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contracting)

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CHAPTER: 108

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Sponsor(s): Jackman

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Senate: Labor

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1 AN ACT concerning electrical contracting and amending
2 P.L.1962, c.162.

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4 BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the
5 State of New Jersey:

6 1. Section 9 of P.L.1962, c.162 (C.45:5A-9) is amended to read
7 as follows:

8 9. (a) On or after July 1, 1963, no person shall advertise, enter
9 into, engage in or work in business as an electrical contractor,
10 unless such person has secured a business permit and such person
11 or an officer, partner or employee who is or will be actively
12 engaged in the business for which a business permit is sought has
13 obtained a license from the board in accordance with the
14 provisions of this act, and such licensee shall assume full
15 responsibility for inspection and supervision of all electrical work
16 to be performed by the permittee in compliance with recognized
17 safety standards. A licensee shall not be entitled to qualify more
18 than one person for a business permit.

19 Any single act or transaction shall constitute engaging in the
20 business of electrical contracting within the meaning of this
21 chapter.

22 (b) Except as otherwise provided in section 10, no person shall
23 be granted an electrical contractors license unless he shall first
24 establish his qualifications therefor and shall take and pass the
25 examination for electrical contractors. An applicant for such
26 examination shall have been employed or engaged in the business
27 of electrical construction and installation or have equivalent
28 practical experience for a period of not less than 5 years
29 preceding the time of such application, or shall otherwise
30 establish to the satisfaction of the board that the applicant has
31 the necessary educational background and experience to qualify
32 to take the examination for a license.

33 The examination shall be so designed as to establish the
34 competence and qualification of the applicant to perform and
35 supervise the various phases of electrical contracting work. Any
36 applicant who shall fail to pass such examination shall not be
37 eligible to retake an examination until 6 months from the date of
38 such failure.

39 (c) An applicant for an examination for a license shall apply to
40 the board for permission to take such examination upon forms
41 provided by the board and shall provide the board with such

EXPLANATION--Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the
above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

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2 take the examination. The applicant for an initial examination
3 shall pay a fee to the board of \$25.00. An applicant for
4 re-examination shall pay a fee to the board of \$15.00. Such fees
5 shall not be refundable.

6 (cf: P.L.1968, c.17, s.2)

7 2. Section 21 of P.L.1962, c.162 (C.45:5A-21) is amended to
8 read as follows:

9 21. Any person advertising or engaging in the business of
10 electrical contracting without having a business permit from the
11 board is a disorderly person.

12 (cf: P.L.1962, c.185, s.18)

13 3. This act shall take effect immediately.
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19 electrical contracting unless that person has a business permit
20 issued by the Board of Examiners of Electrical Contractors. The
21 bill also provides that any person who advertises the business of
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