LEGISLATIVE BILL 192

Approved by the Governor March 22, 1993

Introduced by Cudaback, 36; Lynch, 13; Schellpeper, 18

AN ACT relating to the State Electrical Act; to amend section 81-2104, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1992; to change a reference to a code; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Supplement, 1992, be amended to read as follows:

81-2104. The board shall have power to:

(1) Elect its own officers;

(2) Engage and fix the compensation of such officers, inspectors, and employees as may be required in the performance of its duties:

(3) Pay such other expenses as may be necessary in the performance of its duties;

(4) Provide upon request such additional voluntary inspections and reviews as it deems appropriate;

(5) Adopt, promulgate, and revise rules and regulations necessary to enable it to carry into effect the State Electrical Act. In adopting and promulgating such rules and regulations, the board shall be governed by the minimum standards set forth in the National Electrical Code issued and adopted by the National Fire Protection Association in

1990 1993, Publication Number 70-1990 70-1993, which code shall be filed in the offices of the Secretary of State and the board and shall be a public record;

(6) Revoke, suspend, or refuse to renew any license granted pursuant to the State Electrical Act when the holder of such a license: (a) Violates any provision of the act or any rule or regulation adopted and promulgated pursuant to the act; (b) fails or refuses to pay any examination or license renewal fee required by law; or (c) is an electrical contractor or master electrician and fails or refuses to provide and keep in force a public liability insurance policy as required by the board;

(7) Provide for the amount and collection of fees for inspection and other services; and

(8) Adopt a seal, and the executive secretary shall have the care and custody thereof.

Sec. 2. That original section 81-2104, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1992, is repealed.

Sec. 3. Since an emergency exists, this act shall be in full force and take effect, from and after its passage and approval, according to law.