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CHAPTER E-3
ELECTRICAL INSPECTION ACT
REGULATIONS

Made by the Lieutenant Governor in Council under the *Electrical Inspection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-3

1. In these regulations

Definitions

- (a) “accepted” means with reference to any electrical equipment that it has been deemed by the electrical inspector to be outside a regular line of manufacture or to be of any type or character requiring a procedure other than would normally be involved in having it approved; that it has been specially inspected or tested by the inspector and complies with the specification and other requirements of the inspector concerning it; and that the use, sale, offer for sale, or other disposal, of such equipment in Prince Edward Island has therefore been authorized by the inspector; accepted
- (b) “Act” means the *Electrical Inspection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-3; Act
- (c) “apartment house” means a house inhabited by more than three families having the entrance, corridors, passages and stairs in common; apartment house
- (d) “apprentice” means any person who under the direct supervision of a certified electrician does any work installing, repairing, renewing, extending or changing an electrical installation and is registered in accordance with the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualification Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. A-15; apprentice
- (e) “attempt to dispose of” means advertise, display, offer for sale or make any other attempt to dispose of; attempt to dispose of
- (f) “Board” means the Board of Examiners appointed under these regulations; Board
- (f.1) “building permit” means a permit authorizing the construction or alteration of a building issued under the Planning Act Regulations (EC601/77) or the bylaws of a municipality; building permit
- (g) “certified electrician” means a person who certified electrician
- (i) holds a valid Trades Qualification Certificate, issued under the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualification Act*, and

	(ii) works for a contractor installing, renewing, extending or changing an electrical installation;
Class Two Electrician Code	(h) “revoked by EC245/07; (i) “Code” means the latest authorized edition of the Canadian Electrical Code, Part I and any amendments, variations or deletions made thereto by regulations;
contractor	(j) “contractor” means any person, corporation, company, firm, organization or partnership performing or engaging to perform, with or without remuneration or gain, any electrical work or installation within the scope of these regulations;
dispose of	(k) “dispose of” means sell, lease, rent, lend, give or otherwise transfer title, ownership or possession;
inspector	(l) “inspector” means any person appointed under section 3 of the Act;
journeyman	(m) revoked by EC245/07;
Minister	(n) “Minister” means the Minister responsible for municipal affairs;
person	(o) “person” means any firm, corporation, company, partnership or individual;
public buildings	(p) “public buildings” includes churches and chapels or buildings used as such, seminaries, colleges, convents, monasteries, schoolhouses, public or private hospitals, orphanages, asylums, sanatoria, hotels, boarding houses capable of accommodating at least fifteen boarders, theatres, halls for public meetings, lectures, or amusements, buildings for the holding of exhibitions, stands on race courses or other sporting grounds, buildings in parks, skating rinks, motion picture halls, banks, court houses, post offices in incorporated cities or towns, apartment houses, garages, factories, museums, buildings of two stories or more occupied wholly or partly as offices and stores employing at least ten clerks;
registered technician	(p.1) “registered technician” means an individual who holds a registered technician’s permit;
registered technician’s permit	(p.2) “registered technician’s permit” means a permit issued under section 6.2;
Senior Electrical Inspector	(p.3) “Senior Electrical Inspector” means a Senior Electrical Inspector appointed under section 3 of the Act;
supply authority	(q) “supply authority” means any corporation, company, commission, firm, organization or person supplying electric energy. (Aug.1,1940; EC315/73; 540/87; 208/04; 245/07)

- 2.** (1) All electrical installations used or offered for sale in this province shall be accepted or approved as defined in the Code. Approval and acceptance of electrical installations
Rejection
- (2) Notwithstanding such approval any electrical equipment may be rejected at any time by an inspector if in his or her opinion such equipment is below standard, or not used for the specific purpose for which it has been approved.
- (3) No person shall dispose of, attempt to dispose of, or use any electrical installations other than that which is either approved or accepted. (Aug.1,1940; EC850/56; 208/04) Disposal
- 3.** In all electrical installations the service switch or switches may be locked or sealed by the supply authority. (Aug.1,1940) Seals
- 4.** (1) Where, after inspecting an electrical installation under section 4 of the Act, an inspector considers that the electrical installation is defective or dangerous, the inspector shall order the owner of the electrical installation to complete, within the time specified by the inspector, such repairs or make such alterations as the inspector considers necessary to comply with the Act or these regulations, or to put the electrical installation in a safe condition. Inspector may order repairs
- (1.1) Any person who contravenes an order made under subsection (1) commits an offence and on summary conviction is liable to a fine of not less than \$500 and not more than \$5,000. Offence
- (1.2) Where an owner of an electrical installation does not comply with an order made under subsection (1) within the time specified, the inspector may order the supply authority to disconnect the power supply to the electrical installation. Disconnection order
- (1.3) Where an inspector issues an order under subsection (1.2), the inspector shall state in the order the reasons for disconnecting the power supply to the electrical installation, and shall serve a copy of the order on the supply authority and the owner of the electrical installation. Service of copy of order
- (1.4) Service of an order made under subsection (1.2) may be effected *Idem*
- (a) by delivering a copy of the order to the supply authority and to the owner of the electrical installation; or
- (b) by forwarding a copy of the order by registered mail to the local office of the supply authority and to the owner of the electrical installation.
- (1.5) On receipt of a copy of an order made under subsection (1.2), a supply authority Disconnection by supply authority

- (a) shall disconnect the power supply to the electrical installation subject to the order; and
- (b) shall not connect or reconnect the power supply to the electrical installation until notified by an inspector that the electrical installation has been approved for service.

Existing installations

(2) In the case of electrical installations existing on August 1, 1940 the relaxation of the standards as defined by the Code shall be applied by the inspector to the extent that existing electrical installations shall be improved only if and to such extent as they shall fall short of a reasonable standard of safety, but the determination of such reasonable standard of safety shall be in the absolute discretion of the inspector. (Aug.1,1940; EC208/04)

License required

5. (1) No contractor shall contract for, or engage in, the work of installing, extending, changing or repairing electrical installations in the province unless the person holds a contractor's license issued under subsection (1.1).

License issued

(1.1) A Senior Electrical Inspector may issue a contractor's license to a contractor who meets the requirements of this section.

Qualifications

(2) In order to qualify for a contractor's license, the applicant must be a certified electrician and have served a minimum of two years in electrical construction wiring with a satisfactory performance record with the Electrical Inspection Section.

License

- (3) A contractor's license
 - (a) is not transferable to any other person;
 - (b) expires on the date shown on the license; and
 - (c) may be renewed on the payment of the required fee to the Department.

Duties of the Board

(3.1) Revoked by EC245/07.

Sittings

(4) Revoked by EC245/07.

Experience

(5) Revoked by EC245/07.

Companies

(6) In the event of the applicant being a company, association or corporation, the license shall not be granted unless one of the members or employees thereof satisfies the requirements of subsection (2).

Bond

(7) Revoked by EC636/04.

Form of bond

(8) Revoked by EC636/04.

(9) No contractor shall employ or engage any person to do any actual work on electrical installations unless such person be a certified electrician or an apprentice working under the direct supervision of a contractor, if such contractor be licensed as an individual.

Requirements for license

(10) Such license shall be known as a contractor's license, and shall be posted up in the administration office of such contractor.

Posting of license

(11) A contractor's license issued under this section authorizes a contractor to contract for, or to engage to perform, in accordance with the Act or these regulations, any electrical work respecting the installing, extending, changing or repairing of electrical installations. (EC608/55; 160/70; 315/73; 145/83; 124/98; 404/00; 208/04; 636/04; 245/07)

Scope of authorized work

6. (1) No person, company, association or corporation whose place of business is outside this province desiring to undertake or complete electrical installations shall contract or engage for the work of installing, extending, changing or repairing of electrical installations in this province without having first secured a contractor's temporary license to do so from a Senior Electrical Inspector.

