



Arizona Senate Bill 1401 will exempt persons who dry, style, arrange, dress, curl, hot iron, or shampoo and condition hair the if service does not include applying reactive chemicals to permanently straighten, curl or alter the structure of the hair from licensing requirements

[Arizona Senate Bill 1401 Full Text](#)

#### Hearing Information

The House Regulatory Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on Senate Bill 1401 this Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, at 2pm at the Arizona Capitol Museum (1700 W Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007) in House Hearing Room 5. There is free parking across the street. Enter the House building (north building), go through security, tell them you are there for the Regulatory Affairs Committee Hearing Room 5.

[If you have attended a hearing before, you may use this link to register to speak or leave a comment.](#) If you have not registered before, you can use a kiosk at the Capitol prior to the hearing (Ask for the RTS system prior to entering the hearing room. It is on the first floor down the right hallway. Follow the prompts and make an account and sign up to speak.)

Best practice for commenting on a bill via a letter or in person at the hearing:

At the hearing, time is usually limited, so be brief and direct. Written testimony should not be read at committee hearings. Committee staff will distribute copies of written testimony to members of the committee if you bring a sufficient number -- one for each member (7 members). Writing your comments in outline form will be helpful when you speak, and you should summarize your written testimony. For both written and in-person comments:

- Introduce yourself and your job title/profession.
- Share the name of your salon or business and the location where you live or do business.
- Clearly state your position.
- Use personal anecdotes. Explain your position with facts and use personal stories and numbers when possible.
- This legislation affects you and your clients; politely and respectfully make sure the committee members understand the personal ramifications or benefits resulting from their actions.

#### Contacts

For questions on how to best get involved, contact Kati Rapoza, Advocacy Programs Manager, Professional Beauty Association: [kati@probeauty.org](mailto:kati@probeauty.org).

For questions specific to the content of the bill, contact Bridget Sharpe, State Legislation Manager, Professional Beauty Association: [bridget@probeauty.org](mailto:bridget@probeauty.org).