

By Mr. Shea of Worcester, petition of the Mass. State Labor Council and C. Vincent Shea for legislation to further regulate the operation of barber shops and beauty parlors. Government Regulations.

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**The Commonwealth of Massachusetts**

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Five.

AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE OPERATION OF BARBER SHOPS AND BEAUTY PARLORS.

1    *Whereas*, The deferred operation of this act would tend to  
2 defeat its purpose, which is to further regulate forthwith the  
3 operation of barber shops and beauty parlors, therefore it is  
4 hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the  
5 immediate preservation of the public convenience.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1    The second paragraph of Section 92A of Chapter 272 of the  
2 General Laws, as appearing in section 1 of chapter 418 of the  
3 acts of 1971, is hereby amended by striking out clause (10) and  
4 inserting in place thereof the following clause: — (10) a hospital,  
5 dispensary or clinic operating for profit; provided, however, that  
6 with regard to the prohibition on sex discrimination, barber  
7 shops, beauty parlors, and those establishments which rent  
8 rooms on a temporary or permanent basis for the exclusive use  
9 of persons of the same sex shall not be considered places of  
10 public accommodation. - The foregoing exemption shall not  
11 apply to any other part of such an establishment.

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