Temporary license

(2) A Senior Electrical Inspector shall not grant a contractor's temporary license until he or she is satisfied that the applicant meets the same or equivalent qualifications as are required by subsections 5(2) and (5). The same restrictions as are set forth in subsections 5(6), (7), (8), (9) and (10) shall be applicable to and binding on such contractor. (EC315/73; 404/00; 208/04)

Conditions

6.1 (1) A Senior Electrical Inspector may, on application, issue a contractor's restricted license to an applicant if the applicant provides evidence satisfactory to the Senior Electrical Inspector that

Contractor's restricted license

- (a) the applicant employs a registered technician, where the applicant is a corporation or partnership; or
- (b) the applicant is a registered technician, where the applicant is an individual.

(2) A license issued under subsection (1),

- (a) shall be clearly labelled as a contractor's restricted license; and
- (b) shall identify the registered technician referred to in clause (1)(a) or (b), who shall perform or supervise the electrical work authorized by the license.

License

(3) A license issued under subsection (1) authorizes the license holder to contract for, or to engage to perform, in accordance with the Act and these regulations, electrical work in the restricted area of electrical work indicated on the permit of the registered technician identified on the license if the work is performed by the registered technician or by an

Scope of authorized work

assistant who is under the direct supervision of the registered technician at the job site for the duration of the work. (EC208/04)

Registered
technician's permit

6.2 (1) A Senior Electrical Inspector may, on application by an individual, register the individual and issue a registered technician's permit to the individual if the Senior Electrical Inspector is satisfied that the individual

- (a) has at least one year of experience
 - (i) in a restricted area of electrical work that is prescribed in Schedule 5 of these regulations, or
 - (ii) in such other restricted area of electrical work that the Senior Electrical Inspector considers appropriate; and
- (b) either
 - (i) has successfully completed a formal training program provided by either the manufacturer of the electrical system or equipment to be installed or by a recognized organization that is acceptable to the Senior Electrical Inspector, or
 - (ii) has attained a mark of not less than sixty-five per cent in an examination approved by the Minister.

Individuals
previously working
in a restricted area

(2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a Senior Electrical Inspector shall register a individual and issue a registered technician's permit to an individual who proves to the satisfaction of the Senior Electrical Inspector that the individual was working, on or before July 30, 2002, in a restricted area of electrical work that is prescribed in Schedule 5 of these regulations.

Effect of permit

(3) A permit issued under this section authorizes the registered technician who holds the permit to perform or supervise electrical work within the restricted area of electrical work indicated on the permit only while the registered technician is employed by a contractor who

- (a) is responsible for the work site at which the electrical work is performed or supervised; and
- (b) holds a license issued under section 5 or 6.1 that authorizes the contractor to contract for, or to engage to perform, such electrical work.

Section 7 not
applicable

(4) Section 7 does not apply to work carried out by a registered technician in accordance with a permit issued under this section. (EC208/04)

Electrical work

7. (1) Subject to subsections (2) and (3), no person shall work at any electrical installation or perform electrical work in the province unless the person is a certified electrician or an apprentice employed by a licensed contractor.

- (2) A person who
- (a) held a valid journeyman license on December 31, 2006; and
 - (b) did not hold a Trades Qualification Certificate on December 31, 2006,
- may continue to work as a licensed contractor or to work on electrical installations under the supervision of a contractor.
- (3) A person who holds a Certificate of Proficiency issued on December 31, 2006 under the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualification Act* may work on electrical installations under the supervision of a contractor. (Dec.20,1949; EC686/56; 850/56; 315/73; 404/00; 208/04; 245/07)
- 8.** (1) Revoked by 245/07.
- (2) Revoked by 245/07.
- (3) Revoked by EC208/04. (Dec.20,1949; EC850/56; 208/04; 245/07)
- 9.** No license or permit issued under the provisions of sections 5, 6, 6.1 and 6.2 shall be transferable. (Aug.1,1940; EC208/04; 245/07)
- 10.** Any license or permit issued under the provisions of sections 5, 6, 6.1 and 6.2 may be suspended or cancelled by an inspector if such inspector is satisfied that the holder of such license or permit is not duly qualified or has ceased to be qualified or has violated any of the provisions of the Act or these regulations. (Aug.1,1940; EC208/04; 245/07)
- 11.** The application for all such licenses or permits as are referred to in sections 5, 6, 6.1 and 6.2 shall be made in such form and manner as shall be prescribed by an inspector. (Aug.1,1940; EC208/04; 245/07)
- 12.** Revoked by 245/07. (Aug.1,1940; EC208/04; 245/07)
- 13.** (1) No person shall contract for the work of installing, extending or repairing electrical installations in the province until he or she holds a contractor's license issued under section 5 or a contractor's restricted license issued under subsection 6.1(1).
- (2) No apprentice shall engage in electrical work unless he or she does the work under the direct supervision of a certified electrician or an individual contractor who holds either a contractor's license issued under section 5 or a contractor's restricted license issued under subsection 6.1(1). (EC208/04; 245/07)
- 14.** (1) A Senior Electrical Inspector may, on application of an individual, issue a special electrician's license to an applicant authorizing

the applicant to operate or maintain electrical installations, electrical motors and other related equipment on his or her employer's premises only.

Person qualified

(2) Before issuing a special electrician's license, the Senior Electrical Inspector shall first be satisfied that the person to whom the license is to be granted is qualified to perform the electrical work to which the license applies.

License valid only for premises stated

(3) Notwithstanding section 7, a person who holds a license issued under this section may perform work within the scope of the license only on the premises identified on the license. (EC208/04)

Expiry of license, registered technician's permit

15. (1) Any license issued under these regulations, and any registered technician's permit, expires on the date indicated on the license or permit, as the case may be.

Renewal

(2) A license or registered technician's permit issued under these regulations may be renewed only within two years of the date on which it was issued but the holder of an expired license or registered technician's permit that has not been renewed within two years of the date on which it was issued may apply for a new license or registered technician's permit and such applicant shall be subject to the same requirements as provided for in these regulations for the granting of the original license or registered technician's permit.

Onus of proof

(3) The onus of proving that a person holds a valid and subsisting license or registered technician's permit issued under these regulations shall be on the person holding the license, certificate or registered technician's permit.

Produce license, certificate, permit

(4) Every person who works on an electrical installation shall produce their license, certificate or permit to a Senior Electrical Inspector, at the request of such inspector.

Offence

(5) A person who fails to comply with subsection (4) commits an offence under these regulations and the person's license, certificate or permit may be suspended or cancelled as outlined in section 10. (Aug.1,1940; EC315/73; 208/04; 245/07)

Supply of electrical energy

16. (1) No supply authority shall make connections for the supplying of electrical energy to any new electrical installations or renew any such connections if interrupted for repairs to an extension of any electrical installation until a permit is secured from an inspector, and every such supply authority shall disconnect the supply of electrical energy to any electrical installation if and when required to do so by an inspector and shall not reconnect until a permit is secured from such inspector.

(2) No permit shall be issued under subsection (1) unless a building permit, if required by law, has been issued to the consumer. (EC672/75; 282/80; 86/84; 540/87) Building permits

17. (1) No contractor shall install, repair or change or cause to be installed, repaired or changed any electrical installation or any part thereof or any extension or addition thereto, whether such installation, repair or change be temporary or otherwise, unless or until notice of such installation, repair or change with reasonably sufficient description or plan of the intended work has been given to an inspector and the inspector has issued a permit therefor, and all such work shall be made available for the inspection of such inspector. Electrical inspections

(2) Every contractor who installs, repairs or changes, or causes to be installed, repaired or changed, any electrical installation or any part thereof or any extension or addition thereto, shall provide to the owner of the building, structure or premises in which such electrical installation is situate, certification that the work has been completed in compliance with the Act and regulations. (Aug.1,1940; EC341/94) *Idem*

18. Permits shall not be required for reconnection by a supply authority to an electrical installation in cases where the electrical supply was cut off by reason of a change in tenancy or casual vacancy by the occupant. (Aug.1,1940) Reconnection

