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Executive Director

BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Monday, August 10th, 2026
9:00 a.m.

IN-PERSON LOCATION: 1025 Capital Center Dr. Ste 200 – Kentucky Board of Cosmetology office
Board Room in Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

ZOOM INFORMATION:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87832333004?pwd=yldfkCPrl4jWrVcRxvjHcEw8moNMVE.1>

- I. CALL TO ORDER/TIME, DATE AND LOCATION:**
- II. ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS/DECLARATION OF QUORUM:**
- III. APPROVAL OF JUNE BOARD MEETING MINUTES:**
- IV. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF JUNE AND JULY 2026 EXPENDITURES AND REVENUES:**
- V. SPEAKERS**
 - a. Sen. Reginald Thomas
- VI. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR UPDATES – JONI UPCHURCH:**
 - a. Discussion as needed
 - b. MMA Removal Certification form and information flyer
 - c. NEW HIRE:
 - i. General Counsel Position: Miranda Hellman- start date August 24, 2026,
at salary of \$100,000.00 with a 5% increase after 6 months.
- VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION– KRS 61.810(1)(c)(f)(g)(j) – IF NEEDED**
- VIII. LEGAL MATTERS:**
 - a. **Jessica Musselman & Creations v. KBC (administrative appeals) – Motion for Recusal by 13B Hearing Officer provided by the Attorney General’s Office**
 - i. Patrick Riley, contract counsel, will advise the board
 - ii. Proposed final order provided by both parties for board to utilize.
 - b. **LaWanna Brock v. KBC (administrative appeals) – Motion for Recusal by 13B Hearing Officer provided by the Attorney General’s Office**



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c. Review of Crystal Beeler Final Order issued April 13, 2026

d. Agreed Final Orders

- i. Lakehouse - 605334 - Lisa Black Litton o-m
- ii. Diva Nails - 702583 - Sinath Tin o-m
- iii. Craze Spa Nails - 702269 - Lydeth Long o-m
- iv. Tropical Nails - 702372 - Huyen Diem Ngo o-m
- v. Lee Nails - 610000154 - Kathy Do o-m
- vi. Charming Nails – 702607 – Visal Lim o-m
- vii. Blush Beauty Bar – 800002756 – MaKayla Elswick o-m
- viii. Sassy Nails – 800002285 – Altangadas Otgonbayar-o; & Munkhzul Tsolmon-m
- ix. Haute Mess Salon – S-000002560 – Jeffery Kersey-o
- x. Bourbon and Blush – 800003867 – Melissa Jacobi o-m
- xi. KCTCS-Somerset – 110700277 – Comm. Of KY-o
- xii. HD Nails & Spa – S-000003927 – Huy Van Pham o-m

e. 13B Final Orders

- i. 24-KBC-197 – Katie Sisson
- ii. 25 KBC-005 – Tiffany Mitchell
- iii. 25-KBC-008 – Janet Lemma
- iv. 25-KBC-009 – Amber Mason

IX. APPROVAL OF AUGUST APPLICATIONS AND COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES:

X. MOTION TO ADOPT RECOMMENDATIONS FROM AUGUST APPLICATIONS AND COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE MEETING:

XI. JUNE AND JULY APPLICATIONS, COMPLAINTS, AND INVESTIGATIONS:

APPLICATIONS & RECONSIDERATIONS (9):



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1.A Lavish Beauty Academy - De'Leisa Graham - I-000015478 - DEFERRED from June – **Approve**

2.A Elaine Pittard - 1221534 - expired exam scores – **Deny, both exams required**

3.A Savannah Napier - 1213595 - expired exam scores – **Deny, both exams required**

4.A Julia Stratton - 204877 – felony – **Defer to full board**

5.A Isabel Alanis - CS-000001749 - expired exam scores – **Deny, both exams required**

6.A Shelby Dawn Collins - 700010051 - expired hours – **Approve, must be completed by August 31, 2026.**

7.A Kati Blankenship - 1242600 – felony – **Approve**

8.A Megan Simmons - M-000008719 - expired hours – **Deny, all hours and both exams required**

9.A Arianna Bellamy - 600000074 - fee waiving request – **Deny**

FAILURES TO REPORT OR VALIDATE (1):

1. Ray Con Academy - ED-000015843 - Connie Goree – 400275 – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**

CASE LIST (36):

1. INV - BS - 1157396 - 800003169 - Luxe Beauty Bar - Harlan Co – **Warning Letter**
2. INV - T - 1155096 - F-000775012 - OMM Eyebrow Threading - Pulaski Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
3. INV - BS - 1150511 - 600615 - Salon 80 - Leslie Co – **Warning Letter**
4. INV - BS - 1156471 - 604176 - Pro Cutz - Knott Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
5. INV - BS - 1212197 - S-000004839 - Divine Beauty Salon - Magoffin Co – **Closure notice to be sent if no contact is made in 30 days.**



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6. INV - BS - 1245004 - S-000017887 - Sunset Hair Studio - Montgomery Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
7. INV - BS - 1156287 - 800002138 - Rustic Roots - Lincoln Co – **Warning Letter**
8. INV - NS - 1246405 - S-000019084 - Golden Lynn Nail Spa LLC – Unlicensed – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
9. INV - NS - 1161034 - 800000402 - Paradise Nails - Lawrence Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
10. INV - NS - 1161702 - 701057 - LA Nails - Harlan Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
11. INV - NS - 1168594 - 800003845 - Le's Nails - Madison Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
12. INV - NS - 1155387 - 800002690 - Diamond Nail Spa - Christian Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
13. DISMISS - C - NS - 1152145 - 702642 - First Lady Nails - Jefferson Co – **Dismiss**
14. INV - BS - 66469 - 601475 - New U Salon - Shelby Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
15. INV - BS - 1154618 - 800002602 - Magic Mirror Hair Design - Knott Co – **Warning Letter**
16. INV - BS - 1166443 - 800001739 - Reflections - Pulaski Co – **Warning Letter**
17. INV - LF - 66601 - F-000004060 - EM Lashes - Bullitt Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**



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18. INV - NS - 66428 - 702309 - Idol Nails LLC - Fayette Co – **Warning Letter**
19. INV - NS - 66626 - 701947 - Nails Galore - Meade Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
20. PASSED INSPECTION - C - BS - 1164232 - 800002205 - Pelo Beauty Collective - Jefferson Co – **Dismiss**
21. PASSED INSPECTION - C - COS - 1016772 - 700011421 - Chekeesha Blakey - Jefferson Co – **Dismiss**
22. PASSED INSPECTION - C - BS - 1212566 - S-000005145 - Opal Hair Co - Hardin Co – **Dismiss**
23. INV - LF -125460 - F-000018632 - Em Lash Studio - Jefferson Co – **Violations of 317A and 201 KAR Chapter 12 has been found. NoBA with preapproved offer will be sent to owner/manager.**
24. C - School - 1200126 - 110700026 - Summit Salon Academy LLC - Fayette Co – **Dismiss school; Advisement Letter for licensee.**
25. C - School - 1200025 - 110700000 - Empire Beauty School - Jefferson Co – **Dismiss**
26. C - COS - 1019972 - 207186 - Andrea Dempley - Jefferson Co – **Cease & Desist Letter, pending full board review.**
27. C - ES - 1155820 - 800003581 - Lush Beauty - Warren Co – **Advisement Letter**
28. PASSED INSPECTION - C - NS - 1165974 - 701373 - Nail Pro 3 - Montgomery Co – **Dismiss**
29. C - NT - 1200355 - N-000004748 - Kayla Simons - Grant Co – **Advisement Letter**
30. PASSED INSPECTION - C - School - 1200002 - 110700047 - Louisville Beauty Academy - Jefferson Co – **Dismiss**
31. C - School - 1224845 - ED-000010863 - Berea Beauty School - Madison Co – **Dismiss**
32. C - Student - 1223978 - CS-000009414 - Taelor Cripps & S-000012948 – Premier Beauty Salon – Hardin Co – **Dismiss student, defer salon to full board**
33. C - UNLICENSED - Bri Gonzalez - Kenton Co – **Cease & Desist Letter**
34. C - UNLICENSED - Gloria Bolen - Wayne Co – **Dismiss**



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35. C - UNLICENSED - Lashed by Michellee - Jefferson Co – **Cease & Desist Letter**

36. C - UNLICENSED - Whitney Baker - Wayne Co – **Dismiss**

XII. ADDITIONAL ITEMS:

- a. Th Belle Nail Salon – new salon application – 3020779

XIII. ADJOURNMENT: