

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 54th Legislature (2014)

3 SENATE BILL 1401

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to electricians and electrical
8 contractor licenses; amending 59 O.S. 2011, Section
9 1685, which relates to qualifications; directing
10 Committee of Electrical Examiners and the
Construction Industries Board to adopt rules and
procedures for certain military training; and
providing an effective date.

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

14 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 59 O.S. 2011, Section 1685, is
15 amended to read as follows:

16 Section 1685. A. The Construction Industries Board shall issue
17 a license as journeyman electrician or electrical contractor to any
18 person who:

19 1. Has been certified by the Committee of Electrical Examiners
20 as either having successfully passed the appropriate examination or
21 having a valid license issued by another governmental entity with
22 licensing requirements similar to those provided in the Electrical
23 License Act;

1 2. Has paid the license fee and otherwise complied with the
2 provisions of the Electrical License Act; and

3 3. Has, when required by the Board, provided such documents,
4 statements or other information as may be necessary to submit to a
5 national criminal history record check as defined by Section 150.9
6 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

7 B. All licenses shall be nontransferable and it shall be a
8 misdemeanor for any person licensed under the provisions of the
9 Electrical License Act to loan or allow the use of such license by
10 any other person, firm or corporation, except as specifically
11 provided in the Electrical License Act.

12 C. The Committee of Electrical Examiners and the Construction
13 Industries Board shall adopt procedures and rules to review and
14 accept proof and documentation of an applicant's qualified training
15 and experience as an electrician or electrical contractor while on
16 active duty with the armed forces of the United States when such
17 service member has been discharged from active duty within one (1)
18 year of the application for examination or licensure in this state
19 as a journeyman electrician or electrical contractor.

20 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2014.

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