19. In the case of the employers of electricians who hold special electrician's licenses and where the nature of their business necessitates the making of sundry changes, additions and repairs to electrical installations at short notice such changes, additions and repairs may be made by the employers' own electricians from time to time without the formality of taking out a permit for each such change, alteration or repair, but no major replacement, extension or addition shall be made without first securing a permit therefor. (Aug.1,1940) Minor repairs

20. In the case of emergency repairs to electric lights, electric motors or electrical installations or in cases where it becomes necessary or desirable to install outlets, with or without fixtures, not exceeding three in number, such work may be proceeded with at once, but a permit must be secured from an inspector within forty-eight hours of the time of commencement of such repairs or installation. (Aug.1,1940) Emergency repairs

21. The fees set out in the Schedules to these regulations are hereby fixed for electrical installations. (EC664/86) Inspection and license fees

**SCHEDULE 1
FLAT RATE FEE STRUCTURE**

- 1.1 For the inspection of the complete wiring system in a new single family dwelling or summer cottage, the fee is determined by the ampacity of the service, as follows:
 - (a) for service capacity of 100 amperes or less, the fee is\$110
 - (b) for service capacity of over 100 amperes, the fee is 150
- 1.2 For the inspection of the complete wiring system in a new two unit (duplex) dwelling, the fee is\$200
- 1.3 For the inspection of the complete wiring system in new apartment buildings and senior citizens homes consisting of three or more dwelling units
 - (a) for the first two dwelling units, per unit, the fee is\$125
 - (b) for each additional dwelling unit, the fee is 75
 - (c) for commercial premises located in the building, the fee is determined from Schedule 2.
- 1.4 For the inspection of the connection or reconnection of a mobile home or a factory-constructed single family dwelling, the fee is:
 - (a) per unit\$ 50
 - (b) for any other electrical work carried out in the home or on the site, the fee is determined from Schedule 2.
- 1.5 For the inspection of the grounding of swimming pools, wading pools or ornamental pools, per pool, the fee is\$ 50
- 1.6 For the inspection of the installation for hot tubs and hydro massage spas, per tub or spa, the fee is\$ 35
- 1.7 For a special trip for the inspection of a trench containing raceways or conductors, per inspection, the fee is\$ 35

(EC636/04)

**SCHEDULE 2
ITEMIZED FEE SCHEDULE**

2.1 TEMPORARY SERVICES

- (a) 200 amperes or less (valid for a maximum of six months) \$ 45
 (b) over 200 amperes (valid for a maximum of one year) 100

Temporary connection permits for temporary services may be issued at the discretion of the Department to enable supply authorities to supply power on a temporary basis, to temporary installations or uncompleted permanent installations.

Temporary services may be renewed at the discretion of the Department.

In the event of expiry or non-renewal of a permit, the power supply to a temporary service shall be disconnected.

2.2 SERVICES (UP TO 750 VOLTS) BASED ON THE AMPACITY OF THE EQUIPMENT**AMPERES**

- (a) up to 100 \$ 15
 (b) over 100 but not over 200 20
 (c) over 200 but not over 600 40
 (d) over 600 but not over 1,000 50
 (e) over 1,000 100
 (f) for each additional sub-service switch if installed at the same time by the same contractor, the fee is \$ 10

For duplex houses and for similar installations where from two to six meters are installed without a main switch, the fee is calculated on the combined capacity of the individual service switches.

OVER 750 VOLTS (HIGH VOLTAGE)

- All amperages \$125

Note: Where the main service disconnecting means is mounted in a switchboard or panelboard, this fee is payable in addition to the fee for the switchboard or panelboard.

