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ELIMINATING MINIMUM TIME REQUIREMENTS FOR PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

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3	LONG TITLE
4	General Description:
5	This bill addresses the educational and experience requirements for certain professions.
6	Highlighted Provisions:
7	This bill:
8	eliminates the requirement that an applicant for one of the following licenses complete
9	certain educational or experience requirements within a minimum time period: funeral service
0	director, barber, esthetician, audiologist, massage therapist, and psychologist; and
1	 prohibits the Division of Real Estate from requiring an applicant for an appraiser license
2	to complete the educational or experience requirements within a minimum time period.
3	Money Appropriated in this Bill:
4	None
5	Other Special Clauses:
6	None
7	Utah Code Sections Affected:
8	AMENDS:
9	58-9-302, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2022, Chapter 415
20	58-11a-302, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 285, 409
21	58-41-5, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 339
22	58-47b-302, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapter 225
23	58-61-304, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 339
24	61-2g-311, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2014, Chapter 350
25	61-2g-313, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2014, Chapter 350

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27	Be it	t enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
28		Section 1. Section 58-9-302 is amended to read:
29		58-9-302 . Qualifications for licensure.
30	(1)	Each applicant for licensure as a funeral service director shall:
31		(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
32		(b) pay a fee as determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
33		(c) have obtained a high school diploma or its equivalent or a higher education degree;
34		(d) have obtained an associate degree, or its equivalent, in mortuary science from a
35		school of funeral service accredited by the American Board of Funeral Service
36		Education or other accrediting body recognized by the U.S. Department of Education;
37		(e) have completed not less than 2,000 hours and 50 embalmings[, over a period of not
38		less than one year,] of satisfactory performance in training as a licensed funeral
39		service intern under the supervision of a licensed funeral service director; and
40		(f) obtain a passing score on examinations approved by the division in collaboration
41		with the board.
42	(2)	Each applicant for licensure as a funeral service intern shall:
43		(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
44		(b) pay a fee as determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
45		(c) have obtained a high school diploma or its equivalent or a higher education degree;
46		and
47		(d) obtain a passing score on an examination approved by the division in collaboration
48		with the board.
49	(3)	Each applicant for licensure as a funeral service establishment and each funeral service
50	(establishment licensee shall:
51		(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
52		(b) pay a fee as determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
53		(c) have in place:
54		(i) an embalming room for preparing dead human bodies for burial or final
55		disposition, which may serve one or more facilities operated by the applicant;
56		(ii) a refrigeration room that maintains a temperature of not more than 40 degrees
57		fahrenheit for preserving dead human bodies prior to burial or final disposition,
58		which may serve one or more facilities operated by the applicant; and
59		(iii) maintain at all times a licensed funeral service director who is responsible for the
60		day-to-day operation of the funeral service establishment and who is personally

61	available to perform the services for which the license is required;
62	(d) affiliate with a licensed preneed funeral arrangement sales agent or funeral service
63	director if the funeral service establishment sells preneed funeral arrangements;
64	(e) file with the completed application a copy of each form of contract or agreement the
65	applicant will use in the sale of preneed funeral arrangements;
66	(f) provide evidence of appropriate licensure with the Insurance Department if the
67	applicant intends to engage in the sale of any preneed funeral arrangements funded in
68	whole or in part by an insurance policy or product to be sold by the provider or the
69	provider's sales agent; and
70	(g) if the applicant intends to offer alkaline hydrolysis in a funeral service establishment,
71	provide evidence that in accordance with rules made by the division in accordance
72	with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act:
73	(i) the funeral service establishment meets the minimum standards for the handling,
74	holding, and processing of deceased human remains in a safe, clean, private, and
75	respectful manner; and
76	(ii) all operators of the alkaline hydrolysis equipment have received adequate training.
77	(4) Each applicant for licensure as a preneed funeral arrangement sales agent shall:
78	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
79	(b) pay a fee as determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
80	(c) have obtained a high school diploma or its equivalent or a higher education degree;
81	(d) have obtained a passing score on an examination approved by the division in
82	collaboration with the board;
83	(e) affiliate with a licensed funeral service establishment; and
84	(f) provide evidence of appropriate licensure with the Insurance Department if the
85	applicant intends to engage in the sale of any preneed funeral arrangements funded in
86	whole or in part by an insurance policy or product.
87	Section 2. Section 58-11a-302 is amended to read:
88	58-11a-302 . Qualifications for licensure.
89	(1) Each applicant for licensure as a barber shall:
90	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
91	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
92	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of:
93	(i) graduation from a licensed or recognized barber school, or a licensed or
94	recognized cosmetology/barber school, whose curriculum consists of a minimum

