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House Bill 4335 (Substitute S-1 as reported)
Sponsor: Representative Jeff Yaroch
House Committee: Regulatory Reform
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CONTENT

The bill would amend Article 11 (Barbers) and Article 12 (Cosmetologists) of the Occupational Code to specify that, for the purposes of certain classroom study and training requirements, if a student of a barber college were licensed as a cosmetologist under the Code (or if a student of a school of cosmetology were licensed as a barber), that barber college or school of cosmetology could allow the student to substitute hours of instruction completed at a State barber college/school of cosmetology for hours of instruction that were substantially similar in content to hours of instruction at the school of cosmetology/State barber college. However, a school of cosmetology/barber college could not allow a student to substitute more than 1,000 hours of substantially similar instruction from a State barber college/school of cosmetology for hours of instruction at the State barber college/school of cosmetology.

The Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs would have to establish by rule criteria for determining whether an hour of instruction at a State barber college was substantially similar to an hour of instruction at a school of cosmetology.

In addition, the bill would make various revisions to the Code, including the following:

- Require a school of cosmetology to ensure that a licensed instructor supervised a demonstration if a specialist demonstrator gave a classroom demonstration.
- Require the premises of a cosmetology school to be completely separated by full partitions and doors from any other activity, business, or dwelling.
- Delete training provisions pertaining to a school of cosmetology or a cosmetology establishment conducting an apprenticeship program.
- Allow a school of cosmetology and a State barber college to occupy the same building and share facilities.

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FISCAL IMPACT

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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