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Under Secretary for Law.

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ELECTRICITY ACT, 1945.

### Electricity Act Regulations, 1947.

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ELECTRICITY ACT, 1945.

**Electricity Act Regulations, 1947.**

1. These regulations may be cited as the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947.
2. These regulations are divided into parts as follows:—
  - Part I.—Definitions (r. 3).
  - Part II.—Electrical Workers (rr. 4-70).
  - Part III.—Cinematograph Operators (rr. 71-107).
  - Part IV.—[Radio Workers (rr. 108-142) Revoked G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.]
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  - Part IX.—Overhead Line Working Safety Regulations (rr. 281-319).
  - Part X.—Approval of Electrical Appliances (rr. 320-341).

PART I.—DEFINITIONS.

Reg. 3  
amended by  
G.G. 11/7/47,  
p. 1262;  
G.G. 7/9/55,  
p. 2143.

3. (a) In these regulations the several words, expressions and terms to which meanings are assigned in the Electricity Act No. 19 of 1945 and State Electricity Commission Act, No. 60 of 1945, have the same meanings respectively. Any other definitions not specifically mentioned in these regulations or the Electricity Act or State Electricity Commission Act, have the same meanings as defined in the Standards Association of Australia Wiring Rules.

(b) Unless inconsistent with the context or subject matter:—

“Apprentice” (radio work) shall mean a person who has been registered by the Industrial Registrar as one who has been apprenticed to learn radio servicing and assembling.

“Armature Winder” (provided that the term shall be consistent with the definition of “Electrical Worker”) means any person engaged on winding of or making repairs to armatures, stators, rotors, or field coils provided that such person is responsible for the final connection and/or assembly and/or testing of such armatures, stators, rotors, or field coils.

A “Bench Assembler” (i.e. wireman, installer, coil winder, assembler, cabinet fitter) shall mean a worker engaged in assembling and putting together the parts of a radio as received from the maker, and the wiring and hooking up of such parts in a radio set, the winding of coils used in radio sets, the installation of such sets, and the fitting up of radio sets in cabinets.

“Cinematograph” means any moving picture projector and the apparatus pertaining thereto including sound equipment.

“Chairman” means the person appointed by the Commission as Chairman of any of the Boards constituted under the provisions of these regulations.

“Electrical Fitter” (provided that the term shall be consistent with the definition of “Electrical Worker”) means a worker engaged making, repairing, altering, assembling or testing (with or without wiring) electrical machines, instruments, or other apparatus.

“Electrical Installer” (provided that the term shall be consistent with the definition of “electrical worker”) means a worker engaged in the installation of electric lighting

and power, electric meters, motors and apparatus. (A worker solely engaged in the actual fixing of meters to boards, brackets or walls is not an electrical installer.)

"Electrical Worker" means any person engaged on electrical work if such is connected to or is to be connected to a pressure exceeding 40-volts, and includes any person who alters and/or repairs any electrical apparatus, any person who fits any electrical apparatus to any cord, cable or wire or terminal, any person who connects or disconnects any electrical apparatus from any fixed wiring where such fixed wiring is subject to a pressure exceeding 40-volts.

The term shall not include any person who is required to hold a license under the Electricity Act Regulations as a cinematograph operator, or a radio worker to the extent of where such electrical work is confined to the operation of the apparatus covered by such license.

The term shall not include any person engaged on the erection of overhead aerial cables or laying of underground cables or persons engaged on the mechanical construction only, or mechanical assembling only of electrical apparatus, unless such persons carry out the electrical testing of such electrical apparatus.

"Installation" means any place where electric wiring or apparatus is installed.

"Juniors" <sup>1</sup>(radio work) shall mean any person other than a radio serviceman, bench assembler or apprentice employed in a junior capacity in the work of assisting a radio serviceman or bench assembler.

"Licensed Operator" means the holder of a Cinematograph Operator's License under these regulations.

"Public Building" means any hospital or benevolent or other asylum or any theatre, opera house, concert room, music or assembly hall, whether forming part of or appurtenant to a licensed victualler's premises or not, or any school, church, chapel, or meeting house, and shall include any other building, structure, tent, gallery enclosure or platform whatsoever in or upon which numbers of persons are usually or occasionally assembled. For the purpose of these regulations the expression "public building" is also deemed to include any open air garden or any other premises where motion pictures are publicly exhibited.

"Radio Serviceman" <sup>1</sup>(general serviceman and workshop serviceman) shall mean a person employed in making, repairing, altering, assembling, testing, aligning, fault locating, winding and wiring radio machines, instruments or other radio apparatus including public address systems, television, talkie and amplifying apparatus.

"Supply Mains" means the electric mains belonging to the supply authority.

"Secretary" means the person appointed by the Commission under these regulations as secretary to any Board constituted under the provisions of these regulations.

"S.A.A. Wiring Rules" means the rules published by the Standards Association of Australia.

#### PART II.—ELECTRICAL WORKERS.

4. For the purpose of this part there shall be appointed by the Commission a Board, consisting of five members as follows:—

- (a) One member as representing the Commission, who shall be chairman;
- (b) one member nominated by the electrical contractors;

<sup>1</sup> Part IV of these Regulations, relating to radio workers, was revoked by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

- (c) one member nominated by the Fire Underwriters' Association;
- (d) one member nominated by the supply authorities;
- (e) one member nominated by the electrical workers.

The members nominated by the electrical contractors, Fire Underwriters' Association, supply authorities and electrical workers shall be holders of an "A" grade license as hereinafter defined, or possess such other qualifications which in the opinion of the Commission are at least equal to such.

If any abovenamed body fails to nominate a representative on the Board, the Commission may appoint a person to represent that body on the Board and thereupon such person shall become a member of the Board as if he had been nominated by that body.

5. There shall be paid to each member of the Board the sum of \$2.10 per sitting and such travelling and other allowances as the Commission may deem necessary.

6. The Commission shall appoint a suitable officer of the Commission as Secretary to the Board, and such officer shall be responsible for the safe custody of the register, the keeping of proper records therein and the issuing of licenses, certificates and all other necessary documents.

7. For the purpose of selecting a licensed "A" grade electrical worker as the electrical workers' representative on the Board, nominations will be invited from registered industrial unions whose members are covered by Awards or Agreements under the Arbitration Court, and where such members are electrical workers.

8. Should more than one nomination be received from the industrial unions mentioned in regulation 7, the Commission will appoint from the persons so nominated a representative of the electrical workers on the Board.

9. The Chairman of the Board shall hold office during the pleasure of the Commission. Other members of the Board (subject to regulations 4 and 7) shall hold office for a period of three (3) years from the date of their appointment and shall be eligible for re-appointment, subject to required nominations.

10. The Commission may appoint any person to act on the Board as Deputy Chairman in the absence of the Chairman. The person so appointed will not be entitled to act as Deputy Chairman at more than six consecutive meetings without the express approval of the Commission.

11. On the occurrence of an extraordinary vacancy in the Board the Commission may appoint a person to fill the vacancy providing that in filling the vacancy the constitution of the Board as prescribed in regulation 4 shall not be altered. Any person so appointed shall hold office only for the remainder of the period for which his predecessor was appointed.

12. The Board shall meet at such time and place as the Board decides.

13. Three (3) members of the Board shall form a quorum.

14. The functions of the Board shall include:—

- (a) The examination or arrangement for examination, and/or the supervision of any examination by any educational or other competent authority, under such conditions as the Board decides, of all persons required to undergo examinations prescribed by this Part.
- (b) The exemption from examination of any applicant for a license.
- (c) The approval of and/or issuing of licenses and/or permits to successful applicants.
- (d) The advising of the Commission with respect to any matters affecting electrical workers.

15. The Secretary shall keep at the office of the Commission the register, which shall include the following particulars in respect of every licensed electrical worker:—

- (a) Number and date of application.
- (b) Full name, date of birth and address of the applicant.
- (c) Date of examination passed by the applicant.
- (d) Number, date and class of license issued.
- (e) Fees paid and date of payment.

16. There shall be four grades of licenses, viz., "A" Grade, "B" Grade, "C" Grade and a "Restricted" License.

17. An "A" Grade License may be issued to any person who has had seven (7) years' experience in the following section or sections of the electrical trade:—

- (i) electrical fitting;
- (ii) electrical installing;
- (iii) armature winding,

and who passes the prescribed examinations in the sections specified above, or has had seven (7) years' experience which, in the opinion of the Board, may be equivalent to the experience required under the three sections specified, and has made application on the appropriate form set out in Regulation 34.

18. A "B" Grade License may be issued to any person who has had five (5) years' experience in the electrical trade and/or in addition to practical experience has had training which, in the opinion of the Board, would be equivalent to a total of five years' experience and is engaged in any of the following sections:—

- (i) Electrical fitting;
- (ii) electrical installing;
- (iii) armature winding,

and passes the prescribed examination for the section or sections for which he has made application and has made application on the appropriate form as set out in Regulation 34.

19. Applicants for a "B" Grade License may sit for examination in all or any of the sections referred to in the preceding regulations.

20. A "B" Grade License shall be endorsed by the Board indicating the section or sections of the electrical trade in which the holder is entitled to engage.

21. A "C" Grade License shall be issued to any person who is an apprentice to the electrical trade, or who is employed by any person to engage in electrical work for the purpose of learning the electrical trade, and who makes application for same on the appropriate form as set out in Regulation 34. This license shall only entitle the holder to work under the constant and personal supervision of the holder of an "A" Grade License, or under the constant and personal supervision of a "B" Grade License holder, provided such "B" Grade License holder has his license endorsed for the particular class of work on which the "C" Grade License holder is employed. A "C" Grade License shall not be issued to any person in contravention of any industrial award or agreement.

22. A "Restricted" License may be issued to any person who is employed at electrical work and who is not required under this Part to be the holder of an "A," "B," or "C" Grade License: Provided such person, in the opinion of the Board, is qualified to hold such a license, and passes the examination appropriate to the class of electrical work for which the license is requested: Provided also, that the holder of any Restricted License, irrespective of the type of restricted license held by him, shall not be deemed by the Board at any time to qualify, by virtue of such license, for an unrestricted license of any description.

23. A Restricted License shall be endorsed with the particular class and/or type of work in which the holder may engage, and in the case of juniors shall be further endorsed with the conditions under which electrical work may be carried out. The Board may also endorse the license confining the validity of the license to any particular area, place or employer.

24. The Board may, on receipt of an application on the prescribed form, exempt any applicant for any license from examination, upon receiving satisfactory proof that such applicant is in possession of the required knowledge and experience applicable to the license for which he has made application.

25. Notwithstanding anything contained in the foregoing regulations, the Board may, on receiving an application for any grade of license from a person who has served for the stipulated time on any of His Majesty's ships in an electrical capacity, as defined by the Department of the Navy, and who is in possession of an honourable discharge from the service, and who fails to pass the examination for the license for which he has made application, grant a permit for such applicant to work under the constant supervision of an "A" or "B" Grade License holder. Such permit may be for such periods as the Board may decide, and may be renewed from time to time as the Board may desire.

26. Any person holding a license or permit under this Part, may be called upon at any time by the Board to undergo an examination by a competent authority to prove his physical fitness and also his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow. In the case of apprentices and/or juniors who are applying for a license for the first year a license shall not be issued unless the application is accompanied by a certificate from a competent authority to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the aforesaid mentioned colours. The Board may refuse to issue a license or permit to any person who fails to pass the examination or produce such certificate as provided in this regulation.

27. Any person who is in possession of an "A" Grade License or an unrestricted "B" Grade Electrical Worker's License which has been issued under the regulations of the Electricity Act of 1937 may be issued with a similar license under these regulations without examination provided such license is current to 31st December, 1947, and provided the application for the issue of such license is made on or before 31st December, 1948, and on payment of the prescribed fees.

28. Any person who is the holder of restricted and/or endorsed license shall be issued with an equivalent license as prescribed in these regulations subject to application being lodged prior to 31st December, 1948, and on payment of the prescribed fees.

29. In special circumstances and at its discretion, the Board may grant a permit for any class of electrical work for such period as it may decide, and may endorse such permit with such conditions as it may deem necessary.

30. Applications for licenses or for permission to enter for examinations shall be made on the form provided for that purpose, and any person who has not previously made application for a license shall forward with the application such testimonials or other evidence of competency, experience, and character as the Board may require.

31. Should an applicant fail to pass the examination or examinations prescribed by the Board, it shall not be necessary for him, when subsequently applying for a license of the same grade or section, to supply testimonials or evidence as aforesaid supplied with his previous application unless specifically requested by the Board so to do.

32. Every license shall be and continue in force from the day of the date thereof until the 31st December then next ensuing, and no longer, and every license shall be renewed from year to year: Provided, however, that all licenses which are granted in the month of November in any year shall be and continue in force until the 31st December in the year next ensuing, and no longer.

33. The Board may in its discretion refuse to grant or renew any license. Any person to whom a license has not been granted, or to whom a renewal of a license has been refused, may appeal to the Commission.

34. Applications for licenses shall be submitted to the Board on the following forms:—

- "A" Grade on Form No. S.E.C. 1 in the appendix hereto.
- "B" Grade on Form No. S.E.C. 2 in the appendix hereto.
- "C" Grade on Form No. S.E.C. 3 in the appendix hereto.
- Restricted on Form No. S.E.C. 4 in the appendix hereto.

and—

- "A" or "B" Grade without examination on Form No. S.E.C. 5 in the appendix hereto.
- Permit on Form No. S.E.C. 6 in the appendix hereto: and licenses shall be issued—
- "A" Grade on Form No. S.E.C. 7 in the appendix hereto.
- "B" Grade on Form No. S.E.C. 8 in the appendix hereto.
- "C" Grade on Form No. S.E.C. 9 in the appendix hereto.
- Restricted on Form No. S.E.C. 10 in the appendix hereto.
- Permit on Form No. S.E.C. 11 in the appendix hereto.

35. Applications for renewals of licenses shall be made to the Secretary of the Board, in writing, or by personal application, in the months of November and December in any year before the expiration of the license then held by the applicant. The applicant shall produce to the Secretary of the Board the current license held by him at the time of application for renewal.

36. Every license in respect of which renewal is not applied for shall be surrendered by the holder to the Board not later than the 31st day of January next following the date of expiry thereof.

37. The following fees shall be paid:—

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Application for any license or permit	0.25
Upon issue—	
Restricted—License	0.50
"C" Grade License	0.25
"B" Grade License	0.75
"A" Grade License	1.00
For renewal of license before 31st January next ensuing following the date of expiry:—	
Restricted—License	0.50
"C" Grade License	0.20
"B" Grade License	0.50
"A" Grade License	0.75
For all renewals of licenses made after 31st January an additional payment of 10 cents for every month or part of a month after 31st January shall be made.	
For copy of any license	0.25
For re-issue of any folder declared by declaration to be lost	0.25
For issue of any permit	0.25
For any practical, written or oral examination	1.00
For any restricted examination	0.50

38. The scope of examinations for licenses may include tests in such theoretical and/or practical work and in knowledge of such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Board. The Board shall determine the manner of the examinations and may decide that oral, written or practical tests, or any or all of these shall be employed.

39. The Board may appoint any competent authority, person, or persons, to conduct examinations as required under these regulations, on behalf of the Board, under such conditions and terms as the Board may decide.

40. The Board may recommend to the Commission the payment of such fees as it may think necessary for the conducting of examinations as provided for in Regulation 39.

41. Every candidate for any practical, written or oral examination shall pay to the Board the fee prescribed under Regulation 37. Unless and until such fee is paid the candidate shall not be examined by the Board.

42. Every license or permit shall be and remain the property of the Board.

43. Every license or permit granted under this Part shall contain the name of the person to whom such license or permit is issued, and shall be signed by such person.

44. In addition to and notwithstanding any penalty which may be inflicted under this Part, if the holder of any license or permit issued under this Part—

- (a) has procured such license or permit by making, producing, or causing to be made or produced any false or fraudulent declaration, certificate, or representation either in writing or otherwise; or
- (b) has been convicted of a breach of this Part, or has carried out electrical work which is not in accordance with the Standards Association of Australia Wiring Rules, or has been convicted of a criminal offence, which breach, work or offence is of such a nature as to cause the Board to consider it undesirable that such holder should continue to hold such license;

the Board may cancel such license or suspend same for such period as it may think fit.

45. In the event of any person having his license cancelled, the license shall be handed or returned to the Board.

46. Any person making application for re-issue of a cancelled license shall follow the same procedure and pay the same fees as if an original application were being made.

47. In the event of any person having his license suspended, the license shall be handed to and be held by the Board for the period of suspension.

48. If the Board has reason to believe that any person to whom a license has been issued is not a fit and proper person to continue to hold such license, it may, if it thinks fit, hold an enquiry into the conduct of such license holder, and with respect to such enquiry the following provisions shall have effect:—

- (a) The enquiry shall be held at such time and place as the Board may appoint, the license holder to have the right to engage counsel to represent him at such enquiry. Fourteen days' notice of the Board's intention to hold an enquiry shall be given, and if the license holder intends to employ counsel he shall give seven days' notice of such intention to the Secretary of the Board.
- (b) The Secretary of the Board shall furnish to the license holder a statement of the cause on which the enquiry is instituted.



- (c) The license holder shall attend such enquiry and may produce such evidence as may be considered necessary. If the license holder does not attend or his counsel does not attend, the enquiry will proceed in his absence.
- (d) The Board shall, upon the conclusion of the enquiry, give its decision, but the license holder shall have the right to appeal to the Commission against such decision.

49. If any person proves to the satisfaction of the Board that he, without fault on his part, has lost or has been deprived of any license granted him under the provisions of this Part, the Board may deliver an office copy of such license, signed by the Secretary of the Board, upon receipt of the prescribed fee.

50. The holder of an office copy of a license issued under the preceding regulation shall be entitled to carry out electrical work as if such office copy were the original license.

51. Every electrical worker, who changes his address, shall immediately notify the Secretary of the Board in writing of his new address. Any notification required to be given under this Part shall be deemed to have been correctly given, if sent by post addressed to the electrical worker at his latest address, as it appears in the register of addresses of electrical workers kept by the Secretary. Failure to give due notification of change of address shall be deemed a breach of this regulation.

52. The Board or any member thereof or any inspector appointed under these regulations shall have power to inspect electric installations on any electrical work in progress, except any works of the Supply Authority.

53. For the purpose of making any necessary inspection, or to examine the license of any electrical worker, the Board or any member thereof, or an inspector, may enter any building or place where electrical wiring and apparatus has been or is being installed.

54. The Commission, acting on the recommendation of the Board, may appoint persons to act in an honorary capacity as license inspectors. Such license inspectors shall be provided with a certificate in the Form No. S.E.C. 12 in the Appendix hereto.

55. License inspectors shall have power to enter any building or place where electrical wiring and/or apparatus is installed or being installed, or any electrical work has been or is being done, for the purpose of ascertaining whether the electrical workers employed are duly licensed, and of examining the license of any licensed electrical worker.

56. Any General Inspector, Inspector, or License Inspector, after production of his certificate of appointment, may require any person engaged or apparently engaged on electrical work to produce his license for inspection, either forthwith to such General Inspector, Inspector or License Inspector, or by notice in the Form No. S.E.C. 13 in the Appendix hereto, require him to produce it within the time specified to the Board.

57. The Board may, by notice in the Form No. S.E.C. 13 in the Appendix hereto, posted to any duly licensed electrical worker at his address, require such electrical worker to produce his license for inspection by the Board.

58. Any person who fails to produce his license to a General Inspector, Inspector or License Inspector of the Board, when required so to do under the provisions of Regulations 56 or 57, shall be guilty of a breach of this Part.

Nothing contained in these regulations shall prevent any action being taken against any electrical worker for any infringement against this regulation or the S.A.A. Wiring Rules.

59. Any person who employs, permits, or instructs any unlicensed person to carry out any electrical work, or employs, permits, or instructs any licensed electrical worker to carry out any electrical work not covered by the license held by him or the endorsement on the license so held, in contravention of this Part, or of the S.A.A. Wiring Rules, shall be guilty of a breach of this Part.

60. Any duly licensed electrical worker who performs, carries out or engages in electrical work of a kind or in a manner not authorised by his license, shall be guilty of a breach of this Part.

61. Any person who performs, carries out, or engages in electrical work without first obtaining the requisite license therefor shall be guilty of a breach of this Part.

62. Every employer of electrical workers shall keep a register of such employees, such register to indicate the employee's name, address, grade and number of license.

63. All work as provided for under this Part shall be carried out in accordance with the S.A.A. Wiring Rules for the time being in force and to the approved by-laws of the Supply Authority, and in accordance with the regulations of any other approved authority.

64. Any person engaged in electrical work may at any time be called upon to submit proof of his knowledge of the method of resuscitation, in cases of electric shock.

65. Notwithstanding anything contained in the regulations under this Part, any person, firm or company may employ any licensed electrical worker for the purpose of carrying out electrical maintenance or other work on the premises of the employer, and the electrical worker so employed may apply to the Board for such notification certificates as may be required as provided under Regulation 67.

66. Electrical workers applying for notification certificates under the preceding regulations shall produce sufficient evidence as may be required by the Board to indicate they are employed in the capacity specified and the work desired to be undertaken is not electrical contract work.

67. No electrical contractor or electrical worker (as referred to in Regulation 65) shall commence, or cause to be commenced except in cases of emergency, any electrical work involving new installations or alterations or additions to existing installations until he has supplied to the Supply Authority at least 24 hours' notice before the commencement of such work, and notice of commencement in Form S.E.C. 14. On completion of such electrical work the electrical contractor and/or electrical worker shall supply to the Supply Authority a notice (Form S.E.C. 15). No installation shall be connected to the supply mains until such notice has been received by the Supply Authority.

68. No electrical contractor or electrical worker shall sign the notice to any supply or other authority on behalf of any other person or contractor, or sign the notice for electrical work which he has not carried out.

69. Subject to these regulations, any licensed electrical worker may carry out electrical work on his own premises without having an electrical contractor's license, provided the issue of notification certificates Nos. S.E.C. 14 and S.E.C. 15 for such work has been approved by the Board.

70. No electrical worker shall carry out any electrical work under any written, verbal or implied contract for gain or reward other than work performed in the sole and continuous employ of a licensed electrical contractor.

## PART III.—CINEMATOGRAPH OPERATORS.

(Relating to Examination and Licensing of Cinematograph Operators.)

71. For the purpose of this Part there shall be appointed by the Commission a Cinematograph Operators' Board, hereinafter referred to as "the Board", consisting of three members as follows:—

- (a) One member as representing the Commission, who shall be Chairman;
- (b) one member as representing the employers of cinematograph operators; and
- (c) one member as representing cinematograph operators.

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G.G. 25/3/48.  
Amendment  
disallowed  
by Legisla-  
tive Council  
21/9/48.  
See G.G.  
25/2/49,  
p. 340.

72. The Chairman of the Board shall hold office during the pleasure of the Commission. Other members of the Board shall hold office for a period of three (3) years from the date of their appointment and shall be eligible for re-appointment subject to required nomination.

73. The Board shall meet at such times and places as the Board decides.

74. A quorum of the Board shall consist of all the members.

75. On the occurrence of any extraordinary vacancy in the Board the Commission may appoint a person to fill the vacancy (provided such appointment is consistent with Regulation 71) and any person so appointed shall hold office only for the remainder of the period for which his predecessor was appointed.

76. The Commission may at any time remove any member of the Board.

77. The Commission may appoint any person to act on the Board as Deputy Chairman in the absence of the Chairman. The person so appointed will not be entitled to act as Deputy Chairman at more than six consecutive meetings without the express approval of the Commission.

78. The functions of the Board shall include:—

- (a) The examination of or the arrangement for the examination of all persons who are required to sit for any examination prescribed by or under this Part;
- (b) the examination of applications for licensing from persons who claim to have qualified in any other State of the Commonwealth of Australia;
- (c) the advising of the Commission in respect of all matters concerning the function of the Board and the licensing of cinematograph operators.

79. There shall be paid to each member of the Board the sum of \$2.10 per sitting, \$4.20 for each periodical examination conducted by the Board and such travelling and other allowances as the Commission may deem necessary.

80. No person shall be eligible to sit for the examination (or any part thereof) unless he has had at least two years' continuous practical training under the direct supervision of a senior operator in a cinematograph projection room during public exhibitions, and has received instructions from any licensed operator or other approved instructor in subjects (a) and (b) in such details of subjects as are appropriate to the scope of the examination for which he desires to sit, and (c), (d), (e) and (f) hereunder:—

- (a) Electricity—knowledge of electrical action in general with regard to direct and alternating current, motors, generators, transformers, converters, rectifiers, resistances, choke coils, volt and ampere meters, arc lamps, switches, fuses, wires, cables, sound equipment, and the necessary connections for the various appliances.
- (b) Projectors—mechanism, optical system, and sound equipment.

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- (c) Film—care of, handling, joining, and re-winding.
- (d) Practical projection of pictures and sound.
- (e) Safety precautions—especially in relation to prevention and extinction of fire in the projection room and re-winding room.
- (f) A knowledge of the method of resuscitation in cases of electric shock.

Application to be examined under this regulation shall be made in the Form No. S.E.C. 16 in the appendix hereto.

81. The Board may accept, if it deems fit, any training done by any applicant in any other State of the Commonwealth of Australia as an equivalent part of the prescribed course.

Provided that such training is of the same standard as that prescribed under this Part.

82. (1) The examination shall consist of five parts, as follows:—  
Part 1.—General knowledge of the principles underlying and the regulations governing the operation of cinematograph apparatus.

Part 2.—General knowledge of direct current apparatus and its application to cinematograph equipment.

Part 3.—General knowledge of alternating current and its application to electrical equipment used in conjunction with cinematograph apparatus.

Part 4.—General knowledge of the principles underlying the reproduction of sound for cinematograph purposes and the apparatus ordinarily used in connection therewith.

Part 5.—Personal examination of the candidate in respect of the practical application of his knowledge of the subjects included in the above parts.

(2) The examination in respect to Parts 1 to 4 inclusive shall be written and Part 5 shall be a practical and oral exam.

83. Where a candidate passes in Part 1 and fails in not more than two other parts he may, with the approval of the Board be admitted to a supplementary examination in respect of the part or parts in which he failed.

84. Every candidate who passes all parts of the examination shall be entitled to receive a license (on payment of required fees) entitling him to operate all classes of cinematograph apparatus.

85. Examinations shall be held at such times and places and under such conditions as the Board decides.

86. No person shall be licensed unless he has attained the full age of 21 years.

87. (a) Any person who produces evidence satisfactory to the Board of having been registered or licensed as a cinematograph operator by any State Authority in any other State of the Commonwealth of Australia may be licensed under this Part, provided that the standard of training and examination prescribed by such Authority is in the opinion of the Board equivalent to the standard prescribed under this Part.

(b) The Board may, if it thinks fit, require any applicant under this regulation to pass such examination as under the circumstances the Board deems appropriate, and may in any special case require the applicant to undergo such supplementary training as the Board thinks fit before being allowed to sit for the examination.

88. When any licensed operator changes his address he shall forthwith notify in writing or inform the Secretary of such change and supply his new address.

89. If any licensed operator fails to renew his license within 12 months after the date of its expiry, the right of renewal shall be forfeited, and the operator concerned must make another application for a license and the Board may require him to undergo another examination.

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25/2/49,  
p. 340.

90. The Commission shall appoint a suitable officer of the Commission as Secretary of the Board, and such officer shall be responsible for the safe custody of the register, the keeping of proper records therein and the issuing of licenses and permits.

91. The Secretary shall keep at the offices of the Commission the register, which shall include the following particulars in respect of each application:—

- (a) Number and date of application;
- (b) full name, date of birth and address of applicant;
- (c) date of examination passed by the applicant;
- (d) date of approval of license;
- (e) number, date and class of licenses issued;
- (f) fees paid and date of payment.

92. No person other than an applicant approved of by the Board shall be granted a license to operate a cinematograph, and every such license shall be granted subject to such conditions as the Board may impose and shall be in the Form No. S.E.C. 17 in the Appendix hereto.

93. No person shall operate any cinematograph in a public building, unless he holds a current license issued by the Board, or has been issued with a permit and no person so licensed or permitted shall operate any cinematograph contrary to the conditions of the license or permit.

94. No person shall employ or permit or suffer to be employed as a cinematograph operator in charge of a projection cabin of a cinematograph in a public building any person who—

- (a) does not hold a current license as a cinematograph operator;
- (b) does not hold a current permit issued under regulations 96 and 97 of these regulations, which authorises such person to act as a cinematograph operator.

95. Every license shall expire on the thirty-first day of December in the year in which it was issued and may be renewed by the Secretary on payment of the prescribed fee.

96. Where the Board for any adequate reason is unable to consider any application for license forthwith the Board may on application being made in Form No. 18 in the Appendix hereto, on production of evidence that the applicant fulfils the requirements of this Part in respect of training and competency, grant a permit in the Form No. 19 in the Appendix hereto, to operate subject to such conditions as to period, currency, place and apparatus as the Board may impose.

97. (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in these regulations the Board in lieu of issuing a license may issue a permit to a person who operates in a public building a 16 m.m. projector or a projector of smaller capacity provided—

- (a) that application is made on Form S.E.C. 18 in the Appendix hereto;
- (b) that the applicant passes such examination as the Board may require; and
- (c) that the applicant pays the fees prescribed in section (g) of regulation 103.

The Board may endorse the permit confining the validity to any particular area, place or employer.

(2) The Board may recognise a certificate of competency certifying that the holder is qualified to operate a 16 m.m. projector or a projector of smaller capacity and issued by the Education Department under the authority of the Superintendent of Visual Education, as a permit issued under subregulation (1) of this regulation, but the certificate so recognised shall be valid for the purposes of this regulation only while the holder is engaged in operating the projector in a school for educational purposes.

Reg. 97  
amended by  
G.O. 12/9/56,  
p. 2294.

98. Provided also that the holder of a permit issued under regulation 97 and irrespective of type or endorsement of the permit held by him shall not be deemed by the Board to qualify by the virtue of such permit for an unrestricted general license of any description.

99. Every operator to whom a license or permit has been granted shall forthwith, on receipt of such license or permit, write his ordinary signature in the space provided therein for such purpose.

100. Any person who represents himself to an Inspector as a licensed cinematograph operator shall, when requested by such Inspector, sign his name on paper provided by such Inspector for the purpose of enabling such Inspector to compare such signature with the signature on the license which such person claims to be his.

101. Every licensed operator and every person to whom a permit has been granted shall whilst on duty, keep his license or permit (as the case may be) in such position in the projection room or about his person as to enable him to readily produce it for inspection, and such license or permit shall be so produced on demand by any authorised inspector.

102. The Board may endorse any license confining the validity of such license to any particular area or place, and also may further endorse such license with the name of the employer of the licensee.

103. Every candidate for examination and every applicant for a license or permit, shall pay to the Secretary of the Board the appropriate fees hereunder prescribed:—

- (a) For full examination under regulation 82, \$2.
- (b) For the supplementary examination of a candidate under the provisions of regulations 83 and 87 (b), \$1.
- (c) For the investigation of evidence in relation to applications not involving the personal examination of the applicants, 50 cents.
- (d) For the first license issued to an applicant, 50 cents.
- (e) For the renewal of a license—
  - (1) Not later than one month after its expiration, 25 cents.
  - (2) Later than one month but not later than three months after its expiration, 50 cents.
  - (3) Later than three months but not later than six months after its expiration, \$1.
  - (4) Later than six months, but not later than 12 months after its expiration, \$2.
- (f) For the issue of a permit, 50 cents.
- (g) Application, examination and issue fee under regulation 97, 50 cents.

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25/2/49,  
p. 340.

104. (1) The license or permit of any cinematograph operator may be suspended or revoked by order of the Board if—

- (a) such license or permit has been obtained by fraud or misrepresentation; or
- (b) he has been convicted of a felony or misdemeanour; or
- (c) he has been convicted of any offence against this Part of these regulations;
- (d) his physical condition is such as to render him incapable of carrying out the duties of a cinematograph operator in a competent manner.

(2) Before suspending or revoking any license, the Board shall cause to be sent to the holder thereof by registered letter a statement of the charge and afford him an opportunity of giving an explanation personally or in writing.

(3) No person whose license or permit has been suspended shall act as a cinematograph operator during the period of such suspension.

(4) Every person whose license or permit is revoked shall return his license to the Board within fourteen days of such revocation.

105. Every person who procures or attempts to procure any license or permit by making or producing, or causing to be made or produced, any false or fraudulent declaration, certificate, application, representation or who impersonates or attempts to impersonate any candidate at any examination shall be guilty of an offence against this Part.

106. The Commission, acting on the advice of the Board, may appoint such person or persons as it may think necessary as inspectors for the proper carrying out of this Part, and such inspectors shall be provided with a certificate in the Form No. S.E.C. 20 in the Appendix hereto.

107. Inspectors so appointed shall have power to enter at all reasonable times any projection room for the purpose of examining the license or permit of any operator.

#### PART IV.

[Part IV, revoked by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.]

#### PART V.—ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS' LICENSING REGULATIONS.

143. For the purpose of this Part there shall be appointed by the Commission an Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board hereinafter referred to as the Board consisting of four members as follows:—

One member as representing the Commission who shall be Chairman.

One member nominated by the Electrical Contractors' Association.

One member nominated by the Supply Authorities.

One member nominated by the Electrical Workers.

144. Members nominated by the Electrical Contractors' Association and the Supply Authorities shall be holders of an "A" Grade License as provided for in the Electrical Workers' Regulations.

145. The nominee of the Electrical Workers shall be selected by the Commission from nominations received from industrial unions who under their constitutions provide for electrical workers. Nominations submitted by industrial unions shall be for nominees who are the holders of an "A" Grade License as required under the Electrical Workers' Regulations.

146. The Chairman shall be appointed by the Commission and shall hold office at the pleasure of the Commission. All other members of the Board shall hold office for three years as from the date of the gazettal of their appointment in the *Government Gazette* and shall be eligible for reappointment.

147. If any of the abovenamed bodies fail to nominate a representative, the Commission may appoint a person to represent that body on the Board and thereupon such person shall become a member of the Board as if he had been nominated by that body.

148. The Commission may appoint any person to act on the Board as Deputy Chairman in the absence of the Chairman. The person so appointed will not be entitled to act as Deputy Chairman at more than six consecutive meetings without the express approval of the Commission.

149. The Board shall meet at such times and places as the Board may decide.

150. The quorum of the Board shall consist of three members.

151. There shall be paid to each member of the Board the sum of \$2.10 per sitting and such travelling and other expenses as the Commission may deem necessary.

152. The Commission shall appoint a suitable officer of the Commission as Secretary to the Board and such officer shall be responsible for the keeping of proper records, the issuing of licenses and all other necessary documents.

153. On the occurrence of any extraordinary vacancy in the Board the Commission may appoint a person to fill the vacancy, provided that in filling such vacancy the constitution of the Board as prescribed in Regulation 143 hereof shall not be altered. Any person so appointed shall hold office only for the remainder of the period for which his predecessor was appointed.

154. The functions of the Board shall include:—

- (a) the examination of all applications of licenses;
- (b) the issuing of licenses;
- (c) the advising of the Commission with respect to any matters affecting electrical contractors.

155. (a) No person shall be licensed as an electrical contractor, nor shall the license of a person as an electrical contractor be renewed unless—

(i) He makes application to the Board on Form S.E.C. 22 or 23 for license or renewal (as the case may be), has paid the license fee, or, as the case requires, the license renewal fee prescribed in regulation 180.

(ii) Either he holds or in the case of a firm, one of the partners holds an "A" or "B" Grade License as an Electrical Worker or he employs in his sole and continuous employ a person who holds an "A" or "B" Grade License as an Electrical Worker. If such contractor, partner or worker is a "B" Grade License holder, the license of the Electrical Contractor shall only entitle the Electrical Contractor to carry out such class of electrical contract work as may be endorsed on the Electrical Worker's License which may be held by the contractor, partner and/or worker. Persons or firms making application for a license as Electrical Contractors who do not hold licenses as Electrical Workers shall, when making the application, submit a consent form as provided for in Regulation 157 (c) from the Electrical Worker who is nominated by such person or firm as being in their sole and continuous employ.

(b) (i) Every fact and document set forth in, or in support of an application for a license or renewal of a license, and every expression of opinion so set forth shall be verified by statutory declaration by the applicant.

(ii) In the case of a firm desiring to be licensed, or to have its license renewed as an electrical contractor, the statutory declaration required under the foregoing sub-clause (i) may be made by one partner if he holds an Electrical Worker's License of the relevant grade.

(iii) In the case of a corporation the statutory declaration required under the foregoing sub-clause (i) shall be made by its chairman of directors, or other presiding member of its governing body.