95	of 1,000 hours of instruction, or the equivalent number of credit hours[, over a
96	period of not less than 25 weeks];
97	(ii) (A) graduation from a recognized barber school located in a state other than
98	Utah whose curriculum consists of less than 1,000 hours of instruction or the
99	equivalent number of credit hours; and
100	(B) practice as a licensed barber in a state other than Utah for not less than the
101	number of hours required to equal 1,000 total hours when added to the hours of
102	instruction described in Subsection (1)(c)(ii)(A); or
103	(iii) completion of an approved barber apprenticeship; and
104	(d) meet one of the following requirements established by rule:
105	(i) pass an examination that consists of a written theory portion and a practical
106	portion; or
107	(ii) pass a practical examination and provide the written attestation of a licensed
108	barber or cosmetologist/barber instructor who participated in the school or training
109	under Subsection (1)(c), stating that the applicant has the necessary training and
110	skill to be a licensed barber.
111	(2) Each applicant for licensure as a barber instructor shall:
112	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
113	(b) subject to Subsection (24), pay a fee determined by the department under Section
114	63J-1-504;
115	(c) provide satisfactory documentation that the applicant is currently licensed as a barber;
116	(d) provide satisfactory documentation of completion of:
117	(i) an instructor training program conducted by a licensed or recognized school, as
118	defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 250 hours or the equivalent number
119	of credit hours;
120	(ii) on-the-job instructor training conducted by a licensed instructor at a licensed or
121	recognized school, as defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 250 hours or
122	the equivalent number of credit hours; or
123	(iii) a minimum of 2,000 hours of experience as a barber; and
124	(e) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
125	(3) Each applicant for licensure as a barber school shall:
126	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
127	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504; and
128	(c) provide satisfactory documentation:

129	(i) of appropriate registration with the Division of Corporations and Commercial
130	Code;
131	(ii) of business licensure from the city, town, or county in which the school is located;
132	(iii) that the applicant's physical facilities comply with the requirements established
133	by rule; and
134	(iv) that the applicant meets:
135	(A) the standards for barber schools, including staff and accreditation
136	requirements, established by rule; and
137	(B) the requirements for recognition as an institution of postsecondary study as
138	described in Subsection (22).
139	(4) Each applicant for licensure as a cosmetologist/barber shall:
140	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
141	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
142	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of:
143	(i) graduation from a licensed or recognized cosmetology/barber school whose
144	curriculum consists of a minimum of 1,600 hours of instruction, or the equivalent
145	number of credit hours, with full flexibility within those hours;
146	(ii) (A) graduation from a recognized cosmetology/barber school located in a state
147	other than Utah whose curriculum consists of less than 1,600 hours of
148	instruction, or the equivalent number of credit hours, with full flexibility within
149	those hours; and
150	(B) practice as a licensed cosmetologist/barber in a state other than Utah for not
151	less than the number of hours required to equal 1,600 total hours when added
152	to the hours of instruction described in Subsection (4)(c)(ii)(A); or
153	(iii) completion of an approved cosmetology/barber apprenticeship; and
154	(d) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
155	(5) Each applicant for licensure as a cosmetologist/barber instructor shall:
156	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
157	(b) subject to Subsection (24), pay a fee determined by the department under Section
158	63J-1-504;
159	(c) provide satisfactory documentation that the applicant is currently licensed as a
160	cosmetologist/barber;
161	(d) provide satisfactory documentation of completion of:
162	(i) an instructor training program conducted by a licensed or recognized school, as

