(4) IF AN APPLICANT HAS BEEN ENROLLED IN A COSMETOLOGY SCHOOL THAT THE OFFICE OF DEPENDENTS' EDUCATION OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OPERATES, THE BOARD SHALL GIVE THE APPLICANT CREDIT ON AN HOUR-FOR-HOUR BASIS TOWARD MEETING THE TRAINING REQUIREMENTS OF PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION.

(E) EXAMINATION.

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SUBTITLE, THE APPLICANT SHALL PASS AN EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE BOARD UNDER THIS SUBTITLE.

(F) SCHOOLS IN OTHER STATES.

IF AN APPLICANT HAS BEEN TRAINED IN A COSMETOLOGY SCHOOL IN ANOTHER STATE, THE BOARD MAY ALLOW THE APPLICANT TO TAKE THE EXAMINATION ONLY IF THAT STATE:

- (1) HAS STANDARDS SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT TO OR MORE STRINGENT THAN THE STANDARDS UNDER §§ 5-512 AND 5-513 OF THIS TITLE; AND
- (2) ALLOWS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS BEEN TRAINED IN A COSMETOLOGY SCHOOL IN THIS STATE TO TAKE A COSMETOLOGIST'S EXAMINATION AFTER THE INDIVIDUAL HAS COMPLETED 1,500 HOURS OF TRAINING.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) of this section is new language added to introduce the basic requirements for an applicant for a license.

Subsections (b) through (d) and (f) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 482(a).

Subsection (e) of this section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 56, § 481, as that section related to passing an examination to practice cosmetology, and rephrased in standard language used throughout this article.

In subsections (c) and (d)(1)(ii) of this section, the words "completed successfully" and "successfully completing" are added to state expressly that which only was implied in the former law -- i.e., the required level of education must be evidenced by successful completion of a certain program.

In subsection (d)(1)(i) of this section, the word "registered" is added to modify "apprentice" since an apprentice must be registered by the Board. See § 5-401(b) of this title.