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tained pursuant to section 1153, Title 32, section 2722 prior to its repeal, and any sign erected and maintained pursuant to Title 32, section 2715 prior to its repeal, which does not qualify as an on-premise sign as defined by section 1914, or as an official business directional sign as defined by this chapter, no later than 6 years after January 1, 1978.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this Act shall take effect when approved.

Effective March 12, 1982.

CHAPTER 577

H.P. 1728 - L.D. 1713

AN ACT to Adjust the Fees for Licenses of the Electricians' Examining Board.

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

Sec. 1. 8 MRSA §653, sub-§2, ¶B, first sentence, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 340, §2, is amended to read:

The Electricians' Examining Board may issue an apprentice license upon payment of a fee of $\$2\ \10 to any person who applies therefor, without examination, provided the applicant submits evidence satisfactory to the board that he is under the supervision of a licensed operator and that he has the consent of the theater owner.

Sec. 2. 8 MRSA §653, sub-§3, first sentence, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 340, §2, is amended to read:

Applicants for an operator's license shall present to the executive secretary of the Electricians' Examining Board a written application for examination and license, containing such information as the board may require, accompanied by the required fee of \$10 \$20.

Sec. 3. 8 MRSA §653, sub-§4, first sentence, as enacted by PL 1977, c. 340, §2, is amended to read:

- All operators' licenses issued shall expire 2 years from date of issue and may be renewed thereafter for 2-year periods without further examination upon payment of a $$5\$ 10 renewal fee.
- Sec. 4. 8 MRSA $\S653$, sub- $\S4$, last \P , as enacted by PL 1977, c. 340, $\S2$, is repealed.
- Sec. 5. 32 MRSA §1101, sub-§1, 2nd sentence, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 302, §3, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for an apprentice electrician license shall be \$5 \$20.

Sec. 6. 32 MRSA §1101, sub-§3, 2nd sentence, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 302, §4, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for a helper electrician license shall be \$5 \$20.

Sec. 7. 32 MRSA §1101, sub-§4, last sentence, as amended by PL 1975, c. 767, §33, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for a journeyman electrician license shall be \$20 \$40.

Sec. 8. 32 MRSA §1101, sub-§5, last sentence, as amended by PL 1975, c. 767, §34, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for a limited electrician's license shall be \$30 \$60.

Sec. 9. 32 MRSA §1101, sub-§6, last sentence, as amended by PL 1975, c. 767, §35, is further amended to read:

The biennial renewal fee for a master electrician's license shall be \$50 \$100.

Sec. 10. 32 MRSA \$1202, sub-\$2, first sentence, as last amended by PL 1977, c. 295, \$2, is further amended to read:

The board may issue a license upon payment of a fee of \$3 \$10 to any person who applies therefor, without examination, provided such applicant submits evidence satisfactory to the board that he has entered the employ of a licensed electrician as an apprentice electrician or to assist him as an electrician's helper or is a full-time student in an electrical course at a regional vocational-technical center, a Maine vocational region, or a vocational-technical institute.

Sec. 11. 32 MRSA §1203, first sentence, as repealed and replaced by PL 1973, c. 363, is amended to read:

The following applicants for license shall present to the executive secretary of the board a written application for examination and license, containing such information as the board may require, accompanied by the required fee of \$25 \$50 for a master electrician's license, \$10 \$20 for a journeyman's license and \$15 \$30 for a limited electrician's license.

Sec. 12. 32 MRSA §1707, as last amended by PL 1979, c. 302, §5, is further amended to read:

§1707. Lightning rod manufacturer's and salesman's licenses

The biennial fee for issuing or renewing a license to a lightning rod manufacturer shall be $$40 \ 80 . The biennial fee for issuing or renewing a license to a lightning rod salesman shall be \$5 \$15.

Effective July 13, 1982.

CHAPTER 578

H.P. 1776 - L.D. 1766

AN ACT to Require Removal of Motor Vehicles from Great Ponds, Rivers and Streams.

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

17 MRSA §2267-A is enacted to read:

§2267-A. Submerged motor vehicles in waters of the State

The following provisions apply when a motor vehicle is submerged or partially submerged in waters of the State.

1. Definition. When used in this section the term "motor vehicle" means any self-propelled vehicle designed to carry persons or property or used to transport persons, except snowmobiles and motor boats.