(c) Where a firm is dissolved, whether by the death or retirement of a partner, or by the admission of a new partner, or otherwise, the new firm may apply for a license as an Electrical Contractor, but unless and until such an application is granted it shall not be licensed as an Electrical Contractor.

156. No person, company or firm shall be licensed as an Electrical Contractor unless and until proof is submitted that all provisions of the Employers' Liability Act have been complied with.



157. (a) A person who is licensed as an Electrical Contractor shall be entitled to carry out and to contract for the carrying out of the class of electrical work for which he is licensed.

(b) No person who holds a license as an Electrical Worker and is registered with the Board as the employee of an Electrical Contractor shall be licensed as an Electrical Contractor, and if he has been licensed as an Electrical Contractor before he has been registered with the Board as an employee he shall cease to be licensed as an Electrical Contractor on being so registered as an employee.

(c) No Electrical Worker shall be registered as such employee unless he consents in writing thereto in the Form S.E.C. 24 provided in these Regulations, and when he ceases to be in the sole and continuous employment of the said Electrical Contractor he shall notify the Board, and the Board shall then record on the register that he is no longer so employed, and he shall thereupon cease to be so registered.

158. Every licensed Electrical Contractor shall upon being licensed or on renewal of his license be entitled to receive from the Board a license or renewal certificate in the forms S.E.C. 25 or 26 in the Appendix hereto.

159. (a) Subject to the provisions of these Regulations an Electrical Contractor shall be licensed as on and from the day on which the license is signed by the Secretary, and thereafter until the 30th day of June then next ensuing, and for any additional period for which his license is renewed under these Regulations.

(b) The license of any person as an Electrical Contractor may be renewed from time to time for a period not exceeding one year at a time, by the issue of a certificate in the Form S.E.C. 26 provided in these Regulations and shall be renewed as on and from the day on which the certificate of renewal is signed by the Secretary, and shall cease on the 30th day of June then next ensuing.

(c) Provided that if an application for a license or the renewal of a license of any person is granted in the month of June in any year the license of such person may continue in force until the 30th day of June in the following year.

(d) No person shall be deemed to be licensed as an Electrical Contractor except during the period for which his license is in force, as expressed in these Regulations.

160. Application for renewal of a license shall be made to the Board in the Form S.E.C. 23 provided in these Regulations, and may be made before the expiry of the license then held by the applicant for renewal during the month of June, or may be made in the following month of July; but the applicant shall, before the renewal is issued pursuant to any such application, deliver to the Board any license or renewal of license which he then holds.

161. Every license, or renewal of license, in respect of which renewal is not applied for as aforesaid, shall be surrendered by the holder to the Board not later than the 31st day of July next following the date of expiry thereof.

162. In addition to, and notwithstanding any penalty which may be inflicted under these Regulations, or otherwise, if a person licensed as an Electrical Contractor—

- (a) has made, or caused, or allowed to be made or produced in or in connection with any application by him, or on his behalf, for a license or renewal of a license as an Electrical Contractor, any false or fraudulent declaration or representation, whether in writing or not in writing; or
- (b) has, in the opinion of the Board, infringed in the carrying out of any contract for any electrical work; or
- (c) has, in the opinion of the Board, committed a breach of these Regulations, or of the S.A.A. Wiring Rules; or

- (d) ceases to carry on business as an Electrical Contractor; or
- (e) is not carrying on at and from his registered business address the business of electrical contracting; or
- (f) becomes bankrupt or insane; or
- (g) applies to have his license cancelled or suspended,

the Board may, even though the license has been renewed since the occurrence of the relevant event, cancel or suspend, or refuse to renew the license of that person as an Electrical Contractor, or may suspend his license for such period as it shall think fit. Upon such cancellation, or during such suspension, such person shall for the purposes of the Act and of these Regulations, be deemed to be not licensed as an Electrical Contractor.

163. The Board may at any time, and for such reason as it may deem sufficient, and on payment of the prescribed fees:—

- (a) Reduce the period for which the license of any person as an Electrical Contractor has been suspended, or may again license as an Electrical contractor a person whose license has been cancelled and who makes new application for a license, and is eligible for a license under these Regulations.
- (b) Without prejudice to any other procedure which may be lawfully followed to give whose application for a license or renewal of a license the Board proposes to refuse, or whose license it proposes to suspend or cancel, an opportunity of appearing before it, issue a notice in writing that the Board intends to enquire into any such matter and such notice shall be deemed to have been properly given if forwarded by post by registered letter addressed to the applicant at his last known address, or to the licensed Electrical Contractor at his registered business address (as the case may be). In such case the applicant or licensed Electrical Contractor may, on or before a date specified in that behalf in such notice, tender information in support of his application, or (as the case may require) his contention that his license should not be suspended or cancelled, and on another day and at a time specified in that behalf in the notice, being not more than fourteen days later than the first date, he may appear before the Board at its office in Murray Street, Perth, but if such person does not appear at the enquiry at the time and day so specified, the Board may proceed with and conclude the enquiry in his absence.

164. Notification of any suspension or cancellation of a license hereunder shall be given by letter signed by the Secretary, forwarded by ordinary prepaid post, addressed to the Electrical Contractor to whom such license was granted at the last address appearing in the register as the address of such Electrical Contractor. Every license, or renewal of a license, shall be delivered to the Board forthwith upon cancellation, suspension, or refusal of renewal.

165. The Secretary shall from time to time cause the names of all persons whose applications for licenses as Electrical Contractors have been granted by the Board, and other information required to be registered, to be entered in a register to be kept for that purpose. Such register shall be called the "Electrical Contractors' Register," and shall contain particulars relating to the licensing, renewal, suspension, or cancellation of licenses and qualifications for such licensing of all persons registered. Any entry in the register shall be *prima facie* proof of the truth of the matter set forth in the entry:—

- (a) The register shall be open for inspection by any person at the office of the Secretary during ordinary office hours on payment to the Board of the fee prescribed therefor, in Regulation 180.

- (b) The Secretary shall, upon payment to the Board of the fee prescribed in Regulation 180, furnish information, in writing, upon demand by any person as to whether any named person is or is not a licensed Electrical Contractor.

166. (1) Every person who is licensed as an Electrical Contractor shall, during the period for which his licence is in force:—

- (a) At all times carry on his business of electrical contracting at and from an address which is registered with the Board as his business address.
- (b) From time to time without delay notify the Board of any change of his registered business address.
- (c) At all times, if he does not himself (or in the case of a firm if one of the partners of the firm for the time being does not) hold an "A" Grade or a "B" Grade License under the Licensing of Electrical Workers' Regulations, have in his sole and continuous employment a person who holds an "A" Grade or a "B" Grade License who is registered with the Board as being in his employment.
- (d) From time to time, without delay, notify the Board of the cessation (from whatever cause) of the sole and continuous employment by him of any person who holds a license under the Licensing of Electrical Workers' Regulations, and who is registered with the Board as being in his employ, and, in the case of a firm, each and every partner shall without delay notify the Board of the death or retirement from the firm of any partner.

(2) Provided that it shall not be an offence against paragraphs (c) and (d) of Regulation 166 (1) for a person licensed as an Electrical Contractor to offer or contract to carry out, subject to and in accordance with the requirements of these Regulations in all other respects, electrical work during such period as the Board may from time to time authorise him in writing, after the cessation of the sole and continuous employment by him of the person registered with the Board as being in his employment, as required by paragraph (c), or after the cessation of his partnership with the person who holds a license of the relevant grade, provided that the Electrical Contractor has immediately upon the cessation of such employment or partnership forwarded to the Board notice, in writing, of such cessation, and the Board has, in writing acknowledged receipt of such notice.

167. Every person applying for a license, or the renewal of a license, as an Electrical Contractor who, during the year ending the 31st day of December preceding the date of his relevant application, employed one or more electrical workers, shall forward to the Board with his application, fees ascertained in accordance with Regulation 180. In the case of a person newly commencing business the Board shall fix the number of electrical workers on which the fees are to be assessed. For the purpose of assessing fees under this Regulation, the number of electrical workers employed by any applicant for a license, or renewal of a license, shall be deemed to be that number (to the nearest integer) which is the average of the highest respective numbers of electrical workers (not being indentured apprentices) employed by the applicant on electrical work in Western Australia in each of the weeks during the relevant year.

168. The applicant shall declare by statutory declaration verifying his application the average number so employed, and shall, on demand by the Board produce to it at a time and place named in the demand, sufficient evidence to support such declaration.

169. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Regulations under this Part, any person, firm or company may employ any licensed electrical worker for the purpose of carrying out electrical,

maintenance or other works on the premises of the employer and the electrical worker so employed may apply to the Board for such notification certificates as may be required as provided for under Regulations 170 and 171.

170. Electrical workers applying for notification certificates under the preceding Regulations shall produce sufficient evidence as may be required by the Board to indicate that they are employed in the capacity specified and that the work desired to be undertaken is not electrical contract work.

171. No electrical contractor or electrical worker (as referred to in Regulation 170) shall commence, or cause to be commenced, except in cases of emergency, any electrical work involving new installations or alterations or additions to existing installations, until he has supplied the Supply Authority at least twenty-four hours' notice before the commencement of such work and notice of commencement in Form S.E.C. 14. On completion of such electrical work the electrical contractor shall supply to the Supply Authority a notice on form No. S.E.C. 15. No installation shall be connected to the supply mains until such notice has been received by the Supply Authority.

172. No electrical contractor or electrical worker shall sign the notice to any Supply or other Authority on behalf of any other person or contractor, or sign the notice for electrical work which he has not carried out.

173. Electrical contractors shall carry out all electrical work in accordance with specifications, where specifications are issued, and if no specifications cover the electrical work which the electrical contractor is undertaking, he shall carry out the electrical work in accordance with standard and accepted practice.

174. When it is necessary to have any installation connected to the supply mains before the installation is completed for testing or other purpose, the electrical contractor in charge of the work shall notify the Supply Authority accordingly, and if after the Supply Authority has made an inspection and is satisfied that such connection is warranted and that the installation is safe, the Supply Authority shall then notify the electrical contractor in charge of the installation to issue a notice in the Form S.E.C. 27 in the Appendix hereto before the connection is made.

175. The Supply Authority may under any circumstances refuse to make any connection, if a permanent run-out and point of entry has not been installed.

176. The Supply Authority shall keep a register of all installations connected to its supply mains. Such register shall state the name of the electrical contractor, or electrical worker who was in charge of, or carried out the installation, and his license number, address, and whether the installation is new, additional, or an alteration. Such register shall be available for inspection by any inspector.

177. No electrical contractor or employer shall instruct or permit any person to carry out or perform any electrical work in contravention of these Regulations or the S.A.A. Wiring Rules.

178. Every electrical contractor shall keep a register of all electrical workers employed by him, such register to indicate the employee's name, address, grade and number of license and any endorsements appearing thereon.

179. All work as provided for under this Part shall be carried out in accordance with the S.A.A. Wiring Rules for the time in force and to the approved by-laws of the Supply Authority, and in accordance with the Regulations of any other approved authority.

## Fees:

180. The following fees shall be paid:—	\$	Reg. 180 disallowed 24/9/47, see G.G. 5/12/47, p. 2209. New Reg. 180 added by G.G. 25/3/48, p. 695.
(a) On application for license .....	2.00	
(b) On issue of license .....	6.00	
For each electrical worker (the number of electrical workers being ascertained in accordance with the provisions of regulation 167) an additional fee of ....	1.00	
(c) For renewal of license .....	4.00	
For each electrical worker employed (the number employed being ascertained in accordance with the provisions of regulation 167) an additional fee of .....	0.75	
(d) For copy of license or renewal of license declared lost .....	1.00	
(e) For inspection of Register in accordance with regulation 165 (a) .....	0.25	
(f) For information in writing from Register in accordance with regulation 165 (b)—for each name .....	0.50	
(g) For copy of list of Electrical Contractors when available .....	0.25	
(h) For Notification Certificates (Forms S.E.C. 14 and 15) .....	0.10	
(i) The fees set out in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of this regulation shall not apply to a Supply Authority which desires to take out an Electrical Contractors' License, where such Supply Authority has less than 150 consumers connected to its supply main. In such case the application for license fee shall be \$2 and the issue of license fee shall be \$2.		

181. No person, firm or company shall advertise themselves by any means as electrical contractors unless such person, firm or company is licensed as an electrical contractor.

182. Every licensed electrical contractor shall exhibit at his established place of business and in a conspicuous place his license.

## PART VI.—GENERAL REGULATIONS.

183. No electrical installation shall be connected to any public electricity supply system unless carried out by a person licensed to carry out such work and in accordance with the S.A.A. Wiring Rules.

184. Where existing installations do not comply with these Regulations or with the S.A.A. Wiring Rules (as existing at the time when the installation was carried out), the Supply Authority may serve a notice on the consumer stating how such installation does not comply with the Regulations or the S.A.A. Wiring Rules, and shall give the consumer a reasonable time to have the installation brought into conformity with the Regulations or the S.A.A. Wiring Rules.

185. If such installation is not made to comply with the Regulations or the S.A.A. Wiring Rules within the time specified on such notice, then the Supply Authority may disconnect the installation from the supply mains.

186. Nothing contained in the preceding Regulations however, shall prevent the Supply Authority from immediately disconnecting any installation from its supply mains, where such installation is in the opinion of any duly appointed inspector dangerous or likely to become dangerous.

187. Supply Authority Inspectors shall be appointed by the Commission from nominees of the Supply Authorities, and every Supply Authority shall submit to the Commission the names and addresses of persons so nominated. Every Supply Authority shall nominate at least one person. The names of all persons appointed by the Commission shall be entered in a register specially kept for that purpose.

188. Every Supply Authority shall by its Supply Authority Inspector inspect and test every new installation before such is connected to its supply mains.

189. Any faults or defects detected in any installation or any alterations required to any installation shall be immediately reported by the Supply Authority's Inspector to the Electrical Contractor or electrical worker who carried out the installation or to the owner or occupier of the premises and if such defects, faults or alterations are not carried out within reasonable time, the Supply Authority shall then report all the circumstances to the Commission.

190. On the completion of an inspection of any installation, the Supply Authority's Inspector shall complete Form No. S.E.C. 28 in the Appendix hereto and such form shall be forwarded by the Supply Authority to the Secretary of the Electrical Contractors' Registration Board within seven days of such inspection.

191. If at any time a complaint is received by the Commission regarding the manner in which any inspection has been carried out by a Supply Authority's Inspector the Commission may appoint a responsible officer to investigate such complaint, and if as a result of the investigation it is found that such inspection has been carried out in a manner that is unfair the Commission may cancel the registration of the Supply Authority's Inspector for such period as it may think fit, and during the period of cancellation it shall not be lawful for the inspector to act as a Supply Authority's Inspector.

192. The Supply Authority shall, if necessary, on receipt of a notification form to commence work from an Electrical Contractor issue a written instruction of the Supply Authority's service requirements.

193. The Commission may appoint inspectors for the various purposes and duties as set out hereunder:—

- (i) State Electricity Commission's General Inspector who shall be designated under these Regulations as General Inspector and who shall be empowered to exercise any of the powers conferred by these Regulations on any building premises, places, transmission, distribution and/or generating works.
- (ii) State Electricity Commission's Inspector who shall be designated Inspector and shall have the powers of a General Inspector except that he shall not be empowered to make any inspection of any transmission or generating works where such generating works have generating plant exceeding 500 K.W.
- (iii) Supply Authority Inspector who shall be designated Supply Authority Inspector and who shall be empowered to carry out any inspection as authorised under these Regulations in connection with the Supply Authority's area to which he is appointed.
- (iv) License Inspector who shall be designated License Inspector and who shall have power to inspect any license, permit and/or registrations provided for under these Regulations.

194. Supply Authority Inspectors when issuing any instruction to have any fault or defect rectified or any alteration to an installation to be made shall quote with notice the relevant S.A.A. Wiring Rules and/or Supply Authority's By-law under which the notice is given.

195. (a) All inspectors appointed by the Commission shall be issued with a Certificate of Authority as set out in Forms S.E.C. Nos. 12, 29, 30, and 31.

(b) All inspectors appointed by the Commission under these Regulations shall carry their certificate of appointment with them and such certificate shall, if required, be produced on demand to any person in charge of any building or place into or upon which any inspector may wish to enter.

196. Any General Inspector or Inspector after having made an inspection may by notice in writing in accordance with Form No. S.E.C. 32 forbid the use of any installation, apparatus, or fittings or prohibit any person or persons from exposing for sale or from selling any apparatus, appliance or fitting or part thereof, which in his opinion is dangerous or likely to become dangerous or is not in accordance with the S.A.A. Wiring Rules or Regulations made under the Act.

197. The cost of inspections made by an Inspector at the request of a Supply Authority, or where inspections are considered necessary under these Regulations, of any generating station, transmission, or distribution works, the Supply Authority shall pay such inspection fees to the Commission as are set out in the Schedule under Regulation No. 279.

198. In the case of new installations the Supply Authorities through their Inspector, shall make their initial inspection free, but any subsequent inspection which may be necessary on account of the installation not being in order may be charged for at such cost as may be specified in the Supply Authorities' Service Rules and Regulations, or By-laws.

199. Inspections by Supply Authorities, other than those specified by the preceding Regulation, may be charged for at such cost as may be specified in the Supply Authorities' approved Service Rules, Regulations or By-laws.

200. Before any repairs or alterations are commenced, the circuits which are to be handled shall be entirely disconnected from the source of supply, unless other adequate precautions are taken to prevent electric shock.

201. Any obvious defect likely to be a source of danger in an installation which is being altered or extended shall be reported by the electrical contractor or electrical worker in charge of the work to the supply authority.

202. The connection of an installation to supply mains shall not relieve the owner or occupier of any premises from the obligation of making his installation comply with these regulations or the S.A.A. Wiring Rules.

203. No person or consumer shall permit any wires, cables, fittings, apparatus, appliances or accessories which are in an unsafe condition to be connected or to remain connected to an installation.

204. No person shall remove or disconnect any wire or cable which may be affixed to any water or other pipe which has been so affixed to act as an earth conductor for any installation, unless such person has satisfied himself that the removal or disconnection of such wire or cable shall not destroy the purpose for which such wire or cable was so affixed.

205. Supply Authorities may refuse to connect any premises to their supply mains, where such premises have been installed with generating plant for the purpose of supplying electricity for lighting and/or power purposes, until the owner or occupier has entered into an agreement with the supply authority on such terms and conditions as may be deemed reasonable by the supply authority.