163	defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 400 hours or the equivalent number
164	of credit hours;
165	(ii) on-the-job instructor training conducted by a licensed instructor at a licensed or
166	recognized school, as defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 400 hours or
167	the equivalent number of credit hours; or
168	(iii) a minimum of 3,000 hours of experience as a cosmetologist/barber; and
169	(e) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
170	(6) Each applicant for licensure as a cosmetologist/barber school shall:
171	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
172	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504; and
173	(c) provide satisfactory documentation:
174	(i) of appropriate registration with the Division of Corporations and Commercial
175	Code;
176	(ii) of business licensure from the city, town, or county in which the school is located;
177	(iii) that the applicant's physical facilities comply with the requirements established
178	by rule; and
179	(iv) that the applicant meets:
180	(A) the standards for cosmetology schools, including staff and accreditation
181	requirements, established by rule; and
182	(B) the requirements for recognition as an institution of postsecondary study as
183	described in Subsection (22).
184	(7) Each applicant for licensure as an electrologist shall:
185	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
186	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
187	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of having graduated from a licensed or
188	recognized electrology school after completing a curriculum of 600 hours of
189	instruction or the equivalent number of credit hours; and
190	(d) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
191	(8) Each applicant for licensure as an electrologist instructor shall:
192	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
193	(b) subject to Subsection (24), pay a fee determined by the department under Section
194	63J-1-504;
195	(c) provide satisfactory documentation that the applicant is currently licensed as an
196	electrologist;

197	(d) provide satisfactory documentation of completion of:
198	(i) an instructor training program conducted by a licensed or recognized school, as
199	defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 150 hours or the equivalent number
200	of credit hours;
201	(ii) on-the-job instructor training conducted by a licensed instructor at a licensed or
202	recognized school, as defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 150 hours or
203	the equivalent number of credit hours; or
204	(iii) a minimum of 1,000 hours of experience as an electrologist; and
205	(e) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
206	(9) Each applicant for licensure as an electrologist school shall:
207	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
208	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504; and
209	(c) provide satisfactory documentation:
210	(i) of appropriate registration with the Division of Corporations and Commercial
211	Code;
212	(ii) of business licensure from the city, town, or county in which the school is located;
213	(iii) that the applicant's facilities comply with the requirements established by rule;
214	and
215	(iv) that the applicant meets:
216	(A) the standards for electrologist schools, including staff, curriculum, and
217	accreditation requirements, established by rule; and
218	(B) the requirements for recognition as an institution of postsecondary study as
219	described in Subsection (22).
220	(10) Each applicant for licensure as an esthetician shall:
221	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
222	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
223	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of one of the following:
224	(i) graduation from a licensed or recognized esthetic school or a licensed or
225	recognized cosmetology/barber school[-whose curriculum consists of not less
226	than 15 weeks of esthetic instruction] with a minimum of 600 hours or the
227	equivalent number of credit hours;
228	(ii) completion of an approved esthetician apprenticeship; or
229	(iii) (A) graduation from a recognized cosmetology/barber school located in a
230	state other than Utah whose curriculum consists of less than 1,600 hours of

231	instruction, or the equivalent number of credit hours, with full flexibility within
232	those hours; and
233	(B) practice as a licensed cosmetologist/barber for not less than the number of
234	hours required to equal 1,600 total hours when added to the hours of
235	instruction described in Subsection (10)(c)(iii)(A); and
236	(d) meet the examination requirement established by division rule.
237	(11) Each applicant for licensure as a master esthetician shall:
238	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
239	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
240	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of:
241	(i) completion of at least 1,200 hours of training, or the equivalent number of credit
242	hours, at a licensed or recognized esthetics school, except that up to 600 hours
243	toward the 1,200 hours may have been completed:
244	(A) at a licensed or recognized cosmetology/barbering school, if the applicant
245	graduated from the school and its curriculum consisted of at least 1,600 hours
246	of instruction, or the equivalent number of credit hours, with full flexibility
247	within those hours; or
248	(B) at a licensed or recognized cosmetology/barber school located in a state other
249	than Utah, if the applicant graduated from the school and its curriculum
250	contained full flexibility within its hours of instruction; or
251	(ii) completion of an approved master esthetician apprenticeship;
252	(d) if the applicant will practice lymphatic massage, provide satisfactory documentation
253	to show completion of 200 hours of training, or the equivalent number of credit
254	hours, in lymphatic massage as defined by division rule; and
255	(e) meet the examination requirement established by division rule.
256	(12) Each applicant for licensure as an esthetician instructor shall:
257	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
258	(b) subject to Subsection (24), pay a fee determined by the department under Section
259	63J-1-504;
260	(c) provide satisfactory documentation that the applicant is currently licensed as a master
261	esthetician;
262	(d) provide satisfactory documentation of completion of:
263	(i) an instructor training program conducted by a licensed or recognized school, as
264	defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 300 hours or the equivalent number

