

## CHAPTER 450

(Senate Bill 125)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Sections 481, 482, 484, 486, 487, 490, and 491 of the Charter and Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1949 Edition—being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title “Baltimore City”, sub-title “Installation of Electrical Apparatus and Wiring”, and to add a new section thereto, said new section to be known as Section 483A, and to follow immediately after Section 483 thereof, providing generally for changes in the law relating to installation of electrical apparatus and wiring, and providing further for the definition of maintenance or service electricians and the licensing of same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Sections 481, 482, 484, 486, 487, 490 and 491 of the Charter and Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1949 Edition), title “Baltimore City”, sub-title “Installation of Electrical Apparatus and Wiring”, be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and that a new section be and it is hereby added to said Charter and Public Local Laws, said new section to be known as Section 483A, to follow immediately after Section 483 thereof, and all to read as follows:

481. Each member of said Board shall receive [a] *an annual compensation of [five dollars (\$5.00)] Twelve Hundred (\$1200) Dollars per [day] year* for actual service in attending meetings of the board, which compensation shall be paid out of any moneys in the hands of the *State Treasurer to the credit* of said board; provided, that the secretary of said board may receive such additional compensation as the board may deem just and reasonable, and for which the by-laws of the said board may provide; provided, however, that the compensation and expenses of said board shall in no event, be paid out of the funds in the State Treasury *in excess of that credited to this board* or become a charge against the State.

482. Said board shall meet at least once in each [month] *week* in Baltimore City, and shall hold special meetings as frequently as the proper and efficient discharge of its business shall require, and said board shall adopt such rules and regulations for the examinations of master or maintenance electricians as herein defined, and for *maintaining or servicing* or the placing, installing and operating electrical wires, appliances, apparatus or construction in, upon and about buildings in the said City of Baltimore, and when so adopted, such rules and regulations shall have the same force and effect as if herein contained, and the rules of said board shall also provide for the giving of timely notice of such meetings to all those who shall have made application for a license as herein provided, and said board shall give in writing to the chief of the municipal electrical inspectors of Baltimore City a detailed statement of all the licenses issued, renewed or revoked at any meeting of said board.

EXPLANATION: *Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.*

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken out of bill.