206. The Supply Authority shall take its aerial service leads to the consumer's point of attachment up to a distance of 60 feet from the street alignment boundary; beyond this distance the supply authority may at its discretion either instal such leads to the point of attachment or ask the consumer to instal same to the satisfaction of the Supply Authority. If the Supply Authority does instal aerial service leads beyond the distance of 60 feet aforesaid the Supply Authority may make a reasonable charge for same: Provided always, that if underground service leads are installed, the Supply Authority may charge to the consumer the cost of the underground service leads from the building alignment boundary.

207. Where a consumer has requested the installation of underground supply mains to the point of attachment, the Supply Authority may in such case charge the consumer the cost of same as from the point of connection to the point of entry.

208. The occupier of any premises shall cause to be completely dismantled from the supply mains all disused portions of an installation thereon, and shall cause such disused portions of an installation to be entirely dismantled or sufficiently so to make it clear on casual examination that they no longer form part of the installation.

209. No person except a competent person shall undertake any work on live electric conductors or apparatus where practical knowledge or experience is required in order to adequately avoid danger.

210. Supply Authorities shall not employ any person on live overhead work unless such person is experienced in such work, and it shall be incumbent on all Supply Authorities to satisfy themselves that such person is so experienced.

211. Except in cases of emergency due to breakdown or accident, no person shall work on high pressure or extra high pressure conductors or apparatus unless accompanied by a person competent to render assistance when necessary.

212. Where any accident by explosion or fire or any other accident of such a kind as to have caused or to be likely to have caused loss of life or personal injury has occurred in any electric line, installation, or works, the Supply Authority in whose district the accident has occurred, or any other person shall immediately give notice of such accident to the Commission, and no apparatus, lines, or poles shall be removed or otherwise interfered with until an inspection has been made by an inspector, except where it is found necessary to avoid a possible danger to life or property, or where the restoration of supply is necessary (in case of the latter all safety precautions shall be observed before supply is restored).

213. Every main shall be tested for insulation after having been placed in position and before it is used for the purposes of supply. The testing pressure for mains used for pressure below extra high pressure shall be maximum working pressure. The testing pressure for extra high pressure lines shall be at least twice the maximum working pressure on all mains to be used for pressures up to 10,000 volts, and at least the value of the pressure plus 10,000 volts on all mains to be used for pressures above 10,000 volts. The test pressure for extra high pressure lines shall be maintained for half an hour and shall be applied to every part of the main. These test pressures and duration of test may be varied to comply with the specification of the British Engineering Standards Association in force for the time being. The Supply Authority shall keep proper records of tests and such records shall be made available for inspection when required by the Commission.

214. All switches or circuit-breakers controlling conductors or apparatus made dead for working on shall have a suitable tag affixed to the operating handle. Such tag shall have marked thereon "Men at Work," or wording of a similar nature, and the tag shall not be removed until the switch or circuit-breaker is again closed: Provided that, where the switch or circuit breaker is under the sole control of and in sight of the person working on the conductor or apparatus, such tag may be omitted. The main line outdoor switches or circuit-breakers shall be locked when in the open position.

215. All poles and supports carrying mains of 20,000 volts or more shall have some indication of danger thereon, and shall be protected by having at least four turns of barbed wire affixed around at a distance of eight feet from the ground or protected in some other approved manner.



216. Aerial cables carrying current exceeding 6,600 volts shall be so erected and maintained that they shall not be closer than three feet from any cable carrying current at lower voltages, excepting connection to transformers and other apparatus.

217. Cables carrying current exceeding 650 volts shall be so erected that the minimum distance from any bridge or public structure, also any balcony, verandah, or other part of a building accessible without a ladder or special appliances shall not be less than seven feet vertically or three feet six inches in a horizontal direction or otherwise to the satisfaction of an inspector.

218. All poles shall be set at sufficient depths in the ground, and, if necessary, in concrete or on foundations, to permit of the required strength of the pole being used, and no work shall proceed on any pole until the foundations are safe.

219. All poles carrying electric cables are to be maintained in good condition, and to be of sufficient strength to support the cables, and, with a view to preventing injury (as in the case of wooden poles by rot, white ants, etc.) are to be examined every twelve months, and any pole found to be unsound shall be made safe or replaced.

220. All cables, connections, cross arms, insulators, and attachments of cables are to be examined when necessary and all defective cross arms, insulators and attachments removed and replaced and the cables restrained if required.

221. All aerial service lines from aerial mains shall be connected at a point of support only, and shall be fixed to insulators firmly attached to some portion of the consumer's premises which is not accessible to any person without the use of a ladder or other special appliance.

222. Every aerial line shall be stranded and shall be attached to suitable supports. The distance between such supports shall not exceed 200 feet where the direction of the line is straight, or 150 feet when the direction of the line is curved or where the line makes a horizontal angle at the point of support, except that in certain areas the foregoing distances may be increased or decreased in accordance with standard practice. Where necessary, standard practice will be defined by the Commission.

223. Where guy wires attached to poles carrying pressures above 650 volts are accessible to any person, insulators shall be inserted in the guy wires at a vertical height of not less than 10 feet from the ground level and at least 3 feet below any live conductors. The insulators so fixed on any guy wire must have a test pressure of at least one half of the line insulator which is carrying the highest pressure.

224. Every Supply Authority shall provide a log book in the form prescribed by the Commission, to be kept by the attendant at each power station, in which he shall enter every alarm or other emergency call, together with the action taken in regard thereto, at the time of the occurrence, as directed by the instructions printed upon the cover of such log book.

225. The attendant shall be responsible for the safe custody of the log book, which shall be produced for inspection by any inspector authorised under these regulations; also at any inquiry. During any absence of log book (or at any inquiry aforesaid) a supplementary log book shall be provided for use.

226. Upon receiving the intimation of any accident or circumstances in which the continuance of supply of current on any section would involve risk of life or property, or in the event of a fire where live cables would involve risk of life or property, the attendant shall cut off the current from the circuits affected, and such circuits shall be kept cut off until further instructions have been given by a responsible officer, or until the attendant is satisfied that danger has ceased to exist.

227. The time and particulars of all such actions are to be entered in the log book.

228. Every Supply Authority shall give notice to the Commission in the Form No. S.E.C. 33 in the appendix hereto of any accident which causes fatal injury to any person.

229. All power stations shall be placed in direct telephonic communication with the telephone exchange where possible, the telephone or extension bell being so placed that the call can easily be heard by the attendant on duty.

230. All power stations shall be equipped with fire fighting appliances as may be considered necessary by the Chief Officer of the W.A. Fire Brigades Board.

231. All persons selling portable electrical appliances where such appliances should be earthed, shall ascertain if the appliance which is being purchased is to be used in an earthed situation, and in such case it shall be an offence for the seller of the appliance to sell such appliances, unless fitted with a three-way flexible cord attached, if such appliance is sold with cord attached.

232. No portable electrical appliance, except all insulated appliances, shall be connected to or used from any outlet or socket in an earthed situation unless such electrical appliance is efficiently earthed.

233. It shall be an offence against these regulations for any employer to allow or cause to be allowed the use of any electrical appliances, where such appliance is used in an earthed situation, unless efficiently earthed in accordance with the previous regulation.

234. A copy of these regulations shall be exhibited in a conspicuous place in every power station, electrical workshop, or establishment, for the information of attendants and others concerned.

235. No person unless authorised shall affix any poster, sign or advertisement to any pole or structure which is used for the conveyance of electricity.

#### PART VII.—PENALTIES.

236. Any person committing a breach of any of the foregoing regulations, either by act or omission, shall on conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred dollars.

237. All proceedings in respect of any penalties or forfeitures may be taken by and in the name of any person authorised in that behalf by the Commission, or in proceedings for breaches of the regulations contained in Parts II., III., IV. and V., by the Board as the case may be.

#### PART VIII.—SUPPLY AUTHORITY SERVICE REGULATIONS.

##### Application for Connection.

238. Every application for connection shall be made on the contract form provided by the Supply Authority, which contract form shall be approved by the Commission, and must be signed by the applicant or some person duly authorised by him. The making of the application or the payment of a deposit shall not bind the Supply Authority to give supply until the application has been approved by the Supply Authority.

##### Security Deposit.

239. The Supply Authority may require the consumer to pay such deposit as may be considered sufficient to secure the payment of any moneys due to the Supply Authority for electricity supplied under the contract, and to cover the cost of the Supply Authority's property which may be on the consumer's premises.

#### Accounts.

240. (1) Accounts may be rendered weekly, monthly or quarterly at the discretion of the Supply Authority and at the ruling rates for the district in which the service is rendered.

(2) The Supply Authority may disconnect the consumer and discontinue supply without further notice if the accounts rendered are not paid within the times and conditions specified by the Supply Authority on its contract form and in its schedule of rates.

#### System.

241. Electricity shall be supplied by the Supply Authority in accordance with the standard system in use on its distribution services. Where supply is available at different pressures the Supply Authority may require that consuming apparatus shall be connected to such pressures and conductors as will cause least interference with the pressure of the supply system in accordance with the details set out on its contract form.

#### Connection of Installations.

242. (1) No connections shall be made in the case of new installations until the necessary certificate is received from the licensed contractor or licensed electrical worker who carried out the installation and until the Supply Authority is satisfied that the installation is in order.

(2) No re-connection shall be made to existing installations until the Supply Authority is satisfied that the installation is in order.

#### Additions to Installations.

243. When first connected the consumer shall supply the Supply Authority with full details of all apparatus connected or proposed to be connected to the circuits. No additional loading shall be placed on any of the circuits until the Supply Authority has been notified.

#### Damage by Overloading to Supply Authority's Apparatus.

244. The consumer shall be responsible for any damage caused to meters or other property of the Supply Authority caused through overloading, of which the Supply Authority has not had previous notification, and such consumer shall be liable to disconnection.

#### Position of Service Leads, Fuses, Meters, etc.

245. (a) Subject to the succeeding provisions of this regulation, the Supply Authority shall have the right to decide as to the most suitable position for fuses, circuit-breakers, indicators and meters and termination of service leads.

(b) The position of service fuses shall be as close as possible to the point where the mains touch the building, but one in which they may be reached by a short ladder for replacing fuses. Service fuses shall be of an approved type and unless weatherproof must have weather-proof protection.

(c) A meter board shall be fixed in a position where it is protected from the weather and is, at all reasonable times, accessible to the Supply Authority and,—

- (i) where the front door of the building is in a wall facing a street, the meter board shall be fixed on that wall, as nearly as practicable to the front door, unless it is structurally impossible or undesirable to fix it on that wall, in which event it shall be fixed on the side wall of the building nearest to the normal approach to the front door, in a position 18 inches from, or as nearly as may be structurally practicable to that distance from, the front corner of the building;
- (ii) where there is no door on a wall of the building facing a street and the main door is at the side of the building, the meter board shall be fixed either on the side wall, between the front of the building and the main door, or on the front of the building as nearly as practicable to the main door;

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G.G. 14/6/67,  
p. 1608-9.

- (iii) where a service pole is or service poles are provided by the owner of the building and the building is more than 100 feet from the road, the meter board shall be fixed on the service pole or, where there is more than one, on that nearest to the road and, where the building is less than 100 feet from the road, the meter board shall either be fixed on the service pole or, where there is more than one, on that nearest the road or be fixed in accordance with subparagraph (i) or (ii) of this paragraph, whichever of them is appropriate;
- (iv) where the building is a factory, shop or multi-storey building or any other building to which, in the opinion of the supply authority, the provisions of subparagraph (i), (ii) or (iii) of this paragraph cannot reasonably be applied, the meter board shall be fixed in a position approved by the Supply Authority; and
- (v) where the consumer is a rural consumer to be supplied by the Commission, the meter board shall be fixed in a position approved by the Commission;

but, where the Supply Authority and the owner of the building are unable to agree upon the position in which a meter board is to be fixed pursuant to this paragraph, the owner may, at any time before electricity is supplied to the building, by request in writing, require the Minister to fix the position of the meter board and the Minister's decision in that regard shall be final.

(d) In large buildings all circuits must be brought to one central point, as may be arranged with the Supply Authority, where the supply will enter and the necessary meter or meters be placed.

(e) In cases where a building is let in single rooms or groups of offices or flats, the Supply Authority may if it thinks fit instal only one set of meters and supply current to the building as a whole with the landlord or chief tenant as consumer.

(f) The Supply Authority may, if requested in such cases, supply to the landlord, at rental, meters required for metering the supply to the various tenants and may, if desired, read such meters at the same time as the master meters are read, and supply the readings to the landlord so that he can bill the current to his various tenants, provided that the sub-meters are suitably grouped. In all such cases the landlord may charge the tenants the same meter rental as charged to him and the same tariff for electricity used as the tenants would pay if supplied directly by the Supply Authority.

#### Consumer's Main Switches and Fuses.

246. The Supply Authority shall fix meters at the position decided upon, to which the consumer must bring his mains and provide on his side of the meters suitable controlling switches and fuses. In cases where the consumer's main control switches and fuses are, with the consent of the Supply Authority, fixed on the supply side of the meter they shall be iron clad and suitable for sealing with the Supply Authority's seal. The Supply Authority shall determine the method of metering the supply and type of main control switch required.

#### Capacity of Main Switches.

247. Main switches shall be of ample capacity and of approved design. Sufficient length of cable shall be left by the consumer or installer to connect to the Supply Authority's meter.

#### Consumer's Terminals and Mains.

248. (1) Unless specially approved by the Supply Authority, the point of attachment shall be as high as conveniently possible, but no higher than the second storey of a multiple storey structure.

(2) The consumer's mains shall be of sufficient length to allow of their ends being properly connected to the aerial leads at the point of attachment. Loops shall be left on the mains for the insertion by the Supply Authority of its meter, cut-outs, or other apparatus.

(3) Where the M.E.N. system is likely to be used, the consumer may be required to provide an earth wire with the phase and neutral mains.

(4) At the point of attachment the consumer's mains shall be provided with a suitable bellmouth or other approved fitting. The use of porcelain bushes may be prohibited by the Supply Authority.

#### Fixing the Leads in Fuses, Meters, etc.

249. Only an employee of the Supply Authority may insert the ends of the consumer's wiring into any service fuse, meter, indicator, current limiter, or other device the property of the Supply Authority.

#### Property.

250. The service mains and fuses, meters, and apparatus supplied and fixed by the Supply Authority on the consumer's premises shall remain the property of the Supply Authority.

#### Nature and Protection of Consumer's Mains.

251. The conductors between the point of attachment and the consumer's main switch shall be equivalent to C.M.A. 250-volt grade insulation, without joints, shall be enclosed in steel conduit screwed if exposed to weather, shall be stranded and of adequate sectional area, which in no case shall be less than that of 7/036in. cable, or shall be protected in such other suitable manner as may be agreed with the Supply Authority.

#### Fuses.

252. The fuses fixed by the Supply Authority on the mains side of the meter may or may not be sealed by the Supply Authority, but they shall not in any case be interfered with by the consumer who must provide suitable fuses on the load side of the consumer's main switch.

#### Inspection of Installations.

253. Before any installation is connected to the supply mains and before alterations or additions to an installation are connected, they shall be inspected by the Supply Authority once free of charge. If defective, connection shall not be made until the defect is remedied, and a minimum charge of 50 cents may be made for the second inspection, and one dollar each for any subsequent inspections.

#### Service Leads—Aerial.

254. The Supply Authority shall take its aerial service line to the point of attachment where the point of attachment is not a greater distance than 60 feet from the point where the service line would cross the street alignment boundary. Where the distance is greater than 60 feet the Supply Authority may insist upon the consumer installing his own aerial line from the distance of 60 feet to the approval of the Supply Authority. Where the Supply Authority carries out the installation the cost of same shall be charged to the consumer beyond the said distance of 60 feet.

#### Service Leads—Underground.

255. (1) Where the Supply Authority considers it necessary to install underground service cable to the consumer's terminals the same shall be laid by the Supply Authority the cost thereof from the building alignment boundary shall be charged to the consumer.

(2) Where the consumer has requested that the service leads be installed underground and the Supply Authority has approved the Supply Authority may charge to the consumer the cost between the point of connection to the Supply Authority's mains and the consumer's terminals.

#### Conductors not to be Earthed on Consumer's Premises.

256. Except where the M.E.N. system is used, no conductor in the consumers installation, other than an earthed conductor shall be connected to earth and all conductors shall be equally insulated as provided in the S.A.A. Wiring Rules.

#### Supply to Large Premises.

257. Where supply is charged for premises of considerable size or with a large or a fluctuating load and the Supply Authority deems it necessary to instal transformers at the site the consumer shall provide an accessible space and enclosure to the satisfaction of the Supply Authority for the transformers, switchgear and associated apparatus. The Supply Authority shall have the right to use such equipment in the usual manner for supply to other consumers. All circuit-breakers and fuses used on premises where transformers are installed on or near to the site shall be of adequate making and rupturing capacity to the satisfaction of the Supply Authority.

#### Labelling of Switch Wires.

258. Active conductors shall be clearly labelled by the electrical contractor or the electrical installer to enable the Supply Authority correctly to connect the consumer's leads to the service leads.

#### Balancing of Circuits.

259. Circuits shall be arranged as follows:—(a) Circuits taking less than 15 amps. may be taken off one phase (2 wires); (b) circuits taking more than 15 amps. shall be divided into two approximately equal circuits, and taken off two phases (3 wires); (c) circuits taking more than 30 amps. shall be divided in three approximately equal parts, and taken off three phases (4 wires); (d) lighting load on one phase shall not be balanced against the power load on another; (e) in all cases a separate linked switch shall be provided for each rate at which supply is required. The Supply Authority shall be consulted as to the number of phases to be used.

#### Separate Supplies at Different Rates.

260. (1) Where it is required to provide for the separate metering of current supplied at different rates, the installation shall be divided into separate and distinct circuits, which must not be bunched, and all wall plugs, connectors, and the like shall be of such different types that it shall not be possible to connect apparatus chargeable at a certain rate to any part of the installation conveying current chargeable at a lower rate.

(2) No lampholder shall be connected to any circuit, the supply to which is given at power or heating rates, except (as provided in the Wiring Rules of the S.A.A.) in the case of pilot lamps, which, however, shall be fitted with miniature screw base sockets and shall be so installed as to render it impossible to use them for general illuminating purposes.

#### Current Used Indirectly for Lighting.

261. Current used indirectly for lighting purposes by the interposition of motor generators, batteries, etc., shall be chargeable at lighting rate.

