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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

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No. 1161

H. P. 964

House of Representatives, March 23, 1977

On Motion of Ms. Clark of Freeport referred to the Committee on Business Legislation. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Ault of Wayne.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Amend the Maine Electricians' Laws.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Sec. 1. 20 MRSA § 2361, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 374, § 1, is amended to read:

§ 2361. Graduates of vocational-technical institutes

Any person who has satisfactorily completed a course of instruction at a Maine vocational-technical institute in the practice of ~~electrical installation~~ oil burner installations or plumbing shall be entitled to take the journeyman's examination conducted by ~~any~~ either of the respective boards: ~~Electricians' Examining Board~~ Oil Burner Men's Licensing Board, or Plumbers' Examining Board, as the case may be.

Sec. 2. 32 MRSA § 1202, sub-§ 1, ¶ A, 1st sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1975, c. 374, § 2, is repealed and the following enacted in its place:

For a journeyman electrician's or limited license at least 2 years' service as an apprentice or helper electrician, except that the board may give such credit as it deems justified toward such service for satisfactory completion of a course of instruction in the trade in a school approved by the board; provided, however, that any person who has satisfactorily completed a course of instruction at a Maine vocational-technical institute in the practice of electrical installations will be given 6 months' service credit for each year of such schooling up to a maximum of one year of service credit.

STATEMENT OF FACT

The purpose of this bill is to amend the present law and provide that persons who have completed a course of instruction in a Maine vocational-technical institute be given credit for the course of instruction toward the service requirement presently existing in the law.