

FROM TIME TO TIME BE AMENDED. ]' EXCEPT FOR ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS CONFORMING TO AN ELECTRIC CODE ADOPTED IN BALTIMORE CITY OR A COUNTY, ALL ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS IN THE STATE SHALL CONFORM TO THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE.

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[[A CERTIFICATION CARD SHALL BE OBTAINED FROM THE MIDDLE DEPARTMENT INSPECTION AGENCY, THE TRI-STATE UNDERWRITERS, OR ANY GOVERNMENTAL BODY QUALIFIED TO ISSUE INSPECTION CERTIFICATES BEFORE ANY NEW ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION IS MADE. ]] CERTIFICATION OF ALL ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS SHALL BE OBTAINED FROM ANY NON-GOVERNMENTAL APPROVED INSPECTION AGENCY, OR ANY GOVERNMENTAL BODY QUALIFIED TO ISSUE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION CERTIFICATES, WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS OF COMPLETION.

825.

[[THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL, SHALL TEST AND ISSUE QUALIFICATION CERTIFICATES TO ANY INDIVIDUAL OR ORGANIZATION SEEKING TO QUALIFY AS AN ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR. ]] THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES, OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL, SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO TEST AND ISSUE QUALIFICATION CERTIFICATES, EXCEPT IN THOSE COUNTIES THAT HAVE A BOARD OR DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL INSPECTIONS TO ANY ADDITIONAL NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS SEEKING TO QUALIFY AS AN AUTHORIZED ELECTRICAL INSPECTION AGENCY. THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL SHALL REGULATE THE QUALITY AND PERFORMANCE OF THE INSPECTIONS OF NON-GOVERNMENTAL ELECTRICAL INSPECTION AGENCIES.

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THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE DO NOT APPLY TO BALTIMORE OR MONTGOMERY [[COUNTY]] COUNTIES.

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ANY PERSON VIOLATING THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBTITLE IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND UPON CONVICTION IS SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$500 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT EXCEEDING SIX MONTHS OR BOTH.

827.

THIS SUBTITLE SHALL NOT APPLY TO CARROLL AND FREDERICK COUNTIES.