#### Notice of Apparatus to be Used.

262. All applications shall state clearly the nature and number of consuming devices to be used and the rating of each. Consuming devices shall include lamps, motors, heating and cooking apparatus, etc. The Supply Authority shall be consulted before motors other than refrigerators, vacuum cleaners and other household apparatus are connected to any installation. All motors connected shall comply, as regards type, power factor, starting current, etc., with the Supply Authority's detailed requirements.

#### Starting Currents of A.C. Motors.

263. (1) Motors shall be of such a type and provided with suitable starting gear so that the maximum starting current as measured with locked rotor, shall not exceed the following:—(a) Single phase 250-volt motors up to and including 2 b.h.p., 18 amps.; (b) three phase motors, 440 volts, motors not exceeding 2 b.h.p., 13 amps.; motors exceeding 2 b.h.p. but not exceeding 6 b.h.p., 6.5 amps. per b.h.p.; motors exceeding 6 b.h.p. 2.4 amps per b.h.p. plus 33 amps.

(2) In cases where a motor will be used in outlying areas and the selection of the type of motor or the starting gear with which it will be provided depends upon the suitability of the supply of current which will be available, the person proposing to use such motor shall first ascertain from the Supply Authority whether or not there will be available a supply of current suitable for the motor load and the starting currents in relation to the type of motor and the starting gear provided therewith which such person proposes to use; and such person shall be bound by and act in accordance with any decision thereon which is given by the Supply Authority.

(3) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this regulation, no limitation shall be placed on the starting currents of any three-phase motor which is not frequently started and stopped, and of which the rating does not exceed 10 per cent. of the total connected motor load.

#### Starting Currents of D.C. Motors.

264. The starting currents of D.C. motors shall not exceed  $1\frac{1}{2}$  times full load current.

#### Pulsating and Rapidly Varying Loads.

265. (1) Motors driving pulsating loads such as reciprocating pumps, refrigerators, air compressors, etc., shall be fitted with a fly wheel or other device so that the load current taken by the motor does not fluctuate more than plus or minus 10 per cent. of the main load current.

(2) Other apparatus such as welders, furnaces, instantaneous water heaters, cooking apparatus, etc., which causes rapid changes in demand, shall not be connected without the prior consent of the Supply Authority who may refuse to connect such apparatus where a variation in the load may unduly interfere with the supply to other consumers.

(3) In the event of a consumer operating any such apparatus aforesaid, or any lift or motor, in such a manner as will, in the opinion of the Supply Authority, interfere with the supply to other consumers, the Supply Authority may require the consumer to make such necessary adjustments or alterations and so to operate the apparatus as will, in the opinion of the Supply Authority, ensure that the supply to other consumers will not be interfered with; and in the event of the consumer failing to do so the Supply Authority may cut off the supply of electricity to the consumer. The fact that the Supply Authority has connected and approved of the apparatus aforesaid shall not be deemed to exempt the consumer from the operation of this regulation.

#### Temporary or Special Lighting or Power.

266. Special lighting or power, such as ovens, wet premises, outdoor displays, illuminations, lighting or power of a temporary nature, or where the conditions are unusual, shall be discussed with the Supply Authority before the installation is made, and approval thereof by the Supply Authority must be obtained before the work is connected. The cost of any temporary connection may be charged to the consumer.

#### Meter Rentals.

267. Subject to the Act a rental charge may be levied by the Supply Authority for master meters or for sub-meters, but in no case shall this rental exceed 10 cents per month for meters up to a total capacity of 25 kilowatts.

#### Rates.

268. Subject to the Act the Supply Authority may charge such rates for the supply of electrical energy as may be set out in its Schedule of Rates and contract form, or either of them, or in any agreement governing the supply; and those rates may make provision for a minimum charge in an amount not exceeding one dollar per month or such greater amount as the Commission may, in the case of any particular Supply Authority, approve.

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G.G. 7/2/63,  
p. 597.

#### Meter Readings.

269. The reading of the meter or other measuring device provided by the Supply Authority shall be accepted as *prima facie* evidence of the quantity of electricity consumed. If the meter or other measuring device fails to register, or is found to be inaccurate, the account for the period since the last account was rendered shall be readjusted at the option of the Supply Authority upon the basis of: (a) The account rendered to the consumer for the corresponding period of the previous year; (b) the account for the last preceding period, a reasonable allowance being made for any known variations in the demand; (c) the test certificate of the meter.

#### Testing of Meters.

270. The Supply Authority shall have the right to test meters at any time, and adjust the consumption for the current period on such test. The cost of testing such meter shall be borne by the Supply Authority, unless the meter is tested on the complaint or at the request of the consumer, in which case a testing fee of 50 cents shall be paid before the meter is tested. If it be found on testing that the meter is more than two per cent. fast, a refund of the testing fee above shall be made to the consumer. Meters shall be considered correct if, on testing, they are found to register within two per cent. of the Supply Authority's standards, and no adjustment of accounts shall be made. All outstanding accounts shall be paid before the test is made.

#### Apparatus, Interruptions, Responsibility.

271. The Supply Authority: (a) Shall have the right at all reasonable times to enter the premises of the consumer to inspect and test the installation and the Supply Authority's meter and to remove any of the Supply Authority's property; (b) may at any time interrupt the supply to make a test or to effect alterations, or repairs to the Supply Authority's system, or for any other purpose; (c) shall not be responsible or liable for any injury, damage or loss of any kind to the person, property, or business, of the consumer, or to the consumer's lamps or apparatus, resulting from fire or otherwise, through the supply of electricity or through interruptions or defects of supply due to storm, accident, or breakdown of plant or mains or *force majeure*.

#### Disconnections.

272. The Supply Authority shall have the right to disconnect without notice if the consumer: (a) Is in arrears in payment of account; (b) his installation is faulty; (c) uses the service in a way that interferes with the general supply to other consumers; (d) uses apparatus not authorised by the Supply Authority; (e) connects increased load without first obtaining the consent of the Supply Authority; (f) interferes with the seals, fuses, meters, or other apparatus the property of the Supply Authority; (g) becomes bankrupt or assigns his estate for the benefit of his creditors; or (h) fails to conform to these regulations and to the conditions on the contract form in any way.

#### Reconnections.

273. If the supply is disconnected for any of the reasons contained in regulation 272 the Supply Authority may make a charge of 50 cents which shall be paid before reconnection is made.

#### Consumer's Liability for Loss.

274. The consumer shall be liable for loss by fire, damage, or theft of the meters or other apparatus hired from or loaned by the Supply Authority on the consumer's premises, or which may be on the consumer's premises in connection with the supply of current to the consumer.

#### Extension of Mains.

275. If the supply to a proposed consumer necessitates the extension of the distribution mains the Supply Authority may refuse to carry out such extension, but arrangements may be made to



extend the mains if the Supply Authority approves, by the prospective consumer paying the cost of such extension or a proportion thereof. Such payment shall not be returnable.

#### Alteration to System.

276. The Supply Authority shall not make any alteration to the system of supply until reasonable notice has been given to the consumer and then only after the proposal has been approved by the Commission.

#### Supply Authority's Registration.

277. Every Supply Authority shall apply to the Commission on or before the 31st day of August in each year for a Certificate of Registration as an approved Supply Authority. Such registration shall be made on the form which will be posted by the Commission to each Supply Authority. The Supply Authority will return the completed form in time to reach the Commission by the 31st day of August in each year. It shall be compulsory for the Supply Authority to supply all the information as set out on the registration form.

278. [Reg. 278 disallowed, G.G. 1/10/48, p. 2375.]<sup>1</sup>

#### Service Rendered by Commission to Supply Authorities.

279. If any Supply Authority requests the Commission (or the Commission considers it necessary) to make any report, valuation or major inspection, the Supply Authority will pay to the Commission the fees as set out hereunder for the respective service:—

	Supply Authorities with consumers not exceeding	Supply Authorities with consumers not exceeding	Supply Authorities with consumers exceeding
General inspection, report, and valuation of generation and distribution .....	200. \$	500. \$	500. \$
General inspection and report only of generation and distribution .....	40.00	60.00	90.00
General inspection and report only of generation .....	35.00	53.00	78.00
General inspection and report only of generation .....	18.00	28.00	40.00
General inspection and report only of distribution .....	18.00	28.00	40.00

280. (a) The Commission may require the Supply Authority to meet the cost of travelling and other expenses incurred by the Commission in making such reports, inspections and/or valuations.

(b) For any service rendered by the Commission to a Supply Authority, local authority or any other authority which cannot be classified under any of the items as mentioned in regulation 279, the Commission will impose a reasonable charge for the service rendered.

#### PART IX.—OVERHEAD LINE WORKING SAFETY REGULATIONS.

281. Employers who employ persons to work on or about overhead lines and/or apparatus for the transmission and distribution of electrical energy shall provide such safety equipment, appliances, or materials, as may be required, to comply with the provisions of these regulations.

282. Employers shall take all practicable steps to ensure that all employees working on or assisting in work on electrical apparatus are instructed in the method of resuscitation from apparent death due to electric shock, and every such employee shall keep himself familiar with the method.

283. A first-aid outfit shall be kept at each depot, attended sub-station, workshop and camp, and also on each motor truck attached to a party in the field.

<sup>1</sup> Original Reg. 278 was published in G.G. 27/6/47, p. 1177 and was disallowed, see G.G. 5/12/47, p. 2209. New Reg. 278 was published in G.G. 25/3/48, p. 696 and was disallowed, G.G. 1/10/48, p. 2375 and G.G. 25/2/49.

284. It shall be the duty of every person working on electrical apparatus to use in a proper manner the safety equipment provided.

285. No employee shall use any safety equipment that is not in good condition. Employees shall notify the employer of all defects in safety equipment of which they become aware.

286. Employers shall issue all safety equipment in good order. Provision shall be made by the employer for the periodic inspection of all safety equipment and any such equipment found to be defective shall be withdrawn from service and suitable measures shall be taken to ensure that upon withdrawal such equipment shall not be returned to service whilst so defective.

287. Any person, before ascending a pole or structure or part thereof, which is subject to decay or deterioration, shall satisfy himself that there is no danger of the pole, structure, or part thereof, collapsing. If such a danger exists, the pole or structure shall be effectively secured before an ascent is made.

288. Either one-piece or extension ladders may be used for work on overhead lines. All ladders shall be made from first-class timber free from flaws and defects. All ladders that may be used against poles shall be provided with a pole-strap fixed to the top of the ladder.

289. Ladders with stiles reinforced longitudinally with wire or other metal reinforcement may be used, provided the reinforcement does not reach within four feet of either end of the ladder, but shall not, in themselves, be regarded as insulated ladders for the purpose of these regulations.

290. When in use the distance between the foot of the ladder and the pole or structure shall not exceed one quarter of the length of the ladder. Except in cases of emergency two ladders are not to be joined together when one ladder is of insufficient length, but when so used the ladders shall overlap at least one-fifth of the length of the longer and shall be securely lashed together.

291. The provisions of regulations 284, 285 and 286 shall apply to ladders.

292. Linesmen's safety belts shall be provided by the employer and shall be worn and used when engaged in work in elevated positions, except on guarded platforms, or where special circumstances pertaining to the work may render their use unnecessary or undesirable.

293. Before new apparatus or apparatus which has been out of service is made alive, it shall be the responsibility of every person in charge of works on that apparatus to satisfy himself personally that all persons under his charge are clear of and that all earthing equipment and other plant and material used by him have been removed from the apparatus.

294. Before carrying out or issuing instructions for the necessary switching, the authorised operator who is responsible for the switching shall satisfy himself by personal inspection or, where this is not possible, by information obtained from persons in charge of works that the apparatus is clear, as set out in regulation 293.

295. No person shall work on or within a distance of 30 inches of exposed conductors of live apparatus unless accompanied by another person, except in cases of emergency, or cases covered by regulation 300.

Provided that this restriction shall not preclude the carrying out by an authorised person, when unattended, of normal operations (switching, fuse replacement, and the like) and investigations of apparatus performance for which it is essential that the apparatus be alive.

296. For the sole purpose of this Part of the regulations low voltage conductors are to be considered as those which in normal service are alive at a voltage of 650 volts or less between conductors, and high voltage conductors are those which in normal service are alive at a voltage of more than 650 volts between conductors.

297. Low voltage and high voltage apparatus means electrical equipment such as transformers, switch gear, machine lines, and feeders of which low voltage and high voltage conductors respectively form an integral part.

298. Where persons are working in positions where they are liable to make accidental contact with live low voltage conductors, they shall protect themselves against such accidental contact by means of the safety equipment provided by the employer for the purpose.

299. Work on live low voltage conductors and apparatus may be carried out by authorised persons: Provided that persons so working are suitably insulated from the live conductor being worked on or from earth.

300. Notwithstanding the requirements of regulation 295 work on live low voltage apparatus may be carried out by an authorised person without the presence of an assistant: Provided that the work is confined to such items as installation and testing of meters, running maintenance on machines, maintenance of control circuits and equipment, and the connection and disconnection of services, with the further provisions that, in overhead line work, the person does not place himself between or above bare line conductors.

301. No person shall perform any switching on high voltage apparatus unless he has been specially authorised for this purpose. No work shall be performed on or near high voltage apparatus without the knowledge of the officer controlling that apparatus.

302. No person shall make personal contact, either directly or through any conducting object, with any high voltage conductor believed to be dead, unless the conductor has been effectively earthed and short-circuited, as provided for in regulations 311, 312 and 313, with the exception that personal contact with such high voltage conductors may be permitted if the contacting person uses an insulated platform in accordance with the requirements of these regulations.

303. High voltage apparatus, on which work other than live work permitted by these regulations is to be carried out, shall be isolated from all possible sources of supply by opening appropriate circuit breakers and/or switches, or removing appropriate fuses so that the apparatus then is not and cannot be made alive from the high or low voltage systems. Warning against reclosing the circuit breakers, switches, or fuses so opened shall be given by danger notices suitably displayed.

304. Access to such circuit breakers, switches, or fuses by unauthorised persons shall be prevented by means of suitable locks where practicable.

305. Subsequent to isolation and prior to commencement of the work, the apparatus must be proved dead, discharged, and earthed and short-circuited as provided for in regulations 307, 308, 309, 311, 312 and 313.

306. Before beginning work on dead equipment which is adjacent to live conductors in substations and similar locations, suitable barriers must first be erected to prevent accidental contact with those conductors.

307. High voltage apparatus which is to be earthed and short-circuited shall be proved by suitable methods to be dead and safe for earthing and short-circuiting.

308. In addition to the other requisite conditions, no rotating machine, nor the circuits connected thereto, are to be considered dead while the machine is revolving.

309. Before touching, for the purpose of fitting an "earth and short circuit", any part of the apparatus normally alive but made dead for the purpose of working thereon, the apparatus shall be discharged by connecting the conductors or terminals to earth by means of the standard equipment provided by the employer for the purpose of taking care to ensure good contact between the earthing wire and the conductors or terminals of the apparatus to be discharged.

310. Where there may be danger of induced potentials, discharging by this method does not ensure that the conductors are safe to touch, and the "earth and short circuit" referred to in regulations 311, 312 and 313 must in such cases be attached to the conductors by means of an insulating medium, or the discharging equipment must be left in position while the "earth and short circuit" is fitted.

311. After apparatus has been proved dead and has been discharged, earthing and short-circuiting shall be carried out by the parts normally alive being connected together and to earth.

312. No other apparatus other than that specially provided by the employer shall be used.

313. Earthing and short-circuiting shall be effected at or within sight of the work, except that when the nature of the apparatus, work or soil renders this impossible, the earth connection shall be placed as near as possible to the work.

314. When a line to be worked on is divided or has to be divided, both sides of the division shall be earthed and short-circuited.

315. All persons working on any high voltage apparatus which has been earthed and short circuited who for any reason leave the site during the progress of the work on such apparatus shall, on return to the site, ensure that the apparatus is still earthed and short-circuited before recommencing work.

316. Certain work on or near the conductors of live high voltage apparatus may be performed by authorised persons, provided either—

- (a) the work is performed through the medium of special appliances provided for the purpose; or
- (b) the persons so working are supported on insulated platforms, towers, or ladders, the design and construction of which has been approved by the Commission.

Provided that in every such case the person using such special appliances or insulated platforms, towers, or ladders has been personally instructed in the precautions to be taken with each specific class of work.

317. Rubber gloves shall not be used for handling by direct contact conductors carrying high voltage.

318. The safety equipment specified in these regulations and which must be provided by employers shall include:—

Linesmen's belts, rubber gloves, first-aid outfit, suitable earthing equipment, approved insulating equipment for working on live low voltage conductors, approved insulating platforms.

319. A copy of this Part of the regulations shall be supplied to each worker engaged on work covered by this Part of the regulations and each employee shall make himself familiar with the requirements of the said Part.

## PART X.—APPROVAL OF ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES.

320. (1) Where an application has been made pursuant to the provisions of Part 10 of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, prior to the repeal of that Part of these regulations and the application has not been dealt with by the Commission or refused by the Commission, or withdrawn by the applicant, it shall be deemed to have been duly made under this Part and may be dealt with by the Commission under these regulations.

(2) Approval of any electrical apparatus, appliance or fitting under regulations repealed by these regulations shall not be cancelled or withdrawn by virtue of the repeal of those regulations.

(3) Any reference in these regulations to a certificate of approval issued by the Commission or held by any person shall extend to a certificate of approval issued under the regulations hereby repealed.

Part X.  
Regs. 320  
to 332  
added by  
G.G. 11/7/47,  
p. 1262.  
Part X.  
Regs. 320  
to 341,  
substituted  
by G.G.  
7/9/55,  
p. 2143.  
Amended by  
G.G. 12/9/56,  
p. 2294.

## Definitions.

321. Unless inconsistent with the context or subject matter, the following terms shall for the purpose of this Part have the meanings given to them hereunder:—

“Act” means the Electricity Act, 1945-1953.

“Applicant” means a person who makes application for approval of an electrical appliance under these regulations or any person who has made application for approval of any electrical apparatus, appliance or fitting under the regulations repealed by these regulations and any person to whom a certificate of approval is transferred as provided for in regulation 329 of these regulations.

“Approved” in relation to an electrical appliance means already approved or hereafter approved by the Commission for the purposes of the Act.

“Approvals Engineer” means an officer of the Commission who has been appointed by the Commission for the purpose of examining and testing electrical appliances for the purpose of these regulations.