2.3 SWITCHBOARDS, DISTRIBUTION CENTRES AND MOTOR CONTROL CENTRES AND PANELS

- (a) each low voltage unit up to 600 amperes \$ 25
 (b) each low voltage unit over 600 amperes 30
 (c) each high voltage unit 50

2.4 OUTLETS/FIXTURES

- Basic schedule (wiring only) including fixtures \$ 1.35
 (minimum fee) \$ 10

2.5 FIXTURES

(revoked by EC245/07)

2.6 PANELBOARDS

Number of circuits

- (a) 1 - 42 \$ 15
 (b) over 42, each additional circuit \$0.40

2.7 MOTORS	
Each motor up to 750 volts horsepower/kilowatt	
(a) fractional	\$ 10
(b) 1 - 10	10
(c) 11 and over	30
Each motor over 750 volt horsepower/kilowatt	
(d) up to 50	\$ 47
(e) 51 to 100	60
(f) over 100.....	75
2.8 GENERATORS AND ALTERNATORS	
The fee for an electric generator or alternator is the same as for a motor of like capacity. There is no charge for an exciter that forms part of an alternator or a D.C. generator.	
2.9 HEATING AND COOKING APPARATUS (DOMESTIC)	
(a) kitchen range, automatic dryer or electric furnace, each.....	\$ 10
(b) water heater, dishwasher or garburator, each.....	8
2.10 HEATING AND COOKING APPARATUS (COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL)	
Electric range, oven, deep fryer, steam generator, preheater, electric furnace and similar equipment, per unit	\$ 15
2.11 FUEL BURNING EQUIPMENT (OIL, GAS OR WOOD FIRED)	
(a) domestic unit (up to 200,000 BTU), each	\$ 12
(b) commercial or industrial unit (over 200,000 BTU), each	20
Note: For units with more than two motors, each additional motor is subject to the fee for a motor.	
2.12 TRANSFORMERS AND CAPACITORS UP TO 750 PRIMARY VOLTS KVA	
(a) 1 to 30	\$ 20
(b) 31 to 50.....	30
(c) 51 and over	40
OVER 750 PRIMARY VOLTS KVA	
(d) for each	75
2.13 HEATERS	
Combination radiator and fan (unit heaters), electric baseboard, duct heaters, ceiling radiant panels, and similar heating equipment	
(a) the first 1-4 units, each	\$ 6
	(minimum fee)\$ 15
(b) each additional unit	3
(c) sauna heaters, each unit	20
2.14 FUEL DISPENSING DEVICES	
Motorless or self-contained motor driven dispensing devices	
(a) the first device.....	\$ 25
(b) each additional device	10
2.15 SIGNS AND MARQUEE LIGHTING	
Each installation	\$ 25
2.16 X-RAY EQUIPMENT, HIGH FREQUENCY APPARATUS, ETC.	
(a) wiring for low-voltage or primary circuit.....	\$ 40
(b) wiring for high-voltage or secondary circuit.....	40
2.17 FIRE AND INTRUSION ALARM, ENERGY MANAGEMENT, NURSE CALL AND SIMILAR SYSTEMS	
Fire alarm supervisor stations, control and indicating or annunciator panels	
each unit (1-10 panels).....	\$ 50
2.18 AIR CONDITIONING AND REFRIGERATION UNITS	

- (a) air conditioning and refrigeration units, each \$ 20
 (b) combination heating and cooling units, each..... 20
 (c) walk-in coolers and freezers, each 20
 Note: Additional motors associated with the above equipment shall be charged for as per the fee schedule for motors.
- 2.19 WELDERS, REGULATORS, BATTERY CHARGERS, ETC.
 For the installation of welders, voltage regulators, phase converters, battery chargers, regulators and dimming transformers
 (a) less than 750 volts and rated under 25 KVA, the fee is \$ 20
 (b) over 750 volts and rated over 25 KVA, the fee is 20
- 2.20 POWER OUTLETS (OUTLET BOX AND/OR RECEPTACLE)
 Rated at 30 amperes and larger, each \$ 10
- 2.21 CARNIVALS
 For each "set up" for travelling shows, midways, circuses and similar kinds of entertainment
 (a) the basic inspection fee is \$ 50
 (b) for each ride or booth, the fee is 10
- 2.22 CARE FACILITIES
 For annual inspections for Community Care Facilities and Nursing Home Board licensing, the fee is..... \$ 40
 (EC636/04; 245/07)

SCHEDULE 3
GENERAL**3.1 MISCELLANEOUS INSPECTIONS**

Inspection of installations that are not covered by the other Schedules or where the Schedules cannot be consistently applied will be charged under this heading at the rate of \$40 per half hour or part thereof.