265	of credit hours;
266	(ii) on-the-job instructor training conducted by a licensed instructor at a licensed or
267	recognized school, as defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 300 hours or
268	the equivalent number of credit hours; or
269	(iii) a minimum of 1,000 hours of experience in esthetics; and
270	(e) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
271	(13) Each applicant for licensure as an esthetics school shall:
272	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
273	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504; and
274	(c) provide satisfactory documentation:
275	(i) of appropriate registration with the Division of Corporations and Commercial
276	Code;
277	(ii) of business licensure from the city, town, or county in which the school is located;
278	(iii) that the applicant's physical facilities comply with the requirements established
279	by rule; and
280	(iv) that the applicant meets:
281	(A) the standards for esthetics schools, including staff, curriculum, and
282	accreditation requirements, established by division rule made in collaboration
283	with the board; and
284	(B) the requirements for recognition as an institution of postsecondary study as
285	described in Subsection (22).
286	(14) Each applicant for licensure as a hair designer shall:
287	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
288	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
289	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of:
290	(i) graduation from a licensed or recognized cosmetology/barber, hair design, or
291	barbering school whose curriculum consists of a minimum of 1,200 hours of
292	instruction, or the equivalent number of credit hours, with full flexibility within
293	those hours;
294	(ii) (A) graduation from a recognized cosmetology/barber, hair design, or
295	barbering school located in a state other than Utah whose curriculum consists
296	of less than 1,200 hours of instruction, or the equivalent number of credit
297	hours, with full flexibility within those hours; and
298	(B) practice as a licensed cosmetologist/barber or hair designer in a state other

299	than Utah for not less than the number of hours required to equal 1,200 total
300	hours when added to the hours of instruction described in Subsection
301	(14)(c)(ii)(A);
302	(iii) being a state licensed cosmetologist/barber; or
303	(iv) completion of an approved hair designer apprenticeship; and
304	(d) meet the examination requirements established by rule.
305	(15) Each applicant for licensure as a hair designer instructor shall:
306	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
307	(b) subject to Subsection (24), pay a fee determined by the department under Section
308	63J-1-504;
309	(c) provide satisfactory documentation that the applicant is currently licensed as a hair
310	designer or as a cosmetologist/barber;
311	(d) provide satisfactory documentation of completion of:
312	(i) an instructor training program conducted by a licensed or recognized school, as
313	defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 300 hours or the equivalent number
314	of credit hours;
315	(ii) on-the-job instructor training conducted by a licensed instructor at a licensed or
316	recognized school, as defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 300 hours or
317	the equivalent number of credit hours; or
318	(iii) a minimum of 2,500 hours of experience as a hair designer or as a
319	cosmetologist/barber; and
320	(e) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
321	(16) Each applicant for licensure as a hair design school shall:
322	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
323	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504; and
324	(c) provide satisfactory documentation:
325	(i) of appropriate registration with the Division of Corporations and Commercial
326	Code;
327	(ii) of business licensure from the city, town, or county in which the school is located;
328	(iii) that the applicant's physical facilities comply with the requirements established
329	by rule; and
330	(iv) that the applicant meets:
331	(A) the standards for a hair design school, including staff and accreditation
332	requirements, established by rule; and

333	(B) the requirements for recognition as an institution of postsecondary study as
334	described in Subsection (22).
335	(17) Each applicant for licensure as a nail technician shall:
336	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
337	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
338	(c) provide satisfactory documentation of:
339	(i) graduation from a licensed or recognized nail technology school, or a licensed or
340	recognized cosmetology/barber school, whose curriculum consists of not less than
341	300 hours of instruction, or the equivalent number of credit hours;
342	(ii) (A) graduation from a recognized nail technology school located in a state
343	other than Utah whose curriculum consists of less than 300 hours of instruction
344	or the equivalent number of credit hours; and
345	(B) practice as a licensed nail technician in a state other than Utah for not less than
346	the number of hours required to equal 300 total hours when added to the hours
347	of instruction described in Subsection (17)(c)(ii)(A); or
348	(iii) completion of an approved nail technician apprenticeship; and
349	(d) meet the examination requirement established by division rule.
350	(18) Each applicant for licensure as a nail technician instructor shall:
351	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
352	(b) subject to Subsection (24), pay a fee determined by the department under Section
353	63J-1-504;
354	(c) provide satisfactory documentation that the applicant is currently licensed as a nail
355	technician;
356	(d) provide satisfactory documentation of completion of:
357	(i) an instructor training program conducted by a licensed or recognized school, as
358	defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 75 hours or the equivalent number of
359	credit hours;
360	(ii) an on-the-job instructor training program conducted by a licensed instructor at a
361	licensed or recognized school, as defined by rule, consisting of a minimum of 75
362	hours or the equivalent number of credit hours; or
363	(iii) a minimum of 600 hours of experience in nail technology; and
364	(e) meet the examination requirement established by rule.
365	(19) Each applicant for licensure as a nail technology school shall:
366	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;

