the  
professional field of Hairdressing.

The only complaints I have about  
the existing board is the wait and  
about the qualifications of the board  
members.

Again I urge you to reconsider  
and do not dispose of the Board of Barber  
and Hairdressers.

Sincerely,  
Barbara McAlpin

ATTN.

MR. HARRY D. TRENGER, DIRECTOR

State of ALASKA

Dept. of Commerce & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Div. of OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING

Pouch D-LIC

JUNEAU, ALASKA 99811

DERRY W. LEWIS

2206 TONGASS

KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

99901

DEAR MR. TRENGER,

THIS letter is in response to the  
JUNE 30<sup>th</sup>, 1984, SUNSET LEGISLATION, of the  
BOARD OF BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS.

I, AS A PROFESSIONAL of the BARBERING  
trade, have the opinion, it is of the  
utmost importance to keep the board of  
BARBERS & HAIRDRESSERS intact.

I believe that without this very important  
BOARD of EXAMINATION the welfare of the  
public is AT STAKE in the state of ALASKA.  
THE public in this state would be

ENDANGERED, because this profession would be left open to any person to become licensed in this field without the proper testing, education, or training, now required of the professionals of this field, to procure the health and safety of the general public.

I believe the BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR BARBERING AND HAIRDRESSING GENERATES ENOUGH REVENUE thru licensing to FAR SURPASS THE EXPENSES, AND SHOULD BE LEFT INTACT TO REGULATE THE POLICIES AND HIGH STANDARDS OF OUR PROFESSION.

I respectfully request SERIOUS CONSIDERATION be given to retaining the board of barbers & hairdressers.

THANK YOU, KINDLY  
FOR YOUR ATTENTION.

Sincerely  
Derry St. Lewis



Manuel Norat, Allen & Associates  
601 E. Northern Lights Blvd. - Anchorage, Alaska

Harry D. Treager.

The best to you & yours.

The ombline board is needed. Hairdressers have already put hairings clipper hair cuts in their shops. Barbers need chemical work in their shops, making them whole, rounded hair persons.

A barbers association is started in Anchorage, with this constant flow between our board, act. & signature we will see growth in both hairdressers & barbers.

We need more active inspections in shops (not for harassment, but helpful, healthful inspections) if ones shops isn't up to health standards for the barbers, hairdressers own good, education (how) & what look about it. It doesn't take any longer to do things right & healthful. Our duty to the public.

Phone (907) 274-3204  
(907) 277-3205





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Manuel Norat, Allen & Associates  
601 E. Northern Lights Blvd. - Anchorage, Alaska

The board is needed. Unity of the boards was a step in the right direction. There is a place for barbers & hairdressers & always will be working together will only increase effective growth in our fields.

The board needs more power in allowing them to inspect numerous of persons working without licenses. This is a concern for public & professionals. There are rules & licensing is an important one. Board members should have the power to stop a person from working in this case!

A board member should be able to issue a permit for out of state people with a license of equal level to work until their paper work is

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(907) 277-3205

completed in Juneau.



The last license major problem (time, in action, from Juneau)



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Manuel Norat, Allen & Associates  
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The suggestion of no board is a step backwards. The board is needed to keep the schools in check as the school is needed to keep the board in check. All should work together for the best of all. Being on earth we need checks & balances.

Good inspection, boards, standards, schools, can easily be understood. One only has to talk with, see, for themselves, the work that is done on military bases, where this is not required.

We repair & finish work from the base at times. I always feel sorry for them having to pay civilian prices because their base post, standards, inspection, requirements are not as ours. We should take a

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(907) 277-3205





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Manuel Norat, Allen & Associates  
601 E. Northern Lights Blvd. - Anchorage, Alaska

Step into progress not  
backwards. We need our  
boards.

If no board, could  
you please outline & clarify  
what the state would, does  
have in mind.

Thank You  
for your time

Allen Anderson

Phone (907) 274-3204  
(907) 277-3205





GEORGIA C. SKANNES  
3711 Baranof  
Ketchikan, Alaska 99901  
907-225-2459

February 17, 1984

Senator Richard Eliason  
Alaska State Senate  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Dick,

I would like to take this opportunity to ask your support for SB 435; to extend the termination date of the State Board of Barbers and Hairdressers to June 30, 1988; introduced by the Senate Labor and Commerce Committee.