3.2 SPECIAL INSPECTIONS AND INSPECTIONS FOR SPECIAL APPROVAL OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

The fee for this service shall be based on the time spent by an inspector in carrying out the necessary investigations and examinations at the rate of \$40 per half hour or part thereof.

3.3 REVIEW OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS

The fee payable for the review of plans and specifications shall be based on the time involved at the rate of \$30 per half hour or part thereof.

3.4 EXTRA INSPECTIONS

An inspection fee of \$40 per inspection shall be payable where extra inspections are required as follows:

- (a) for the inspection of deficiencies ordered to be corrected where it is found that the deficiencies have not been corrected or have been corrected in a manner unacceptable to an inspector;
- (b) to facilitate construction procedures;
- (c) as a result of an incorrect address or inadequate directions given on the application form.

(EC636/04)

**SCHEDULE 4
LICENSE FEES AND ANNUAL PERMITS**

4.1	LICENSE FEES	per annum
	(a) contractor.....	(up to Jan. 1/05) \$120 (after Jan. 1/05) 200
	(b) contractor (Temporary)	200
	(c) contractor (Restricted).....	200
	(d) revoked by EC245/07.....	
	(e) registered technician.....	15
	(f) special license	15
	(g) revoked by EC245/07.....	

*Note: Fee increases for contractors in January 2005 due to the elimination of the contractor's bond requirement.

4.2	ANNUAL PERMITS ISSUED TO EMPLOYERS	
	Number of Employees	Annual Fee
	100 or fewer	\$100
	101 to 250	200
	251 to 500	315
	501 to 1000	500

4.3 In all manufacturing, mercantile or other buildings where the occupants employ their own electricians and where the nature of their business necessitates the making of sundry changes, additions and repairs to the plant at short notice – e.g., moving lights, motors or other electrical equipment – such changes, etc., may be made by the occupant's own electricians, from time to time, without the formality of taking out a permit for each such change, etc. (as required by Rule 2-004 of the Code), if the occupant has obtained an annual permit from a Senior Electrical Inspector.

In the case where the occupant has certified electricians employed, the occupant may have such electricians carry out any type of electrical work on the occupant's premises under the authority of the annual permit. Where the certified electrician installs new electrical installations on the premises, a permit shall be required as per Rule 2-004 of the Code.

The annual permit may be granted at the discretion of a Senior Electrical Inspector upon payment of a fee in accordance with this Schedule.

At the discretion of the Inspection Department, inspections shall be conducted as required on any electrical work carried out on the premises of the annual permit holder.

(EC667/95; 124/98; 404/00; 208/04; 636/04; 245/07)

SCHEDULE 5
RESTRICTED AREAS OF ELECTRICAL WORK

The prescribed areas of restricted electrical work for the purposes of these regulations are the following:

- (a) the installation, maintenance and repair of electrical signs;
 - (b) the installation, maintenance, testing and repair of alarm systems, nurses call systems and similar systems;
 - (c) the maintenance and repair of the electrical components of gas or oil burning equipment;
 - (d) the maintenance, repair and replacement of the electrical components of refrigeration equipment;
 - (e) the installation, maintenance, testing, and repair of communication systems, and the electrical components thereof, that have a capacity of 50 volts or less;
 - (f) the installation, maintenance and testing of the electrical components and wiring that are required for HVAC systems, or similar systems, and that have a capacity of 50 volts or less;
 - (g) the installation of a swimming pool grounding system;
 - (h) the installation of the set-up wiring and grounding systems for travelling shows and fairs, including such wiring and systems for any amusement rides and concessions operated at such shows and fairs;
 - (i) the maintenance and repair of the electrical components of deep well pumps that have a capacity of 240 volts or less and the installation of electrical conduits for such pumps;
 - (j) the installation, maintenance, testing and repair of the electrical components of elevators, escalators and lifts;
 - (k) the testing for energy efficiency and for the carrying-out of planned maintenance, quality control and trouble shooting of electrical systems and components.
- (EC208/04)