Article 56 - Licenses Section 482(a) Annotated Code of Maryland (1983 Replacement Volume and 1987 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article 56 - Licenses

482.

- (a) (1) The Board may not permit a person to take an examination to receive a certificate as an operator unless the person:
 - (i) Is at least 17 years of age;
- (ii) Has an eighth grade education or its equivalent; and
- (iii) Has been registered as a student and has had training, as hereinafter provided in this subtitle, in a beauty school duly registered by the Board, or by another state having substantially equivalent or more stringent standards for registration than those imposed by § 485 of this subtitle, and allowing persons trained in Maryland beauty schools to take their State examination after 1,500 hours training, or has served as an apprentice in an approved beauty shop for a period of not less than two years.
- (2) However, any person who has previously completed training in and is licensed in this State as a journeyman barber shall be given 50 percent credit towards meeting the requirements of paragraph (1). Subject to \$485(a)(6) of this subtitle, the Board shall determine the manner in which the credits are applied.
- (3) However, any person enrolled in a beauty school conducted by the United States Department of Defense, Office of Dependent Schools shall be given credit on an hour-by-hour basis toward meeting the requirement of paragraph (1) of this subsection.
- (4)--HOWEVER,-ANY-PERSON-WHO-HAS--AT--LEAST--6--MONTHS
 WORK--EXPERIENCE-AS-A-LICENSED-COSMETOLOGIST-IN-ANOTHER-STATE-MAY
 TAKE-AN-EXAMINATION-TO-RECEIVE-A-CERTIFICATE-AS-AN-OPERATOR;
- (4) HOWEVER, A PERSON WHO IS A LICENSED COSMETOLOGIST IN ANOTHER STATE MAY TAKE AN EXAMINATION TO RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE AS AN OPERATOR IF THE PERSON: