

C. Attorney's Report:

Sheri Morris reported that she received a letter from the Department of Education and it states that ACT 773 now makes Louisiana compliant, but they have requested additional information. She also stated that if any school needed an extension through July, we will get a letter to them to submit.

She also informed the Board that today was the first day to pre-file bills with the Legislature. She made a suggestion to give schools 3 years to get accredited after being issued a license from the Louisiana State Board of Cosmetology.

(Mrs. Hand started discussion with the Board regarding the 1 year instructor requirement.)

Geneva Jones made the motion to take the 1 year instructor requirement off. Jill Hebert seconded, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

(Mr. Steve requested that the Board allow Sheri Morris to present a separate bill which would allow an increase in license fees and permits by an additional \$10.00 and allow the Board to possibly raise it by rule in 5 years.)

Geneva Jones made the motion to try to raise the license and permit fees. Michelle Hays seconded, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

XI. ADJOURN

Carolyn Robicheaux made the motion to adjourn. Jill Hebert seconded, motion carried by unanimous voice vote.