COMMITTEE COMMENT: This subsection is new language derived from former Art. 56, § 531(c), which defined "master electrician" by reference to the specific activities of master electricians, and, as they related to the activities of master electricians, the first clause of § 534(a) and the first sentence of (b).

The definition is stated in the infinitive form to allow minor verb variations of the defined phrase without taking these variations out of the scope of the definition.

In the introductory language of paragraph (2) of this subsection, the former words "add", "maintain", and "erect" are deleted in light of the broad references to "installing" and "altering".

In paragraph (2)(i) of this subsection, the phrase "or any part of them", which formerly modified "electrical wiring, ... or condui{t}", is deleted as surplusage.

(J) STATE BOARD.

"STATE BOARD" MEANS THE STATE BOARD OF MASTER ELECTRICIANS.

COMMITTEE COMMENT: This subsection is new language derived from former Art. 56, § 531(f).

The word "State" is substituted for the former words "Maryland" and "Statewide" to avoid the use of the duplicative terms "Maryland" and "Statewide" and to correspond with other board designations used in the proposed Business Occupations Article.

With the advice of the State Board, the name of the State Board is changed to achieve uniformity among the names of the business occupation boards that this article governs.

The former phrase "except 'local board'" is deleted as unnecessary in light of the defined term "local board".

(K) STATE LICENSE.

"STATE LICENSE" MEANS A LICENSE THAT IS ISSUED BY THE STATE BOARD TO A MASTER ELECTRICIAN.

COMMITTEE COMMENT: This subsection is new language derived from former Art. 56, § 531(e).