

HOUSE No. 219

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand Nine

An Act relative to disclosing financial obligations to students enrolling in cosmetology schools ..

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

1 SECTION 1. Section 87U of chapter 112 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006
2 Official Edition, is hereby amended by inserting after the word “him”, in line 9, the following
3 paragraph:—

4 A school representative shall discuss with all students enrolled at a registered
5 school the student’s obligation when signing any enrollment contract and/or incurring any debt
6 for educational purposes. Such discussions shall include the inadvisability of acquiring an
7 excessive educational debt burden that will be difficult to repay given employment opportunities
8 and average starting salaries in the student’s chosen occupation.