“Approvals marking” means the mark, words, symbol or figures or all or any of them as the case may be shown on the certificate of approval of an approved electrical appliance.

“Appliances of the same class” means appliances which come within the scope of the definition of a class of appliance included in any notice published by the Commission in the *Government Gazette* pursuant to section 33B of the Act.

“Appliances of the same type” means prescribed appliances of the same class which in the opinion of the Commission are constructed to the same design and of corresponding materials.

“Published specification” means the relevant Approval and Test Specification published by the Standards Association of Australia and which is that relating to prescribed appliances which are prescribed in a notification published in the *Government Gazette* by direction of the Commission by reference—

- (i) to the classification letters, numbers, month (if any) and year of publication or title of Approval and Test Specifications published by the Standards Association of Australia;
- (ii) to any amendment of the Approval and Test Specifications published by that Association;
- (iii) to any part of the Approval and Test Specifications or any amendment thereof published by that Association.

“Prescribed fee or fees” means the fee or fees specified in the second column of the schedule of fees attached to these regulations which is or are payable to the Commission in relation to the item or items in the first column of that schedule opposite each such fee or fees.

“Duly constituted authority in another State of the Commonwealth” means the State Electricity Commission of Queensland; the Electricity Authority of New South Wales; the State Electricity Commission of Victoria; the Hydro Electric Commission of Tasmania, and the Electricity Trust of South Australia.

#### Application for Approval.

Reg. 322  
amended  
by G.G.  
22/12/64,  
p. 4081.

322. (1) A person may make application to the Commission for approval of an electrical appliance of any class or type by lodging with the Commission an application signed by him in or to the effect of Form No. 37 in the Appendix to these regulations and paying the relevant prescribed fee or fees. The applicant shall deliver to the Commission as many samples of the electrical appliance and such other data in connection therewith, including drawings, photographs and labels as the Commission may then or thereafter require.

(2) Notwithstanding the requirements of subregulation (1) of this regulation, if an appliance of the same type is approved, within the meaning of the Act, by a duly constituted authority in another State of the Commonwealth, the provisions of subregulation (1) of regulation 326 shall apply and an application for approval need not be made, in respect of that appliance.

(3) To each electrical appliance delivered to the Commission pursuant to this regulation the applicant or his agent shall attach or affix a label bearing the signature of the applicant or his agent and showing in legible writing—

- (a) the name in full of the applicant;
- (b) the date of application to the Commission for the approval of the electrical appliance;
- (c) the designation of the class of electrical appliance under which it is prescribed;
- (d) the type and description of the electrical appliance;
- (e) the manufacturer's catalogue number, type number, or other means of distinguishing the type of electrical appliance.

#### Testing of Electrical Appliances.

323. (1) The Commission—

- (a) shall decide where and by whom the sample or samples of the electrical appliance which is to be examined or tested or both, shall be examined or tested or both for the purpose of considering the application;
- (b) may, if there is a published specification which requires sufficient and suitable tests to be carried out on any electrical appliance and sufficient and suitable test results to be obtained, arrange for the electrical appliance to be tested for compliance with such specification and those tests shall be the tests to which the electrical appliance shall be subjected for the purpose of that application and the results shall be the results which it shall be required to attain;
- (c) may accept as correct a certificate of the results of examinations or tests or of both examinations and tests carried out on a sample of the electrical appliance under the direction of—
  - (i) the Approvals Engineer;
  - (ii) the duly constituted authority in another State of the Commonwealth; or
  - (iii) some person, body or authority whose examinations and tests are deemed by the Commission to be sufficient for the purpose of these regulations;
- (d) shall decide the date upon and from which any new published specification or any revision of or amendment to any published specification shall be applied for the purpose of these regulations.

(2) If an applicant pays to the Commission the sum of two dollars the Commission shall furnish him with a written statement setting out the particulars and results of tests carried out by the Commission on the sample or samples of the electrical appliance submitted by him for approval.

(3) If an applicant pays to the Commission such sums as the Commission may reasonably demand to cover the cost of the test or tests (including indirect expenses of any test or tests) the Commission may at the request of the applicant re-test a sample or samples of an electrical appliance submitted by the applicant for approval. Such re-test shall be carried out in the presence of the applicant or of his representative at a time and place to be fixed by the Commission.

#### Testing Under Special Circumstances.

324. If a person desires approval of an electrical appliance but is unable for reasons thought by the Commission to be sufficient to submit a sample or samples of the electrical appliance as required by the Commission for examination and testing, the Approvals Engineer shall at such times and at such places and in such manner and on such conditions as he thinks fit inspect a sample or samples of the electrical appliance and test or cause the sample or samples to be tested. The applicant shall, in addition to the fee prescribed in the schedule of fees for testing the electrical appliance, pay all additional costs incurred by the Commission as a result of testing the electrical appliance at the time and place and in the manner and conditions fixed by the Approvals Engineer.

#### Re-test.

325. (1) If the applicant for approval of an electrical appliance which is not approved because samples have not passed all tests or any of them, considers that samples of the electrical appliance shall after adjustment or alteration pass all the tests, then the applicant may adjust or alter the samples of the electrical appliance and submit them for re-examination and re-testing.

(2) The applicant shall

- (a) furnish the Commission with full and detailed information of any such adjustment or alteration and with such further information as the Commission deems necessary;
- (b) pay to the Commission any fees required by the Commission in respect of any such re-examination and re-testing, but the fees shall not exceed the prescribed fee or fees for the examination and testing of an electrical appliance of that type or class.

#### Certificate of Approval.

326. (1) Approval of an electrical appliance may be granted by the Commission—

- (a) on the issue to the applicant of a certificate of approval, in or to the effect of Form No. 38 in the Appendix to these regulations; or
- (b) without the issue of a certificate of approval, where a duly constituted authority in another State of the Commonwealth has issued any such certificate, and in that event the form of approval of that authority shall be deemed to be a certificate of approval issued by the Commission under the provisions of these regulations.

(2) Approval of an electrical appliance may be granted unconditionally or may at the discretion of the Commission be granted on and subject to conditions requiring warning to be given to persons using or purchasing or hiring the electrical appliance of precautions to be observed in the use of the electrical appliance or as to other matters tending to safety in the use of the electrical appliance. The conditions shall be endorsed on the certificate of approval.

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by G.G.  
22/12/64,  
p. 4081.

(3) No person shall sell, hire, expose for sale or hire or advertise for sale or hire, an electrical appliance so as not to comply with any conditions specified on the certificate of approval issued by the Commission in respect of that electrical appliance.

(4) The issue of a certificate of approval in respect of an electrical appliance shall not authorise any person to use, sell, hire or expose for sale or hire or connect or install the electrical appliance for use in any place or in any manner—

(a) forbidden by the Act or any regulations or by-laws made thereunder; or

(b) for which the consent of the supply authority is required.

(5) No electrical appliance shall be, or be deemed to be approved at any time when—

(a) a certificate of approval has not been issued for the electrical appliance; or

(b) the approval of the electrical appliance has been withdrawn; or

(c) it does not comply in full with every term, provision or condition endorsed upon the certificate of approval thereof given by the Commission in respect of the electrical appliance.

(6) No person shall, in connection with an electrical appliance which has not been approved, represent that such electrical appliance has been approved or shall be approved or that the electrical appliance complies with the requirements of the Commission for the purpose of this Part of these regulations.

#### Stamping and Labelling of Approved Electrical Appliances.

327. (1) No person shall sell, hire or expose for sale or hire or advertise for sale or hire or cause to be sold or hired or exposed for sale or hire or advertised for sale or hire any electrical appliance for which a certificate of approval has been issued unless the electrical appliance is permanently and clearly stamped or labelled with the mark, words, symbols or figures or all or any of them as the case may be shown as the approvals marking on the certificate of approval of the electrical appliance. For the purpose of these regulations an electrical appliance shall be deemed to have been stamped if the approvals marking is moulded, embossed, engraved, incised or indented or otherwise permanently marked on the electrical appliance to the satisfaction of the Commission.

(2) If in the opinion of the Commission as notified on the certificate of approval of an electrical appliance, the electrical appliance is too small to be stamped in compliance with subregulation (1) of this regulation or for any other sufficient reason should not be so stamped, the electrical appliance shall be deemed to comply with this regulation if it is packed by the manufacturer or applicant in a container or wrapping marked, or to which container or wrapping is affixed, a label marked with—

(a) the approvals marking on the certificate of approval issued for the electrical appliance; and

(b) the nature of the electrical appliance.

(3) An applicant to whom has been issued a certificate of approval endorsed with any conditions as set out in regulation 326 of these regulations shall clearly label the electrical appliance for which the certificate of approval was issued with a label setting out the conditions under which the certificate was issued.

(4) No person shall sell or hire or expose for sale or hire any electrical appliance which has been approved on conditions in accordance with regulation 326 (2) of these regulations unless the person adequately notifies the purchaser or hirer of the conditions.



(5) In respect of an electrical appliance which has not been approved under these regulations, no person shall whilst the appliance remains unapproved—

- (a) stamp or label or cause or permit to be stamped or labelled the appliance; or
- (b) place or cause or permit the appliance to be placed in any container or wrapping which is stamped or labelled or marked; or
- (c) affix or attach or cause or permit to be affixed or attached to the container or wrapping of the appliance a label which is stamped or marked

with a marking similar to, or so nearly resembling, a marking authorised by the Commission as an approvals marking as to be likely to deceive.

#### Modification of Design or Construction.

328. (1) A person to whom has been issued a certificate of approval in respect of an electrical appliance may, if the Commission in writing so approves, alter the design, materials or construction of the electrical appliance in any particular, but the approval shall be given only after examination or testing by the Commission to its satisfaction of a sample or samples of the altered electrical appliance. The Commission shall cause to be endorsed on the relevant certificate of approval particulars of the alteration or alterations so approved and thereupon the electrical appliance so altered shall be approved and shall be deemed to be the approved electrical appliance to which that certificate relates. The applicant shall pay to the Commission any fees demanded by the Commission for any examination or testing carried out under this regulation, but the fees shall not exceed the prescribed fee or fees for examination and testing of an electrical appliance of that type or class.

(2) If the Commission does not approve the alteration of the electrical appliance in any particular it shall so notify in writing the person applying for the approval.

(3) No person shall sell or hire or expose for sale or hire or advertise for sale or hire any electrical appliance purporting to be identical with or similar to an electrical appliance for which a certificate of approval has been issued, but which in the opinion of the Commission is not identical with or similar to the approved electrical appliance by reason of change of design, materials or construction.

#### Transfer of Certificate of Approval.

329. (1) When an applicant to whom a certificate of approval of an electrical appliance has been issued, disposes of his business or that part of the business to which that certificate of approval is relevant, the applicant may apply in writing to the Commission to have the certificate of approval of the electrical appliance transferred to the person to whom the business or portion of the business has been disposed. Every such application shall be countersigned by the person to whom the business or portion of the business has been disposed and shall be accompanied by the prescribed fee.

(2) The Commission may, if it approves of an application made under subregulation (1) of this regulation, transfer the certificate of approval to the person to whom the business or portion of the business has been disposed.

(3) From the date of the transfer the person to whom the certificate of approval has been transferred shall, in respect of the certificate of approval be entitled to all rights and privileges under and be responsible for all liabilities, responsibilities, duties and penalties under these regulations in the same manner as the original applicant.

Lost or Destroyed Certificates of Approval.

330. If any certificate of approval issued by the Commission is lost, stolen, destroyed, mutilated or defaced, a duplicate certificate of approval may be issued by the Commission upon proof to its satisfaction of the loss, theft or destruction or upon surrender of the mutilated or defaced certificate of approval and on payment of the prescribed fee.

Appliances to be Submitted for Examination and Testing if the Commission so Requires.

331. Notwithstanding anything contained in these regulations, the Commission may, by notice in writing signed by an officer duly authorised in that behalf, at any time require an applicant to whom a certificate of approval has been issued or transferred to submit for examination and testing within a time specified in the notice, a sample or samples of the electrical appliance for which the certificate was issued. An applicant shall within the time specified in the notice deliver or cause to be delivered to the Commission the sample or samples specified in the notice and furnish therewith the particulars required on Form No. 37 in the Appendix to these regulations.

Refusal or Withdrawal of Approval.

332. (1) Without in any way limiting the power of the Commission to grant approval of any electrical appliance the Commission may refuse to grant approval to any application made under this Part—

- (a) if any specification, drawing, photograph, label or other information delivered to the Commission in accordance with this Part is found to be misleading;
- (b) if the applicant shall fail or refuse to submit either for examination for testing or both the sample or samples of the electrical appliance as required under this Part;
- (c) if an electrical appliance of the same type or of the same class for which approval is sought when examined and tested in accordance with the provisions of the relevant published specifications, fails to comply with the published specifications;
- (d) if in the opinion of the Commission the electrical appliance for which approval is sought is dangerous or is likely to be or to become dangerous in normal use;
- (e) if in the opinion of the Commission representations are made by the applicant or advertisements are employed by the applicant in connection with the selling or hiring of electrical appliances of that type or class for which approval is sought which would mislead as to the significance of approval or the use for which approval may be granted.

(2) The Commission may withdraw approval already granted in respect of any electrical appliance whether the approval was granted under this Part or under the regulations repealed by this Part—

- (a) if an electrical appliance of the same class or of the same type for which approval has been granted is, when examined and tested in accordance with the provision of the relevant specifications, found at any time not to conform to the published specifications;
- (b) if in the opinion of the Commission the electrical appliance for which approval has been granted is dangerous or is likely to be or to become dangerous in normal use;
- (c) if the applicant shall at any time fail or refuse to submit either for examination or testing or both the sample or samples of the electrical appliance as required under this Part;
- (d) if the applicant shall at any time fail or refuse to supply particulars required under this Part;

- (e) if in the opinion of the Commission representations are made by the applicant or advertisements are employed by the applicant in connection with the selling or hiring of electrical appliances of the type or class for which approval has been granted which would mislead as to the significance of approval or the use for which approval is granted;
- (f) if any information delivered to the Commission pursuant to this Part is found to be false or misleading;
- (g) if the applicant has been convicted by a Court of competent jurisdiction for a contravention of a breach of the Act or of this Part;
- (h) if the certificate of approval granted in the State where the electrical appliance was originally approved is withdrawn by the duly constituted authority of that State;
- (i) if the applicant so requests.

#### Notification of Withdrawal of Approval.

333. (1) When the Commission withdraws approval of an electrical appliance otherwise than at the request of the applicant, the Commission shall advertise in the *Government Gazette* notice of the withdrawal of approval, therein specifying the name of the applicant, the class or type of electrical appliance, the date of the certificate of approval, the approvals marking (if any) thereon referred to and the date on or from which the withdrawal of approval is to take effect. The Commission shall send to the applicant by prepaid post at the address of the applicant recorded in the Register of Approval Electrical Appliances a copy of that notice, and after the date specified in the notice as the date on or from which withdrawal of approval is to take effect, no person shall—

- (a) sell or hire or expose for sale or hire or advertise for sale or hire an electrical appliance in respect of which the certificate of approval was withdrawn; or
- (b) stamp or label any electrical appliance with the approvals marking referred to on the certificate of approval issued in respect of the electrical appliance the approval to which was withdrawn.

(2) The applicant shall within fourteen (14) days of the despatch by the Commission of the notice referred to in subregulation (1) of this regulation return to the Commission the certificate of approval in respect of the electrical appliance referred to in the notice.

#### Deferment of Approval.

334. The Commission may at its discretion defer any decision as to the approval or non-approval of any application under this Part of these Regulations.

#### Purchase of Electrical Appliances for Inspection.

335. The Commission may purchase an electrical appliance from any person dealing in electrical appliances. Any person (hereinafter referred to as the dealer) who deals whether by wholesale, retail or otherwise in any electrical appliance shall, when requested so to do by an officer of the Commission duly authorised in that behalf, sell to the Commission any electrical appliance sought to be purchased by the officer on behalf of the Commission for the same price as the dealer charges other purchasers for the electrical appliance and, if the price cannot be identified, for a fair price. The officer shall at the time of the purchase and before carrying away the electrical appliance inform the dealer or his servant or agent, that he is purchasing the electrical appliance on behalf of the Commission for the purpose of these regulations and shall if required by the dealer produce evidence of his authority and shall affix to the electrical appliance or (as the case requires) its container—

- (a) A label showing in legible writing—
  - (i) the name and address of the dealer;
  - (ii) the date of purchase as aforesaid;
  - (iii) the nature of the electrical appliance;

- (iv) if the electrical appliance is of a class or type that is prescribed, the designation of the class or type under which it is prescribed;
- (v) the type of flexible cord (if any) supplied with or sold for use with the electrical appliance purchased;
- (vi) the signature of the authorised officer; and
- (b) any pamphlet, leaflet, or other writing descriptive of the electrical appliance or instructions for use thereof supplied with the electrical appliance so purchased; and
- (c) the receipt of the dealer (or his servant or agent) for the money paid for the electrical appliance so purchased;

and the dealer shall if he is then or thereafter requested by the authorised officer forthwith inform the officer when and from whom he obtained the electrical appliance so purchased and shall produce for inspection by the authorised officer all vouchers, invoices or accounts in his possession showing when and from whom the dealer obtained the electrical appliance.

#### Obstruction of Officers.

336. (1) No person shall in any way obstruct, hinder, interfere with or aid or abet, encourage, invite or instruct any person to obstruct, hinder or interfere with any authorised officer exercising any powers conferred under these regulations.

(2) No person shall give any false information either verbally or in writing to the Commission or to the Approvals Engineer or to any other duly authorised officer of the Commission in relation to an electrical appliance or its sale or hire or exposure for sale or hire or as to its marking or labelling, or as to the marking or labelling of any container or wrapping in which it is sold or hired or exposed for sale or hire.

#### Register of Prescribed Electrical Appliances and Register of Approved Electrical Appliances.

337. (1) The Commission shall cause to be kept—

- (a) a register to be called the "Register of Prescribed Electrical Appliances" setting out a list of the classes and types of electrical appliances prescribed by notice in the *Gazette* and a reference to the date of the *Gazette* in which such list was published;
- (b) a register to be called the "Register of Approved Electrical Appliances" containing the following information in respect to each class or type of electrical appliance approved by the Commission—
  - (i) particulars of the electrical appliance;
  - (ii) the marking required by these regulations;
  - (iii) all conditions imposed by the Commission upon approval;
  - (iv) the purpose or purposes for which approval has been given;
  - (v) the date of approval;
  - (vi) the name (in full), place of abode and place of business of the applicant;
  - (vii) particulars of approved modifications of design, materials or construction (if any);
  - (viii) such further or other particulars as the Commission may from time to time think fit.

