

CHAPTER 684

(Senate Bill 833)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 3-1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1969 Edition, being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Baltimore City," subtitle "Electrical Apparatus and Wiring," as last amended by Chapter 402 of the Acts of 1970, to provide that members of the general public shall serve on the Board of Examiners and Supervisors of Baltimore City, TO PROVIDE A RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, to remove restrictions on the qualifications of certain members of the Board and to provide for the initial terms of the members of said Board.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 3-1 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1969 Edition, being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Baltimore City," subtitle "Electrical Apparatus and Wiring," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

3-1.

The Governor shall, with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation, SHALL appoint a board subject to the advice and consent of the Senate which shall be known as the Board of *Electrical* Examiners and Supervisors, consisting of five (5) persons, *each of whom shall serve a term of four years, after expiration of the initial terms provided herein,* for the purpose of examining into the qualifications and capabilities of all persons who are engaged or desire to engage in the business of Master Electrician as defined in Section 3-5 of this Article. The Board of *Electrical* Examiners and Supervisors shall be a part of the Department of Licensing and Regulation. The board so appointed shall be competent practical electricians and representatives of the general public of Baltimore City, ALL OF WHOM SHALL BE RESIDENTS OF BALTIMORE CITY DURING THEIR ENTIRE TERM, and shall be selected as follows: [one (1) from nominations made by the Electrical Contractors' Associations of Maryland, and one (1) from nominations made by the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers of Maryland, one (1) from nominations made by the Chief of the Municipal Electrical Inspectors of Baltimore City, one (1) from nominations made by the Maryland Fire Underwriters Rating Bureau, and one (1) person residing in Baltimore City, who shall be a practical journeyman electrician who has served at the business for a period of not less than ten years] *three members who are practical electricians licensed in the City of Baltimore,* ONE OF WHOM SHALL BE A MEMBER OF THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS OF MARYLAND, *and two members from the general public,* and a majority of said Board shall constitute a quorum to transact the business thereof. The term of office of the members [of the] first [number so] appointed after July 1, 1972, shall be as follows: [the nominee from the Maryland Fire Underwriters Rating Bureau, the nominee from the Electrical Con-