

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 53rd Legislature (2011)

3 SENATE BILL 797

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to electrical apprentices; amending  
8 59 O.S. 2001, Section 1686, as amended by Section 8,  
9 Chapter 4, O.S.L. 2008 (59 O.S. Supp. 2010, Section  
10 1686). Which relates to registration of electrical  
11 apprentices; prohibiting limitation on supervision of  
12 registered apprentice for licensed journeyman or  
13 contractor; providing an effective date; and  
14 declaring an emergency.

15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

16 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 59 O.S. 2001, Section 1686, as  
17 amended by Section 8, Chapter 4, O.S.L. 2008 (59 O.S. Supp. 2010,  
18 Section 1686), is amended to read as follows:

19 Section 1686. A. The Construction Industries Board shall, upon  
20 proper application and payment of fee, register as an electrical  
21 apprentice, and issue a certificate of ~~such~~ registration to, any  
22 person who furnishes satisfactory proof to the Board that the  
23 applicant is:

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1. Sixteen (16) years of age or over;

1           2. Enrolled in a school or federal training program for  
2 electrical apprentices recognized by the Board, or employed as an  
3 electrical apprentice with an active licensed electrical contractor.

4           B. All applications for examination, license or renewal of  
5 license shall be made in writing to the Board on forms provided, if  
6 necessary, by the Board. All applications shall be accompanied by  
7 the appropriate fee.

8           C. Apprentices, when required by the Board, shall provide such  
9 documents, statements or other information as may be necessary to  
10 submit to a national criminal history record check as defined by  
11 Section 150.9 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

12           D. Except as may be provided in this section, no ordinance,  
13 rule or law shall establish a set ratio or limitation on the number  
14 of registered electrical apprentices that an experienced licensed  
15 journeyman electrician or active licensed electrical contractor may  
16 supervise or employ.

17           SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2011.

18           SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
19 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby  
20 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
21 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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