(2) A person upon payment of the prescribed fee or fees may—

- (a) inspect the registers during the normal business hours of the Commission;
- (b) obtain certified copies of entries in the registers.

## Change of Address.

338. An applicant who changes his address after the issue to him of a certificate of approval shall within one (1) month of changing his address give notice to the Commission of his new address.

## Fees of Examination, Testing, etc.

339. The fees to be paid for examination, testing and reporting on any electrical appliance or for searching and inspecting registers under these regulations shall be in accordance with the schedule to these regulations.

## Penalties.

340. A person committing a breach of any regulations in this Part either by act or omission shall on conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding \$40.

## Proceedings.

341. All proceedings in respect of penalties or forfeitures may be taken in the name of any person authorised in that behalf by the Commission.

## SCHEDULE OF FEES: GENERAL FEES.

	\$	Substituted by G.G. 31/8/65, p.p. 2560-2.
Application for approval of a prescribed electrical appliance	4.00	
Application for transfer of Certificate of Approval	4.00	
Application for duplicate Certificate of Approval	2.00	
Application for approval of alteration of design, materials or construction of an approved electrical appliance	2.00	
Inspection of Register of Prescribed Electrical Appliances or of Register of Approved Electrical Appliances	0.50	
Certified copy of one entry in Register of Prescribed Electrical Appliances or of Register of Approved Electrical Appliances	1.00	
Certified copy of all entries in Register of Approved Electrical Appliances applicable to any one person or of approval of any one type of approved electrical appliance	3.00	

## SCHEDULE OF TESTING FEES.

Article.	Test Fee. to be Submitted.	No. of Samples
	\$	
Electric Bread Toaster	23.00	Two
Electric Bread Toaster—Automatic	30.00	Two
Electric Griller	30.00	Two
Electric Room Heater (with fan)	38.00	Two
Electric Room Heater (without fan)	30.00	Two
Electric Portable Immersion Heater	23.00	Two
Electric Portable Immersion Heater (aquarium type)	30.00	Two
Electric Kettle or Electric Saucepan	30.00	Two
Electric Jug	30.00	Two
Electric Iron—Dry	23.00	Two
Electric Iron—Steam	38.00	Two
Appliance Plug	53.00	Two
Earth Leakage Circuit Breaker	60.00	Two
Miniature Over-current Circuit Breaker	105.00	Two
Miniature Over-current Circuit Breaker with earth leakage circuit breaker protection	128.00	Two
Plug and Plug socket—		
Plug with fuse incorporated	83.00	Two
Plug only	30.00	Two
Plug only (integrally moulded type)	38.00	Two
Plug Socket	23.00	Two

Article.	Test Fee.	No. of Samples
		to be Submitted.
	\$	
Wall Switch (A.C. only) ....	38.00	Three
Wall Switch (A.C./D.C.) ....	53.00	Three
Wall Switch (D.C. only) ....	30.00	Three
Wall Switch with thermoplastic body— an additional ....	15.00	
Electric Soldering Iron ....	30.00	Two
Flexible Cord—Rubber or PVC, Single Core (excluding sheath) ....	68.00	One coil of 50 yds.
Flexible Cord, Rubber or PVC, each addi- tional core ....	23.00	One coil of 50 yds.
Flexible Cord—Rubber or PVC—each sheath an additional ....	23.00	One coil of 50 yds.
Flexible Cord—Fibrous Insulated ....	45.00	One coil of 50 yds.
Flexible Cord—Unprotected PVC/Asbestos or PVC/Glass heat resisting ....	96.00	One coil of 50 yds.
Normal Bayonet Lampholder ....	23.00	Three
Normal Bayonet Lampholder—with switch Electric Hand Lamp (excluding lamp- holder and switch)—Incandescent ....	45.00	Three
Electric Hand Lamp (excluding lampholder and switch) Fluorescent ....	15.00	Two
Normal Bayonet Lampholder Adaptor ....	30.00	Two
Normal Bayonet Lampholder Adaptor with lampholder outlet or outlets ....	23.00	Three
Cord Extension Socket ....	30.00	Two
Plug Socket Adaptor ....	38.00	Two
Electric Razor (electric dry shaver) or Electric Hair Clipper ....	30.00	Two
Extra-low Voltage Transformer ....	45.00	Two
Cord-Line Switch (A.C. only) ....	38.00	Two
Cord-Line Switch (A.C./D.C.) ....	53.00	Two
Cord-Line Switch (D.C. only) ....	30.00	Two
Portable Lamp Standard or Bracket Fluorescent type ....	23.00	Two
Portable Electric Range ....	30.00	Two
Non-flexible Electric Bed Warmer ....	38.00	Two
Flexible Electric Heating Pad (including thermostat) ....	30.00	Two
Flexible Electric Heating Pad (excluding thermostat) ....	75.00	Two
Decorative Lighting Outfit ....	53.00	Two
Portable Electric Vacuum Cleaner ....	23.00	Two sets
Electric Lawn Mower ....	45.00	Two
Portable Electric Drill ....	53.00	Two
Domestic Electric Washing Machine—non- automatic ....	45.00	Two
Domestic Electric Washing Machine— semi-automatic ....	53.00	Two
Domestic Electric Washing Machine— Automatic ....	68.00	One
Electric Blanket (excluding thermostat) ....	75.00	One
Electric Floor Polisher ....	60.00	Two
Domestic Electric Sewing Machine ....	45.00	Two
	54.00	Two

COMPONENTS INCORPORATED IN PRESCRIBED ARTICLES—  
ADDITIONAL FEES WHERE TESTING IS REQUIRED.

Article.	Test Fee.
	\$
Thermostat without "off" position	30.00
Thermostat with "off" position	45.00
Switch—(A.C. only)	38.00
Switch—(A.C./D.C.)	53.00
Switch—(D.C. only)	30.00
Transformer	45.00
Ceramic Hot-plate Incorporated in Griller or Range	15.00
Flexible Cord—incorporated in a flexible electric heating pad or decorative lighting outfit or supplied with an electric razor or electric hair clipper	68.00
Plug Socket—extra-low voltage	23.00
Insulating and protective mouldings—(one only)	7.00
Insulating and protective mouldings (two or more)	14.00
Zinc based die castings	15.00
Radio and TV interference suppression devices—normal	30.00
Radio and TV interference suppression devices—miniature	15.00
Plastic covering of heating element—in- corporated in an electric blanket	30.00
Motor Control Device—(A.C. only)	45.00
Motor Control Device—A.C./D.C.)	60.00
Motor Control Device—(D.C. only)	38.00
Thermal Protective Device	23.00
Ballast Incorporated in electric headlamp or light fitting	45.00

Form S.E.C. 1.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 17.)

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO SIT FOR EXAMINATION  
TO QUALIFY FOR AN "A" GRADE LICENSE.

The Secretary,  
Electrical Workers' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for permission to sit for the necessary examina-  
tion to enable me to qualify for an "A" Grade Electrical Worker's  
License and submit the following particulars of my qualifications.

Name in full.....

Address .....

Date of Birth.....

Particulars of any license held under any Electricity Regulations  
prior to 1939, or any license issued by any other State Authority in  
the Commonwealth.....

Full details of experience in electrical work. (State where, with  
whom, particulars of duties, and give, as accurately as possible  
dates and time engaged).....

Signature..... Date.....

*Important.*—This application must be accompanied by:—

1. Application fee of 25 cents.
2. Testimonials or documentary evidence to cover total of SEVEN years' experience in either one or more of the following sections of the electrical trade (a) electrical fitting, (b) electrical installing, (c) armature winding. (Regulation 17.)
3. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....  
 Decision .....

Form S.E.C. 2.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 18.)

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO SIT FOR AN EXAMINATION TO QUALIFY FOR A "B" GRADE LICENSE.

The Secretary,  
 Electrical Workers' Board,  
 132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for permission to qualify by examination for a "B" Grade Electrical Worker's License, and submit the following particulars of my qualifications.

Name in full.....  
 Address .....

Date of Birth.....

Details of experience in electrical work (State where, with whom, particulars of duties, and give as accurately as possible, dates and time engaged) .....

It is my intention to sit in the following subjects (cross out those not required)—

- (a) Electrical Fitting.
- (b) Electrical Installing.
- (c) Armature Winding.

Signature..... Date.....

*Important.*—This application must be accompanied by:—

1. Application fee of 25 cents.
2. Testimonials, or documentary evidence of at least FIVE years' experience in the electrical trade.
3. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....  
 Decision .....



Form S.E.C. 3.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 21.)

APPLICATION FOR A "C" GRADE ELECTRICAL WORKER'S  
LICENSE.

The Secretary,  
Electrical Workers' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for a "C" Grade Electrical Worker's License and submit the following particulars in support of my application:—

Name in full.....

Address .....

Date of Birth.....

Where employed (State whether apprenticed and the name of the Licensed Electrical Worker under whose supervision you are employed) .....

Nature of duties in electrical trade.....

Signature..... Date.....

*Important.*—This application must be accompanied by:—

1. Application fee of 25 cents.
2. A certificate from the applicant's employer verifying the nature and extent of his duties.
3. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....

Decision .....

Form S.E.C. 4.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 22.)

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO SIT FOR EXAMINATION  
TO QUALIFY FOR A "RESTRICTED" LICENSE.

The Secretary,  
Electrical Workers' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for permission to sit for an examination enabling me to qualify for a "Restricted" License, and submit the following particulars in support of my application:—

Name in full.....

Address .....

Date of Birth.....

Name of Employer.....

Particulars of work or trade of such employer.....

Details of experience on type of electrical work for which a license is required .....

It is my intention to sit for an examination enabling me to perform work as follows:—

Signature..... Date.....

*Important.*—This application must be accompanied by:—

1. Application fee of 25 cents, and examination fee of 50 cents.
2. References covering experience and if applicable, a reference from the applicant's employer, stating the nature and extent of his duties.
3. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, yellow and white.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....  
Decision .....

Form S.E.C. 5.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 24.)

APPLICATION FOR ELECTRICAL WORKER'S LICENSE  
WITHOUT EXAMINATION.

The Secretary,  
Electrical Workers' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for the issue of an "A" Grade/"B" Grade (cross out where not required) and apply for exemption from examination on the grounds set out hereunder. (Here set out details of electrical experience.)

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Full Name of Applicant.....

Address .....

Date of Birth.....

Signature..... Date.....

*Important.*—Application must be accompanied by:—

1. Application fee of 25 cents.
2. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow.
3. References covering experience in the trade.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....  
Decision .....

Form S.E.C. 6.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulations 25 and 29.)

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.

The Secretary,  
Electrical Workers' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for a permit as may be issued at the Board's discretion under the provisions of Regulations 25 or 29.

Name in full.....

Address .....

Subjects taken at last examination.....

Date of Examination.....

Name of Employer.....

Name of "A" Grade or "B" Grade license holder, under whose supervision I will be working (Regulation 25).....

Signature..... Date.....

I enclose herewith application fee of 25 cents.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....

Decision .....

Issue fee paid..... Date.....

Receipt No. ....

Form S.E.C. 7.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 17.)

Number A.....

ELECTRICAL WORKER'S LICENSE.

"A" Grade.

Signature of License Holder.....

Mr. ....

of .....

(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby licensed to perform, carry out, or engage in electrical work of every description throughout the State of Western Australia. This license is issued subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, by the Electrical Workers' Board on the..... day of..... 19....., and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Issued under the Seal of the Board.

.....  
Chairman, Electrical Workers' Board.

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Secretary.

Fee paid \$1.

Form S.E.C. 8.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 18.)

Number B.....

ELECTRICAL WORKER'S LICENSE.

"B" GRADE.

Signature of License Holder.....  
 Mr. ....  
 of .....  
 (whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby licensed to carry out, perform or engage in the class of electrical work hereunder described, throughout the State of Western Australia subject to such conditions and stipulations as may be endorsed hereunder. This license is issued subject to the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, by the Electrical Workers' Board on the.....day of.....19....., and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this license is issued:—

Issued under the Seal of the Board.

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Chairman, Electrical Workers' Board.

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Secretary.

Fee paid, 75 cents.

Form S.E.C. 9.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 21.)

Number C.....

ELECTRICAL WORKER'S LICENSE.

"C" GRADE.

Signature of License Holder.....  
 Mr. ....  
 of .....  
 (whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby licensed to perform, carry out or engage in electrical work in the State of Western Australia, subject to such conditions as may be endorsed hereunder, and whilst under the constant and personal supervision of an "A" or "B" Grade License holder, provided such "B" Grade License holder has his license endorsed for the particular class of work stated hereunder. This license is issued subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, by the Electrical Workers' Board on the.....day of.....19....., and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this license is issued:—

Issued under the Seal of the Board.

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Chairman, Electrical Workers' Board.

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Secretary.

Fee paid 25 cents.

Form S.E.C. 10.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 22.)

Number R.....

RESTRICTED LICENSE.

Signature of License Holder.....

Mr. ....  
of .....  
(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby licensed to perform, carry out, or engage in the class of electrical work hereunder described, throughout the State of Western Australia, subject to such conditions and stipulations as may be endorsed hereunder. This license is issued, subject to the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, by the Electrical Workers' Board on the..... day of.....19..... and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this license is issued:—

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Issued under the Seal of the Board.

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Chairman, Electrical Workers' Board.

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Secretary.

Fee paid 50 cents.

Form S.E.C. 11.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulations 25 and 29.)

Number Permit.....

ELECTRICAL WORKER'S PERMIT.

Signature of Permit Holder.....

Mr. ....  
of .....  
(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby permitted to perform, carry out or engage in such electrical work in such places and subject to such conditions and stipulations as may be endorsed hereunder. This permit is issued subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, on the..... day of.....19....., and expires on the..... day of.....19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this permit is issued:—

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Issued under the Seal of the Board.

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Chairman, Electrical Workers' Board.

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Secretary.

Fee paid 25 cents.

Form S.E.C. 12.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 54.)

LICENSE INSPECTOR.

The bearer, Mr. .... is authorised to demand and inspect licenses issued to electrical workers under the provisions of Part II, of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, with power to enter any building or place where electrical work is being done or has been done for this purpose.

Date..... Secretary, State Electricity Commission.

Form S.E.C. 13.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulations 56 and 57.)

NOTICE TO PRODUCE LICENSE.

Mr.....  
.....  
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Dear Sir,

In accordance with the regulations (56 and 57) of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, you are hereby given notice to produce or forward the Electrical Worker's License No. .... issued to you under the provisions of the abovementioned regulations, for inspection by the Electrical Workers' Board.

This license must be posted to, or handed to the Secretary, Electrical Workers' Board, 132 Murray Street, Perth, by the..... day of.....19..... Failure to do so will be a breach of Part II of the Regulations.

Date..... Secretary.....

Form S.E.C. 14.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 67.)

No.....

NOTIFICATION TO SUPPLY AUTHORITY OF INTENTION TO COMMENCE ELECTRICAL WORK.

Date.....

This form to be filled in by the licensed electrical contractor or licensed electrical worker in charge of the work and forwarded to the Supply Authority 48 hours prior to the commencement of the work.

To the Supply Authority—

Dear Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of the regulations under the Electricity Act, 1945, I hereby give you notice of my intention to commence the following work at the undermentioned premises:—

Name and initials of occupier.....as.....

Street No. and Name.....Town.....

Owner .....

Particulars of Installation.

Lights.		Motors.		Power Heating Apparatus.		Is there any electrical work in premises for which you are not responsible?
No.	Total Watts of Installation.	No.	Horse Power.	No. Points.	Total Watts.	

Signature of licensed electrical contractor or electrical worker carrying out the work.....  
 Address .....  
 Electrical Contractor's License No.....  
 Electrical Worker's License No.....Grade.....  
 (This form to be retained by the electrical contractor or worker) on duplicate.

Form S.E.C. 15.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
 Electricity Act, 1945.  
 (Regulation 67.)

No.....

NOTIFICATION TO SUPPLY AUTHORITY OF COMPLETION OF ELECTRICAL WORK.

Date.....

I hereby certify that the electric light and/or power—installation, alteration, addition—at the undermentioned premises has been carried out in accordance with the wiring rules of the Standards Association of Australia.

Name and initial of occupier.....as.....  
 Street No. and Name.....Town.....  
 Owner .....

Particulars of Installation.

Lights.		Motors.		Power Heating Apparatus.		Is there any electrical work in premises for which you are not responsible?
No.	Total Watts of Installation.	No.	Horse Power.	No. Points.	Total Watts.	

Signature of licensed electrical contractor or electrical worker carrying out the work.....  
 Address .....  
 Electrical Contractor's License No.....  
 Electrical Worker's License No.....Grade.....

This form to be forwarded to the Supply Authority when work is completed.

Form S.E.C. 16.

The State Electricity Commission, of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 80.)

APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO SIT FOR AN EXAMINATION TO QUALIFY FOR A CINEMATOGRAPH OPERATOR'S LICENSE.

The Secretary.

Cinematograph Operators' Board,
132 Murray Street,
Perth, W.A.

Sir,

I, the undersigned, hereby apply for permission to qualify by examination for a Cinematograph Operator's License, and declare that I have attained the full age of 21 years, and have received training and instruction as stated hereunder.

(Here set out nature and duration of practical training, and other experience and types of apparatus used.)

Name in full.....
Address .....
Date of Birth.....
Average number of performances per week during training.....
Present Place of Employment.....
Employer .....
Date..... Signature.....

Important.—Application must be accompanied by:—

- 1. Examination fee of \$2 (in the case of a supplementary examination, \$1.)
2. References or documentary evidence in support of the above statements. (See regulation 80.)

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....
Decision .....

Form S.E.C. 17.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 92.)

No.....

CINEMATOGRAPH OPERATOR'S LICENSE.

This License witnesseth that—

Mr. ....
of .....
(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) has satisfied the Cinematograph Operators' Board as to his competency in the operation of the cinematograph apparatus specified hereunder. This license is issued by the Cinematograph Operators' Board, subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations on the..... day of.....19....., and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Signature of License Holder.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this license is issued:—

Issued by direction of the Board.

Secretary.

Fee paid, 50 cents.

Note.—This permit must be kept ready for inspection by any authorised officer, and must be produced on demand.



Form S.E.C. 18.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulations 96 and 97.)

APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO WORK AS A  
CINEMATOGRAPH OPERATOR.