367	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504; and
368	(c) provide satisfactory documentation:
369	(i) of appropriate registration with the Division of Corporations and Commercial
370	Code;
371	(ii) of business licensure from the city, town, or county in which the school is located;
372	(iii) that the applicant's facilities comply with the requirements established by rule;
373	and
374	(iv) that the applicant meets:
375	(A) the standards for nail technology schools, including staff, curriculum, and
376	accreditation requirements, established by rule; and
377	(B) the requirements for recognition as an institution of postsecondary study as
378	described in Subsection (22).
379	(20) Each applicant for licensure under this chapter whose education in the field for which a
380	license is sought was completed at a foreign school may satisfy the educational
381	requirement for licensure by demonstrating, to the satisfaction of the division, the
382	educational equivalency of the foreign school education with a licensed school under
383	this chapter.
384	(21) (a) A licensed or recognized school under this section shall accept credit hours
385	towards graduation for documented, relevant, and substantially equivalent
386	coursework previously completed by:
387	(i) a student that did not complete the student's education while attending a different
388	school; or
389	(ii) a licensee of any other profession listed in this section, based on the licensee's
390	schooling, apprenticeship, or experience.
391	(b) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, and
392	consistent with this section, the division may make rules governing the acceptance of
393	credit hours under Subsection (21)(a).
394	(22) A school licensed or applying for licensure under this chapter shall maintain
395	recognition as an institution of postsecondary study by meeting the following conditions:
396	(a) the school shall admit as a regular student only an individual who has earned a
397	recognized high school diploma or the equivalent of a recognized high school
398	diploma, or who is beyond the age of compulsory high school attendance as
399	prescribed by Title 53G, Chapter 6, Part 2, Compulsory Education; and
400	(b) the school shall be licensed by name, or in the case of an applicant, shall apply for

401	licensure by name, under this chapter to offer one or more training programs beyond
402	the secondary level.
403	(23) A person seeking to qualify for licensure under this chapter by apprenticing in an
404	approved apprenticeship shall register with the division as described in Section
405	58-11a-306.
406	(24) The department may only charge a fee to a person applying for licensure as any type of
407	instructor under this chapter if the person is not a licensed instructor in any other
408	profession under this chapter.
409	(25) In order to encourage economic development in the state, the department may offer
410	any required examination under this section, which is prepared by a national testing
411	organization, in languages in addition to English.
412	Section 3. Section 58-41-5 is amended to read:
413	58-41-5 . Licensure requirements.
414	(1) To obtain and maintain a license as an audiologist beginning July 1, 2010, an applicant
415	must:
416	(a) submit a completed application in the form and content prescribed by the division
417	and pay a fee to the department in accordance with Section 63J-1-504;
418	(b) provide the committee with verification that the applicant is the legal holder of a
419	clinical doctor's degree or AuD, in audiology, from an accredited university or
420	college, based on a program of studies primarily in the field of audiology;
421	(c) be in compliance with the regulations of conduct and codes of ethics for the
422	profession of audiology;
423	(d) submit to the board certified evidence of having completed at least one academic
424	year of professional experience, at least 30 hours per week, [for an academic year,]
425	of direct clinical experience in treatment and management of patients, supervised and
426	attested to by one holding an audiologist license under this chapter, the CCC, or their
427	full equivalent; and
428	(e) pass a nationally standardized examination in audiology which is the same as or
429	equivalent to the examination required for the CCC and with pass-fail criteria
430	equivalent to current ASHA standards, and the board may require the applicant to
431	pass an acceptable practical demonstration of clinical skills to an examining
432	committee of licensed audiologists appointed by the board.
433	(2) To obtain and maintain a license as an audiologist prior to July 1, 2010, an applicant
434	shall:

