

*Director.* The term "director" shall mean the director of the department of inspection and licenses.

*Inspector.* The term "inspector" shall mean an authorized agent of the department of inspection and licenses.

*Licensee.* The term "licensee" shall mean any person, firm, company, corporation or partnership to whom a license has been issued hereunder.

*Electrical Contractor.* The term "electrical contractor" shall mean a person, firm, company, corporation or partnership, principally engaged in business, and holding themselves out to the public as being licensed by Montgomery County, to contract to install, repair, maintain, erect and design electrical equipment, apparatus and systems, within the purview of the National Electrical Code, Montgomery County Electrical Code, and all the latest and current editions and amendments thereto, including, but not limited to electrical raceways, conductors, fixtures, signs, motors, switchgears and distribution systems, fixed electric heating systems or any other fixed electrical equipment or apparatus which conducts or consumes electricity.

*Electrical Contractor Limited.* The term "electrical contractor limited" shall mean a person, firm, company, corporation or partnership, principally engaged in business, and holding themselves out to the public as being licensed by Montgomery County to contract to install, repair and maintain a particular appliance, apparatus, device, or fixture within the purview of the National Electrical Code, Montgomery County Electrical Code, and all the latest and current editions and amendments thereto, and limited to a branch circuit or feeder for elevators; gasoline pumps; automatic heating furnaces whose principal operation is derived from fuel oil, gas, steam or coal; lighting fixtures, refrigeration and air conditioning equipment; illuminating signs and similar specialties; or limited to equipment for a plant, factory, apartment complex or any other public occupancy employing maintenance forces, fire alarm systems and electronic equipment employing the use of electrical current or connection.

*Electrical Equipment.* The term "electrical equipment" shall include electrical conductors, raceways, wiring fittings, devices, appliances, fixtures, apparatus, and any other equipment coming within the purview of the Montgomery County and National Electrical Codes.

*Electrical Code.* The term "Electrical Code" shall include the latest editions, and all amendments thereto, of the National Electrical Code and the Montgomery County Electrical Code, titled Ordinance 2-51, March 18, 1952, codified as sections 83-1 through 83-21, Montgomery County Code 1965, as amended.

*Install, Repair or Maintain.* The term "install, repair or maintain" shall include all installations, repairs or maintenance of any or all electrical equipment or circuits, or any parts thereof, including new work, alterations, renewals or extensions coming within the purview of this Article and the National and Montgomery County Electrical Codes.

Sec. 83-23. *Licenses and Permits Required.*

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, company, corporation or partnership to install, repair or maintain any electrical circuit, electrical equipment or electrical apparatus unless such person, firm, company, corporation or partnership shall have first been granted by Montgomery County, Maryland, a license, if required by this chapter, entitling the