This Sunset Legislation would allow unlicensed individuals to operate without taking a State exam.

For those of us who have the required 2,000 hours to be licensed by the State of Alaska, it seems unfair. I have had my license for Hairdressing since 1971. Although I am not a practicing hairdresser, I have had to keep up my fees to keep my license.

There is already a problem with the local shops employing unlicensed individuals without the required number of hours. The number of hours and money that we have invested over the years should account for more control.

Please feel free to make copies of this letter to forward to the appropriate committees.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

*Georgia C. Skannes*  
Georgia C. Skannes  
Hairdresser

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TO: SENATORS ELIASON, MULCAHY, PETTYJOHN, RODEY, AND SACKETT

FROM: DONNA NYONG  
604 COPPERBRUSH COURT  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99502  
(H) 349-5128 (W) 243-0727

RE: SENATE BILL 435

I AM A LICENSED STYLIST AND I HAVE WORKED HARD FOR THIS. PLEASE  
RETAIN STATE BOARD OF HAIRDRESSERS.

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TO: SENATORS RODEY, SACKETT, PETTYJOHN, MULCAHY AND ELIASON

FROM: VEDA REID  
6861 JEWELL LAKE ROAD  
ANCHORAGE, AK 99502  
(H) 344-5136 (W) 243-0727

RE: SENATE BILL 435

I ENDORSE THE STATE BOARD; WE NEED OUR LICENSURE.

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TO: SENATORS ELIASON, MULCAHY PETTYJOHN, RODEY AND SACKETT

FROM: JAN MARTIN, 2752 W 42ND PLACE, APT 3, ANCHORAGE 99503  
H 243-7506 W 243-0727

RE SB435, BOARD BARBERS/HAIRDRESSERS

I WOULD LIKE YOU TO RETAIN THE BOARD FOR LICENSING HAIRDRESSING.

January 26, 1984  
P. O. Box 473  
Juneau, Alaska 99802-473

The Honorable Senator Bill Ray  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Senate  
Pouch V  
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Senator Ray:

I am writing this letter to urge you to introduce a bill on the floor of the Senate to keep the Board of Barbers and Hairdressers.

Our Board is up for Sunset Review again and I wish to make it known that I, as a professional hairdresser and local salon owner, do not want to see our board dissolved.

I want to help protect my profession for the safety of the public as well as the protection of the many other professionals in this State. If unlicensed people are allowed to perform services on customers without the proper training it can be harmful to the consumer. For instance, if performing a service that involves the use of chemicals and a mistake is made it can do much more than just turn someones hair green, it can cause irreversible damage such as deafness, blindness, and scarring. We attend schools and apprentice programs to learn these important things. We take great pride in the professional services we have to offer the public. If our board is dissolved it will cause a great many problems statewide.

Senator Ray, I appeal to you to please help us in any way that you can. Thank you for listening.

Sincerely,  
Julie

*Julie Huber Ward*

Julie Huber Ward

October 13, 1983

Thank you very much for your message concerning the sunset review of the Barbers and Hairdressers Board. The legislative audit recommended that the life of the board not be extended, and the Department of Commerce and Economic Development concurred in the decision, so I had not realized that a problem existed. I appreciate your taking the time to bring this situation to my attention.

I have taken the liberty of forwarding your letter to the Senate Committee on Labor and Commerce (Senator Dick Eliason, Chairman) in order that the members of the committee be alerted to the fact that objections to the decision to sunset the board do exist. I would hope that the committee will review the situation and make a recommendation to the Legislature based on their findings. In the meantime, further correspondence should be addressed to the Senate Committee on Labor and Commerce, Pouch V, Juneau, Alaska, 99811.

If I may be of any further assistance, please feel free to contact me at either of the addresses listed above.

Sincerely,

H. Pappy Moss

October 19, 1983

Rocky Plotnik-Weller  
Labor and Commerce Committee  
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Dear Rocky:

Enclosed are some more letters we received on the sunset review of the Barbers and Hairdressers Board. Thank you for your help in this matter.

Sincerely,

Constance Baltuck  
Secretary to Senator Moss