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435	(a) comply with Subsections (1)(a), (c), (d), and (e); and
436	(b) provide the committee with verification that the applicant has received at least a
437	master's degree in the area of audiology from an accredited university or college,
438	based on a program of studies primarily in the field of audiology, and holds the CCC
439	or its full equivalent.
440	(3) An individual who, prior to July 1, 2010, is licensed as an audiologist under this chapter
441	is, on or after July 1, 2010, considered to hold a current license under this chapter as an
442	audiologist and is subject to this chapter.
443	(4) To obtain and maintain a license as a speech-language pathologist, an applicant must:
444	(a) comply with Subsection (1)(a);
445	(b) provide the committee with verification that the applicant has received at least a
446	master's degree in speech-language pathology from an accredited university or
447	college, based on a program of studies primarily in the field of speech-language
448	pathology;
449	(c) be in compliance with the regulations of conduct and code of ethics for the
450	profession of speech-language pathology;
451	(d) comply with Subsection (1)(b), except that the supervision and attestation
452	requirement shall be from a licensed speech-language pathologist rather than a
453	licensed audiologist; and
454	(e) pass a nationally standardized examination in speech-language pathology which is
455	the same as or equivalent to the examination required for the CCC and with pass-fail
456	criteria equivalent to current ASHA standards, and the board may require the
457	applicant to pass an acceptable practical demonstration of clinical skills to an
458	examining committee of licensed speech-language pathologists appointed by the
459	board.
460	Section 4. Section 58-47b-302 is amended to read:
461	58-47b-302 . License classifications Qualifications for licensure.
462	(1) The division shall issue licenses under this chapter in the classifications of:
463	(a) massage therapist;
464	(b) massage apprentice;
465	(c) massage assistant; and
466	(d) massage assistant in-training.
467	(2) An applicant for licensure as a massage therapist shall:
468	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;

469	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
470	(c) be 18 years old or older;
471	(d) have either:
472	(i) (A) graduated from a school of massage having a curriculum that meets
473	standards established by division rule made in collaboration with the board and
474	in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking
475	Act; or
476	(B) completed equivalent education and training in compliance with division rule
477	made in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative
478	Rulemaking Act; or
479	(ii) completed a massage apprenticeship program consisting of a minimum of 1,000
480	hours of supervised training[-over a minimum of 12 months] and in accordance
481	with standards established by division rule made in collaboration with the board
482	and in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking
483	Act; and
484	(e) pass:
485	(i) the Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards Massage and Bodywork
486	Licensing Examination; or
487	(ii) any other examination established by division rule made in collaboration with the
488	board and in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative
489	Rulemaking Act.
490	(3) An applicant for licensure as a massage apprentice shall:
491	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
492	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
493	(c) be 18 years old or older;
494	(d) provide satisfactory evidence to the division that the applicant will practice as a
495	massage apprentice only under the direct supervision of a licensed massage therapist
496	in good standing who, for at least 6,000 hours, has engaged in the lawful practice of
497	massage therapy as a licensed massage therapist; and
498	(e) pass an examination as required by division rule made in accordance with Title 63G,
499	Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.
500	(4) (a) An applicant for licensure as a massage assistant shall:
501	(i) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
502	(ii) pay a fee determined by the department in accordance with Section 63J-1-504;

