

House BILL NO. *418*

INTRODUCED BY

John Earl Lynch *Mu/AR Kelly*

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 66-2812, R.C.M. 1947, TO CLARIFY THE EXEMPTIONS TO COVERAGE OF THE ACT PERTAINING TO REGULARLY EMPLOYED MAINTENANCE ELECTRICIANS AND INDIVIDUALS DOING ELECTRICAL WORK ON THEIR OWN PROPERTY."

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(b) (2) Nothing in the ~~article~~ this chapter shall be construed to require any an individual to hold a license before while doing electrical work on his own property or

residence, provided that said property or residence is maintained for his own use.

~~(c) Any person may work as an apprentice to a licensed electrician but shall not do any electrical wiring for or installation of electrical apparatus or equipment for light, heat, or power, except with and under the direct supervision of a licensed electrician.~~

(d) (3) An individual, firm, copartnership, or corporation may engage in business as an electrical contractor without an electrician's license if all electrical work performed by such individual, firm, copartnership, or corporation is under the direction, and control, and supervision of a licensed master electrician.

(e) (4) Any person who plugs in an electrical appliance where approved electrical outlet is already installed shall not be considered as an installer.

(f) (5) No provisions of this ~~article~~ act shall in any manner interfere with, hamper, preclude or prohibit any vendor of any electrical appliance, from selling, delivering and connecting any electrical appliance, if the connection of ~~said appliance~~ does not necessitate the installation of electrical wiring of the structure where said the appliance is to be connected."

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Approved by Committee
on Labor & Employment
Relations

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March 5, 1975

SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 418

That House Bill No. 418, third reading, be amended as follows:

1. Amend page 1, section 1, line 20.
Following: "act"
Strike: "shall"
Insert: "do"
2. Amend page 1, section 1, line 24.
Following: "employer"
Insert: "nor do they apply to line work on the business premises of the employer or to ordinary and customary in-plant or on site installations, modifications, additions, or repairs"

March 7, 1975

SENATE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 418

That House Bill No. 418 be amended as follows:

1. Amend page 2, section 1, line 3.
Following: "before"
Insert: "or have an inspection"
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Following: "while"
Insert: "or for"

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