The Secretary,  
Cinematograph Operators' Board,  
132 Murray Street,  
Perth, W.A.

Sir,

I hereby apply for a permit to operate a cinematograph, under the provisions of regulation 96 or 97, and submit the following particulars in support of my application.

Name in full.....  
 Address.....  
 Date of Birth.....  
 Date of Examination..... Result.....  
 Type of apparatus for which permit is required.....  
 Size of Projector.....  
 Theatre, place of employment, or nature of business.....  
 Name of Employer.....  
 Date..... Signature.....

*Important*—Application must be accompanied by:—

1. Fee of 50 cents (regulation 103.)
2. If application is being made for a permit to operate a 16 mm. projector or a projector of smaller capacity, references in support of above statements.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....  
 Decision .....

Form S.E.C. 19.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulations 96 and 97.)

CINEMATOGRAPH OPERATOR'S PERMIT.

Signature of Permit Holder.....

Mr. ....  
 of.....  
 (whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby permitted to perform the duties of a Cinematograph Operator, subject to the conditions and stipulations as set out hereunder. This permit is issued by the Cinematograph Operators' Board on the..... day of..... 19....., and expires on the..... day of..... 19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which the permit is issued:—  
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Issued on behalf of the Board.

Secretary.

Fee paid, 50 cents.

Note.—This permit must be kept ready for inspection by any authorised officer and must be produced on demand.

Form S.E.C. 20.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 106.)

INSPECTOR OF CINEMATOGRAH OPERATORS' LICENSES.

The bearer, Mr..... is authorised to demand and inspect licenses issued to cinematograph operators, under Part III, of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, with full powers of entry to any projection room for this purpose.

Secretary State Electricity Commission.

Date.....

Form S.E.C. 21.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 117.)

'APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO SIT FOR AN EXAMINATION TO QUALIFY FOR A RADIO WORKER'S LICENSE.

The Secretary,  
Radio Workers' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby apply for permission to sit for the necessary examination to enable me to qualify for a Radio Worker's License, and submit the following particulars of my qualifications:—

Name in full.....

Address .....

Date of Birth.....

Particulars of any license held under any Electricity Regulations prior to the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, or any Radio Proficiency Certificate, etc., issued by any other authority in the Commonwealth .....

Full details of experience in radio work (state where, with whom, particulars of duties and time and dates as accurately as possible) .....

I am at present employed as a (1) Radio Serviceman (General Serviceman) (Workshop Serviceman) (2) Bench Assembler.

Date..... Signature.....

Important.—Application must be accompanied by:—

1. Application fee of 25 cents.
2. References in support of above statements.
3. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....

Decision .....

<sup>1</sup> Part IV of these Regulations, relating to radio workers, was deleted by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

Form S.E.C. 21A.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 115.)

APPLICATION FOR RADIO WORKER'S LICENSE WITHOUT EXAMINATION.

The Secretary, Radio Workers' Board, 132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

I hereby make application for a Radio Worker's License, and apply for exemption from examination on the grounds set out hereunder. (Here give details of experience, showing where, with whom, dates and time employed as accurately as possible.)

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Name in full.....

Address.....

Date of Birth.....

Present place of employment.....

Date..... Signature.....

Important.—Application must be accompanied by:—

- 1. Application fee of 25 cents.
2. References in support of above statements.
3. A certificate from a competent authority (Medical Practitioner or Registered Optometrist) to the effect that the applicant has proved his ability to distinguish between the colours of red, green, blue, black, white and yellow.

For Office Use Only:

Submitted to Board.....

Decision.....

1 Part IV of these Regulations, relating to radio workers, was revoked by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

Form S.E.C. 22.

Application to be submitted in duplicate.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 155.)

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE AS AN ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR.

I,..... of..... for and on behalf of....., hereby make application under the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, Part V, for a license as an Electrical Contractor, and forward herewith the prescribed fee, namely, \$2. Office use only. \$2.00

I solemnly and sincerely declare that the information, facts and documents set forth in or supplied by me in support of this application are genuine and true and correct in every particular and I make this solemn

declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of section 106 of the Evidence Act, 1906.

Declared at..... in the State of Western Australia this..... day of..... in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and..... before me.....

(Declaration must be made before a Justice of the Peace or a Commissioner for Declarations.)

The Secretary,  
Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board,  
132 Murray Street,  
Perth, W.A.

In support of the above application I submit the following particulars:—

Name of applicant ..... Fees carried  
Application made on behalf of..... forward.

Address to be registered with Commission as applicant's business address.....

Particulars of Electrical License held by applicant or partners:.....

Name .....

License.....

Name .....

License.....

If applicant or partner/s of firm not licensed name and address of Licensed Electrical Worker/s who will be in the continuous employ of the applicant, firm or company.

Name Address License No.

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(Additional fee required—Regulation 180.)

\$.....

(Forms of consent as provided for under the provisions of Regulation 157c to be attached.)

In accordance with the foregoing and the provisions of Regulation 155, application is made for the issue of (cross out section not applicable)—

- (a) An Electrical Contractor's License (to cover all electrical work); or  
(b) An Electrical Contractor's License to cover

(State endorsement desired.)

Details of name and license held and number of Licensed Electrical Workers employed by applicant which number is the average of the highest respective numbers (not including apprentices) engaged in each of the weeks of the preceding year (Regulation 167)—

Name. License No. Name. License No.

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.....

(Additional fee required—Regulation 180.)

\$.....

Attached proof that all provisions of Employers' Liability Act have been complied with as required under provisions of regulation 156.

Nature of any other business other than Electrical

Contracting carried on by applicant.....  
 Date of application.....  
 Signature of Applicant.....  
 Witness to signature.....

For Office Use Only.

Submitted to Board.....  
 Board's Decision.....  
 .....

Issue of License Fee	Total Fees	\$6.00	See Reg. 180.
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License No..... Issued.....  
 and current to.....19.....

Form S.E.C. 23.

Application to be submitted in duplicate.  
 The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
 Electricity Act, 1945.  
 (Regulation 155.)

Office use only.

APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF LICENSE AS AN ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR.

I,..... of..... for and on behalf of..... hereby make application under the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, Part V, for the renewal of license No..... as an Electrical Contractor, and forward herewith the prescribed fee, namely \$4.

\$4.00 See Reg. 180.

I solemnly and sincerely declare that the information, facts and documents set forth in or supplied by me in support of this application are genuine and true and correct in every particular and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of section 106 of the Evidence Act, 1906.

Declared at..... in the State of Western Australia this..... day of..... in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and..... before me.....

(Declaration must be made before a Justice of the Peace or a Commissioner for Declarations.)

The Secretary,  
 Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board,  
 132 Murray Street, Perth, W.A.

In support of the above application I submit the following particulars:—

Name of applicant.....  
 Application made on behalf of.....  
 Address to be registered with Commission as applicant's business address.....  
 Particulars of License held by applicant or partners:—

.....  
 Name.....  
 License.....  
 Name.....  
 License.....

If applicant or partner/s of firm not licensed name and address of Licensed Electrical Worker/s who will be in the continuous employ of the applicant, firm or company.

Name. Address License No.

(Additional fee required—Regulation 180.) \$.....  
(Forms of consent as provided for under the provisions of Regulation 157c to be attached.)

In accordance with the foregoing information and the provision of Regulation 155, application is made for the re-issue of (cross out section not applicable)—

- (a) An Electrical Contractors' License (to cover all electrical work); or  
(b) An Electrical Contractors' License to cover

(State endorsement desired.)

The previous License held was No.....  
Endorsement.....

Details of name and license held and number of Licensed Electrical Workers employed by applicant which number is the average of the highest respective numbers (not including apprentices) engaged in each of the weeks of the preceding year (Regulation 167)—

Name. License No. Name. License No.

(Additional fee required—Regulation 180.) \$.....

Attached proof that all provisions of Employers' Liability Act have been complied to as required under provisions of Regulation 156.

Nature of any other business other than Electrical Contracting carried on by applicant.....

Date of application.....

Signature of applicant.....

Witness to signature.....

For Office Use Only.

Submitted to Board.....

Board's decision .....

Total Fees \$.....

License No..... Issued.....

and current to.....19.....

Form S.E.C. 24.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 157.)

CONSENT.

The Secretary,  
Electrical Contractors' Board,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

I .....  
of .....  
being the holder of an Electrical Workers' License No. ....  
endorsed ..... hereby give notice that I consent  
to be registered as a ..... in the sole and con-  
tinuous employment of ..... for the purpose of the  
licensing of the said ..... as an Electrical  
Contractor.

Signed .....

Date .....

Form S.E.C. 25.

The State Electricity Commission of Western  
Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 158.)

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

Form  
S.E.C. 25.  
Amended by  
G.G. 12/9/56,  
p. 2294.

No. ....

Name .....

No. ....

Reg. Address.....

This is to certify that.....

Endorsement .....

of .....  
is licensed as an Electrical Contractor under  
the provisions of Part V of the Electricity Act  
Regulations, 1947, and is entitled to engage as  
a Contractor performing such electrical works  
as indicated by the endorsement hereunder.....

Fees paid \$

Receipt .....

This license is issued by the Electrical Contrac-  
tors' Board and shall continue in force from  
this ..... day of ..... 19....., to  
the 30th day of June, 19.....

File .....

Date of Issue.....

Issued by the authority of the Electrical Con-  
tractors' Licensing Board.

.....  
Chairman,  
Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board.

.....  
Secretary,  
Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board.

Form S.E.C. 26. Amended by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

Form S.E.C. 26.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945. (Regulation 158.)

RENEWAL ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE.

No. ....

Name .....

Reg. Address.....

No.....

Endorsement .....

This is to certify that..... of is licensed as an Electrical Contractor under the provisions of Part V of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, and is entitled to engage as a Contractor performing such electrical works as indicated by the endorsement hereunder.....

Fees paid \$ .....

This license is issued by the Electrical Contractors' Board and shall continue in force from this..... day of..... 19....., to the 30th day of June, 19.....

Receipt .....

File.....

Issued by the authority of the Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board.

Date of Issue.....

Chairman, Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board.

Secretary, Electrical Contractors' Licensing Board.

Form S.E.C. 27.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945. (Regulation 174.)

APPLICATION FOR PROVISIONAL CONNECTION.

Date.....

To the Supply Authority, Dear Sir,

Further to your inspection, I now make application for a provisional connection of the undermentioned premises, and undertake to use the supply only on the conditions as stated by you.

Premises at..... Street, ..... Town

Maximum loading which will be placed on the circuits.

- Lighting Watts Motors Horse Power Heating Watts

Signature of Licensed Electrical Contractor or Electrical Worker carrying out the work.....

Address .....

Licence No.....

This form is only to be used in accordance with regulation No. 174.

When the installation is completed, the Electrical Contractor or Electrical Worker must complete Form No. S.E.C. 15 and forward to the Supply Authority in the usual manner.



(In Triplicate.)

Form S.E.C. 28.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 190.)

No.....

NOTICE OF INSPECTION BY ELECTRIC INSPECTORS.

The Secretary,  
State Electricity Commission,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Sir,

Take notice that a final inspection has been made of the electrical installation at premises situated at No..... Street..... District.

The installation was carried out by or under the supervision of:—  
Name .....  
Electrical Worker's License No..... Electrical Contractor's License No.....

The installation is in order/not in order and does/does not comply with the wiring rules of the Standards Association of Australia.

The installation has been/not been connected to the supply mains.

\*Remarks (if any):—

.....  
.....  
.....

Date.....19.....

Supply Authority.

\* When minor defects exist on any installation and the connection of the installation to the supply mains will not subject the users of such installation to any danger, the inspector shall indicate such defects under remarks. The Inspector must notify the consumer in writing of such defects.

Form S.E.C. 29.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 193.)

GENERAL INSPECTOR.

In accordance with Regulation 193 (i) of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, the bearer.....has been appointed as a General Inspector and is empowered to exercise any of the powers conferred by the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, on any building premises, places, transmission, distribution, and/or generating works.

.....  
Secretary, State Electricity Commission.

Form S.E.C. 30.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.  
Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulation 193.)

INSPECTOR.

In accordance with Regulation 193 (ii) of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, the bearer.....has been appointed as an Inspector and is empowered to exercise any of the powers conferred by the Electricity Act Regulations on any building premises, places, or transmission and generating plants where the capacity does NOT exceed 500 K.W.

.....  
Secretary, State Electricity Commission.

Date.....

Form S.E.C. 31.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 193.)

SUPPLY AUTHORITY INSPECTOR.

In accordance with regulation 193 (iii) of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, the bearer, Mr.....has been appointed Supply Authority Inspector for the....., and is empowered to carry out any inspection as authorised under the Electricity Act Regulations in connection with the Supply Authority's area to which he is appointed.

.....  
Secretary, State Electricity Commission.

Date.....

Form S.E.C. 32.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 196.)

NOTICE OF DANGEROUS INSTALLATION, APPARATUS OR FITTING.

To.....

Take notice that resultant upon an inspection made on .....19....., of..... at..... and in accordance with the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, and particularly Regulation 196, you are to immediately comply with the following:—

.....  
.....  
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.....  
Inspector.

Date.....

Form S.E.C. 33.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 228.)

NOTICE OF ACCIDENT.

The Secretary,  
State Electricity Commission,  
132 Murray Street, Perth.

Name .....

Address .....

Where did accident occur?.....

Cause of accident.....

Time of accident.....

What action has been taken?.....

.....  
Supply Authority.

Date.....

Form S.E.C. 34.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 120.)

<sup>1</sup> RADIO WORKER'S LICENSE.

No.....

Signature of License Holder.....

Mr.....  
of.....  
(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby licensed to perform, carry out or engage in the class of Radio Work hereunder described, throughout the State of Western Australia, subject to such conditions and stipulations as may be endorsed hereunder. This license is issued, subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, by the Radio Workers' Board on the..... day of..... 19....., and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this license is issued:—

Issued on behalf of the Board:

.....  
Chairman, Radio Workers' Board.

.....  
Secretary.

Issue fee paid, 75 cents.

<sup>1</sup> Part IV of these Regulations, relating to radio workers, was revoked by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

Form S.E.C. 35.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.

(Regulation 120.)

<sup>1</sup> RADIO WORKER'S LICENSE FOR A REGISTERED APPRENTICE OR JUNIOR WORKER.

No.....

Signature of License Holder.....

Mr.....  
of.....  
(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby licensed to perform, carry out, or engage in Radio Work in the State of Western Australia, subject to such conditions and stipulations as may be endorsed hereunder, and whilst under the supervision of a qualified Radio Worker's License holder. This license is issued by the Radio Workers' Board, subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, on the..... day of....., 19....., and expires on the 31st day of December, 19.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this license is issued:—

Issued on behalf of the Board:

.....  
Chairman, Radio Workers' Board.

.....  
Secretary.

Issue fee paid, 25 cents.

<sup>1</sup> Part IV of these Regulations, relating to radio workers, was revoked by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

Form S.E.C. 36.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Electricity Act, 1945.  
(Regulations 126 and 136.)

<sup>1</sup>RADIO WORKER'S PERMIT.

No.....

Mr.....  
of.....

(whose signature appears in the margin hereof) is hereby permitted to carry out the duties of a Radio Worker in the State of Western Australia, subject to such conditions and stipulations as may be endorsed hereunder. This permit is issued, subject to the provisions of the Electricity Act Regulations, 1947, by the Radio Workers' Board on the.....day of.....19....., and expires on the.....day of.....19.....

Signature of Permit Holder.....

Conditions and stipulations under which this permit is issued:—

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Issued on behalf of the Board:

.....  
Chairman, Radio Workers' Board.

.....  
Secretary.

Fee paid, 25 cents.

<sup>1</sup>Part IV of these Regulations, relating to radio workers was revoked by G.G. 12/9/56, p. 2294.

Form S.E.C. 37. New Form 37, added by G.G. 7/9/55, p. 2154.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia. Electricity Act, 1945-1953.

Part X.—Approval of Electrical Appliances. APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL.

To the State Electricity Commission of Western Australia, Perth.

I/We....., hereby make application for approval and examination\* and test\* under Part X Electricity Act Regulations—Approval of Electrical Appliances—of the electrical appliance described hereunder.

\* Delete if not applicable.

- 1. Class of Appliance.....
2. Type and description.....
3. Manufacturer's markings— Volts..... Amps..... Watts..... No. of Conductors..... Size..... Is it A.C. only?..... Construction.....
4. Intended use.....
5. Manufacturer's Name and Address.....
6. Catalogue Number, Trade Name or Trade Reference No.....
7. Trade Mark (if any). State if registered mark.....
8. Is permission sought to use this trade mark as an alternative form of approval marking?.....
9. Is this electrical appliance approved by an Approvals Authority in another State?.....
10. If so, state— (i) Name of authority where first approved. (ii) Approval marking allotted. (iii) Number of Certificate of Approval. (iv) Date of approval.
11. The electrical appliance for which I/We seek approval is— (1) one conforming to the sample or samples accompanying this application; (2) that to which approval was given in the State of .....; (3) that described in the accompanying specification; (4) one conforming to the foregoing description and particulars set out herein.

Strike out the number or numbers of sub-items which are not applicable.

.....sample(s) of the electrical appliance (correctly labelled) accompany this application.

Date.....

Signature.....

For Office Use Only.

No. of samples received..... Date.....

Whether samples correctly labelled..... Receipt No.....

Signed..... for The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Sample(s) returned to applicant on..... day of.....19....,

..... for The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

New Form 38 added by G.G. 7/9/55, p. 2155.

Form S.E.C. 38.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia. Electricity Act, Regulations—Part X.

APPROVAL OF ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES.

Certificate No.....

THIS is to certify that the electrical appliance described hereunder and for which application for approval has been made by.....

has been approved by The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia under the Electricity Act, 1945-1953, and the regulations made thereunder:—

Class of electrical appliance.....

Type and Description.

Purpose(s) for which approval is given.....

Reference No.....

Name and Address of Manufacturer.....

Approvals marking to be placed on electrical appliance in accordance with this Part.....

Such approval is granted subject to the following conditions:—

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Authorised Officer.

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

Details of any modification which has been approved by the Commission to the above electrical appliance is endorsed on the back hereof.

DETAILS OF MODIFICATIONS APPROVED TO THE ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE THE SUBJECT OF THIS CERTIFICATE.

Particulars of modifications approved under Regulation 328

Date granted.....

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Authorised Officer,

The State Electricity Commission of Western Australia.

[Form 39 deleted G.G. 7/9/55, p. 2154.]