503	(iii) be 18 years old or older;
505 504	(iv) subject to Subsection (4)(b), complete at least 300 hours of education and
505	training approved by division rule made accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3,
505 506	Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act;
507	(v) provide satisfactory evidence to the division that the applicant will practice as a
508	massage assistant only under the indirect supervision of a massage therapy
509	supervisor; and
510	(vi) pass an examination as required by division rule made in accordance with Title
511	63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.
512	(b) The 300-hour education and training requirement described in Subsection (4)(a) shall
513	include:
514	(i) at least 150 hours of education and training while the applicant is:
515	(A) enrolled in massage school; or
516	(B) licensed as a massage assistant in-training and under the direct supervision of
517	a massage therapist in good standing who, for at least 6,000 hours, has engaged
518	in the lawful practice of massage therapy; and
519	(ii) at least 150 hours of education and training while the applicant is:
520	(A) enrolled in massage school; or
521	(B) licensed as a massage assistant in-training and under the indirect supervision
522	of a massage therapist in good standing who, for at least 6,000 hours, has
523	engaged in the lawful practice of massage therapy.
524	(5) An applicant for licensure as a massage assistant in-training shall:
525	(a) submit an application in a form prescribed by the division;
526	(b) pay a fee determined by the department in accordance with Section 63J-1-504;
527	(c) be 18 years old or older; and
528	(d) provide satisfactory evidence to the division that the applicant will practice as a
529	massage assistant in-training under the supervision of a massage therapist for a
530	period of no more than six months for the purpose of satisfying the requirements
531	described in Subsections (4)(a)(iv) and (4)(b) for licensure as a massage assistant.
532	(6) (a) A massage therapist may supervise at one time up to six individuals licensed as a
533	massage apprentice or massage assistant in-training.
534	(b) A massage therapy supervisor may supervise at one time up to six individuals
535	licensed as a massage assistant.
536	(7) A new massage therapist, massage apprentice, massage assistant, or massage assistant
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537	in-training applicant shall submit to and pass a criminal background check in accordance
538	with Section 58-47b-302.1 and any requirements established by division rule made in
539	accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.
540	Section 5. Section 58-61-304 is amended to read:
541	58-61-304 . Qualifications for licensure by examination or endorsement.
542	(1) An applicant for licensure as a psychologist based upon education, clinical training, and
543	examination shall:
544	(a) submit an application on a form provided by the division;
545	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
546	(c) produce certified transcripts of credit verifying satisfactory completion of a doctoral
547	degree in psychology that includes specific core course work established by division
548	rule under Section 58-1-203, from an institution of higher education whose doctoral
549	program, at the time the applicant received the doctoral degree, met approval criteria
550	established by division rule made in consultation with the board;
551	(d) have completed a minimum of 4,000 hours of psychology training as defined by
552	division rule under Section 58-1-203[-in not less than two years and] under the
553	supervision of a psychologist supervisor approved by the division in collaboration
554	with the board;
555	(e) to be qualified to engage in mental health therapy, document successful completion
556	of not less than 1,000 hours of supervised training in mental health therapy obtained
557	after completion of a master's level of education in psychology, which training may
558	be included as part of the 4,000 hours of training required in Subsection (1)(d), and
559	for which documented evidence demonstrates not less than one hour of supervision
560	for each 40 hours of supervised training was obtained under the direct supervision of
561	a psychologist, as defined by rule;
562	(f) pass the examination requirement established by division rule under Section 58-1-203;
563	(g) consent to a criminal background check in accordance with Section 58-61-304.1 and
564	any requirements established by rule made in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3,
565	Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act; and
566	(h) meet with the board, upon request for good cause, for the purpose of evaluating the
567	applicant's qualifications for licensure.
568	(2) An applicant for licensure as a psychologist by endorsement based upon licensure in
569	another jurisdiction shall:
570	(a) submit an application on a form provided by the division;

571	(b) pay a fee determined by the department under Section 63J-1-504;
572	(c) not have any disciplinary action pending or in effect against the applicant's
573	psychologist license in any jurisdiction;
574	(d) have passed the Utah Psychologist Law and Ethics Examination established by
575	division rule;
576	(e) provide satisfactory evidence the applicant is currently licensed in another state,
577	district, or territory of the United States, or in any other jurisdiction approved by the
578	division in collaboration with the board;
579	(f) provide satisfactory evidence the applicant has actively practiced psychology in that
580	jurisdiction for not less than 2,000 hours or one year, whichever is greater;
581	(g) provide satisfactory evidence that:
582	(i) the education, supervised experience, examination, and all other requirements for
583	licensure in that jurisdiction at the time the applicant obtained licensure were
584	substantially equivalent to the licensure requirements for a psychologist in Utah at
585	the time the applicant obtained licensure in the other jurisdiction; or
586	(ii) the applicant is:
587	(A) a current holder of Board Certified Specialist status in good standing from the
588	American Board of Professional Psychology;
589	(B) currently credentialed as a health service provider in psychology by the
590	National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology; or
591	(C) currently holds a Certificate of Professional Qualification (CPQ) granted by
592	the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards;
593	(h) consent to a criminal background check in accordance with Section 58-61-304.1 and
594	any requirements established by rule made in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3,
595	Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act; and
596	(i) meet with the board, upon request for good cause, for the purpose of evaluating the
597	applicant's qualifications for licensure.
598	(3) (a) An applicant for certification as a psychology resident shall comply with the
599	provisions of Subsections (1)(a), (b), (c), (g), and (h).
600	(b) (i) An individual's certification as a psychology resident is limited to the period of
601	time necessary to complete clinical training as described in Subsections (1)(d) and
602	(e) and extends not more than one year from the date the minimum requirement
603	for training is completed, unless the individual presents satisfactory evidence to
604	the division and the Psychologist Licensing Board that the individual is making

