

3. Other acceptable means.

(h) Transformers used for the supply of fixtures, together with the transformer enclosure, shall be approved for the purpose. The transformers shall be a two-winding type having a grounded metal barrier between the primary and secondary voltage windings.

(i) The end of the flexible cord jacket and the flexible cord conductor terminations within a fixture shall be covered with or encapsulated in a suitable potting compound to prevent the entry of water into the fixture through the cord or its conductors. In addition, the grounding connection within a fixture shall be similarly treated to protect such connection from the deteriorating effect of pool water in the event of water entry into the fixture.

(j) Conductors on the load side of a ground-fault circuit-interrupter or of a transformer, used to comply with the provisions of Section 680-4 (g), shall be kept entirely independent of all other wiring and electrical equipment.

SEC. 6. Until December 7, 1970, the appointments herein designated to be made by the County Executive shall be made by the County Council.

SEC. 7. Electrical contractors licenses and electrical contractors limited licenses issued prior to the effective date of this Act and valid at the effective date of this Act shall be considered "master electricians licenses" and "master electricians limited licenses" respectively, until their expiration, for the purposes of the Montgomery County Electrical Code.

SEC. 8. Severability.

The provisions of this Act are severable and if any provision, sentence, clause, section or part thereof is held illegal, invalid or unconstitutional or inapplicable to any person or circumstances, such illegality, invalidity, or unconstitutionality, or inapplicability shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions, sentences, clauses, sections or parts of the act or their application to other persons or circumstances. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent that this Act would have been adopted if such illegal, invalid or unconstitutional provision, sentence, clause, section or part had not been included therein, and if the person or circumstances to which the Act or any part thereof is inapplicable had been specifically exempted therefrom.

SEC. 9. This Act shall take effect on the 76th day following its enactment.

Effective: December 21, 1970