(3) HAS A RESIDENT AGENT.

COMMITTEE COMMENT: This section is new language derived from former Art. 56, § 535(a).

Defined terms: "Local license" § 2-101 "State license" § 2-101

- 2-602. WAIVER OF LOCAL EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS.
  - (A) IN GENERAL.

SUBJECT TO THE LIMITATIONS IN THIS SECTION, A LOCAL JURISDICTION SHALL WAIVE ITS EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS LICENSED BY THE STATE BOARD TO PROVIDE ELECTRICAL SERVICES AS A MASTER ELECTRICIAN.

(B) CONDITIONS.

A LOCAL JURISDICTION MAY GRANT A WAIVER UNDER THIS SECTION ONLY IF THE APPLICANT:

- (1) PAYS ANY LICENSE FEE THAT THE LOCAL JURISDICTION REQUIRES;
  - (2) PROVIDES ADEQUATE EVIDENCE THAT THE APPLICANT:
- (I) BECAME LICENSED AS A MASTER ELECTRICIAN UNDER THIS TITLE AFTER PASSING AN EXAMINATION GIVEN BY THE STATE BOARD;
  - (II) HOLDS AN ACTIVE STATE LICENSE: AND
- (III) IN PLACE OF ANY BOND REQUIREMENT OF A LOCAL JURISDICTION, MEETS THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS OF § 2-604 OF THIS TITLE.
  - (C) ISSUANCE.

WITHIN 10 WORKING DAYS AFTER PAYMENT OF ANY LOCAL LICENSE FEE, A LOCAL JURISDICTION SHALL ISSUE A LOCAL LICENSE TO EACH APPLICANT WHO MEETS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS SECTION.

COMMITTEE COMMENT: This section is new language derived from former Art. 56, § 535(f) and the second sentence of (d) and the second clause of the eighth sentence of § 534(c).

In subsections (a) and (b) of this section, the references to a "local jurisdiction" are substituted for the former references to "subdivision", "political subdivision", and "local building official, permit