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Reference to the Committee on Business Legislation suggested and ordered printed.

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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk

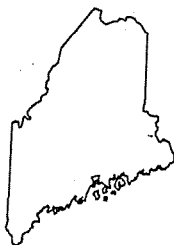
Presented by Representative LIPMAN of Augusta.

Cosponsored by Representative PENDEXTER of Scarborough and Representative NORTON of Winthrop.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD
NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-ONE

**An Act to Provide for Changes to the Membership of the Electricians'
Examining Board.**



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

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32 MRSA §1151, as amended by PL 1989, c. 503, Pt. B, §125,
4 is further amended to read:

6 **§1151. Appointment; vacancies; removal; compensation**

8 The Electricians' Examining Board, as established by Title
5, section 12004-A, subsection 13, and in this chapter called the
10 "board," ~~shall consist~~ consists of 6 8 members appointed by the
Governor, called the "appointive members," and the Commissioner
12 of Professional and Financial Regulation or a representative
appointed by the commissioner.

14 The 6 8 appointive members shall consist of: ~~One~~ one master
16 electrician; one electrician who is a bona fide member from
organized labor classified as an inside electrician; one
18 electrical inspector; one master electrician from the education
field; and one person experienced in the electrical field, all of
20 whom shall have at least 10 years of experience in the electrical
field; provided that the latter 3 need not be active electricians
22 at the time of their appointment; and ~~one--representative~~ 3
representatives of the public. At the time of each appointment,
24 the State Electrical Associates may nominate 3 persons for that
appointment. To the extent the State Electrical Associates so
26 nominates persons otherwise qualified for appointment to the
board, the appointive members, other than the ~~representative~~
28 representatives of the public, may be selected from the persons
so nominated.

30 Appointments ~~shall--be~~ are made for a 3-year term, except
32 that at least one appointive member's term ~~shall--expire~~ expires
each calendar year and appointments for terms of less than 3
34 years may be made in order to comply with this limitation. ~~No~~ A
person ~~may--be~~ is not eligible to serve more than 3 full
36 consecutive terms, provided that for this purpose only a period
actually served ~~which~~ that exceeds 1/2 of the 3-year term shall
38 ~~be--deemed~~ is determined a full term. Upon expiration of a
member's term, ~~he~~ the member shall serve until ~~his~~ the member's
40 successor is qualified and appointed. The successor's term shall
be is 3 years from the date of that expiration, regardless of the
42 date of ~~his~~ the successor's appointment.

44 Any vacancy in the board caused by death, resignation or
removal of any members shall must be filled by the appointment of
46 a person qualified, as was the board member being replaced, to
hold office during the unexpired term of the member whose place
48 is thus filled.

50 Any appointive member of the board may be removed from
office for cause by the Governor.

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2 The members of the board ~~shall--each--be--compensated~~ are
3 entitled to compensation according to the provisions of Title 5,
4 chapter 379.

6 **STATEMENT OF FACT**

8 This bill increases the number of consumer members on the
Electricians' Examining Board from 6 members to 8 members.