

**Arkansas Department of Health  
Cosmetology Technical Advisory Committee**

March 18, 2013

9 a.m.

Freeway Medical Building  
5800 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Ste. 801, Little Rock, AR

**Cosmetology Technical Advisory Members:**

*Present:*

**Kimberly Ford  
Jacqueline Reynolds  
Sandy Davis  
Rebecca Arguello**

**Cosmetology Technical Advisory Members:**

*Absent:*

**Andrea Fuentes  
Jeannie Bonds  
Roger Barnes**

**ADH – Cosmetology Staff Members:**

*Present:*

**Kelli Kersey, Cosmetology Section Chief  
Rick Hogan, ADH Attorney  
Rose Horner, Cosmetology Inspector  
Lavonne Lester Cosmetology Inspector  
Ken Roberts, Inspector Supervisor  
Kerri Glaude, Cosmetology Inspector**

**Teri Preachers, Admin. Specialist  
Amanda Weeks, Admin. Specialist  
Brenda Morgan, Cosmetology Inspector  
Vera Wood, Cosmetology Inspector  
Donnie Smith, Director, CHP  
Renee Mallory, Branch Chief, HSLR**

**General Public:**

*Present:*

**Lori Fischbach  
Jenita Hughes  
Deanna Speer  
Tracey Akard**

**Chris Strawn  
Trish Anderson  
Andrea Wilson  
Dorothy House**

## **Proceedings:**

*Meeting called to order* at 9:00 a.m.

*Meeting Minutes* – A motion was made by Rebecca Arguello and seconded by Sandy Davis to accept the January 28, 2013 meeting minutes. Motion approved.

*Paid Violations* – A motion was made by Rebecca Arguello and seconded by Jacqueline Davis to approve the listing of paid violations. Motion approved.

*UAMS* – Lori Fischbach with UAMS provided a presentation about the school's intent to apply for a grant for Skin Cancer education for cosmetology students. Lori explained students in cosmetology schools would be educated regarding recognizing skin cancer while performing cosmetology services. Cosmetology schools would potentially be asked to give information to their students. Lori promised everyone more information would be coming.

### ***Program Updates -***

*United States Department of Education* – Rick Hogan discussed Postsecondary certification for Cosmetology Schools. Mr. Hogan explained he had contacted the Federal Department of Education who told him it did not appear states would be held to the July 1, 2013 to have required language in place for private cosmetology schools. Several audience members voiced concerns. It was agreed Mr. Hogan would work with Trish Anderson for language for a potential legislative solution.

### ***General Business -***

- Rebecca Arguello and Kim Ford mentioned the proposed Bill, SB360. Senate Bill 360 would take Cosmetology licensing from the Department and place back under an independent Board. Much discussion followed regarding the Bill. The date, time and place for the Senate Public Health Committee were given to all present.

### ***Public Comments –***

- The following were suggestions from the general public:
  - Inspection of public cosmetology schools
  - Rules and Regulations translated into Spanish and Vietnamese
  - Email addresses of committee members
  - New Business and Old Business discussed in each meeting
  - More positive communication to Cosmetology Schools from the office
  - Better follow up on problems or suggestions
  - Sub-committees report back information

Department staff agreed to look at all suggestions and report on each during the meeting scheduled for May.

***Re-Election of Officers*** – Discussion took place regarding the election of annual officers not having been done in August 2012. It was decided since new members should be in place in August of this year, elections could occur at that time.

A motion was made by Jacqueline Reynolds and seconded by Sandy Davis to adjourn the meeting at 10:56 am.