605	reasonable progress toward passing the qualifying examination or is otherwise on
606	a course reasonably expected to lead to licensure as a psychologist.
607	(ii) The period of time under Subsection (3)(b)(i) may not exceed two years past the
608	date the minimum supervised clinical training requirement has been completed.
609	Section 6. Section 61-2g-311 is amended to read:
610	61-2g-311 . State-licensed appraiser Authority and qualifications.
611	(1) A state-licensed appraiser is authorized to appraise complex and noncomplex 1-4 family
612	residential units in this state having a transaction value permitted under the Financial
613	Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989, and related federal
614	regulations.
615	(2) A state-licensed appraiser is authorized to appraise vacant or unimproved land having a
616	transaction value permitted under the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and
617	Enforcement Act of 1989, and related federal regulations that is utilized for 1-4 family
618	purposes or for which the highest and best use is 1-4 family purposes and subdivisions
619	for which a development analysis/appraisal is not necessary.
620	(3) A state-licensed appraiser may not issue a certified appraisal report.
621	(4) To qualify as a state-licensed appraiser, an applicant must:
622	(a) be of good moral character;
623	(b) demonstrate honesty, competency, integrity, truthfulness, and general fitness to
624	command the confidence of the community;
625	(c) pass the licensing examination with a satisfactory score as determined by the
626	Appraisal Qualification Board;
627	(d) successfully complete the educational requirements established by rule in accordance
628	with Subsection (5); and
629	(e) possess the experience in real property appraisal established by rule in accordance
630	with Subsection (5).
631	(5) (a) The division shall, with the concurrence of the board, make rules in accordance
632	with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, that establish:
633	(i) the educational requirements described in Subsection (4)(d); and
634	(ii) the experience in real property appraisal described in Subsection (4)(e).
635	(b) The educational and experience requirements established under Subsection (5)(a)
636	shall meet or exceed the educational requirements and the hourly experience
637	requirements adopted by the Appraisal Qualification Board.
638	(c) The division may not require that an applicant complete the educational or

639	experience requirements established under Subsection (5)(a) within a minimum time
640	period.
641	(d) Subsection (5)(c) does not apply if federal law requires a minimum time period for
642	appraiser education or experience.
643	Section 7. Section 61-2g-313 is amended to read:
644	61-2g-313 . State-certified residential appraiser Authority and qualifications.
645	(1) An applicant for certification as a residential appraiser shall provide to the division
646	evidence of:
647	(a) the applicant's good moral character, honesty, competency, integrity, truthfulness,
648	and general fitness to command the confidence of the community;
649	(b) completion of the certification examination with a satisfactory score as determined
650	by the Appraisal Qualification Board;
651	(c) completion of the educational requirements established by rule in accordance with
652	Subsection (3); and
653	(d) experience in real property appraisal as established by rule in accordance with
654	Subsection (3).
655	(2) Upon request by the division, an applicant shall make available to the division for
656	examination:
657	(a) a detailed listing of the real estate appraisal reports or file memoranda for which
658	experience is claimed; and
659	(b) a sample selected by the division of appraisal reports that the applicant has prepared
660	in the course of the applicant's appraisal practice.
661	(3) (a) The division shall, with the concurrence of the board, make rules in accordance
662	with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, that establish:
663	(i) the educational requirements described in Subsection (1)(c); and
664	(ii) the experience in real property appraisal described in Subsection (1)(d).
665	(b) The educational and experience requirements established under Subsection (3)(a)
666	shall meet or exceed the educational requirements and the hourly experience
667	requirements adopted by the Appraisal Qualification Board.
668	(c) The division may not require that an applicant complete the educational or
669	experience requirements established under Subsection (3)(a) within a minimum time
670	period.
671	(d) Subsection (3)(c) does not apply if federal law requires a minimum time period for
672	appraiser education or experience.

- 673 Section 8. Effective date.
- 674 This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024.