

ORDINANCE NO. 552

BY COUNCILMAN Dalton

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A UNIFORM ELECTRICAL CODE FOR THE CITY OF Payette
SAID UNIFORM ELECTRICAL CODE OF THE CITY OF Payette TO BE KNOWN
AS THE "ELECTRICAL CODE", AND SAID ELECTRICAL CODE TO PERTAIN TO THE CITY OF
Payette.

THE CITY OF Payette DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the said ordinances of a general and permanent character relating to and establishing rules and regulations for the installation of electric wiring and other similar work, as said ordinances are typed, printed, and contained in a book in code form and known and designated as the "Electrical Code", and as the same appears from three copies on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Payette be, and the same are hereby ratified and adopted as the Electrical Code of the City of Payette.

SECTION 2. The Electrical Code of the City of Payette shall apply to all electrical wiring, appliances, controls, and equipment, as in said Code provided, within the corporate limits of the City of Payette.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect on the 1st day after the passage and approval hereof.

PASSED by the Common Council of the City of Payette this 5th day of Dec., 1949.

APPROVED by the Mayor of the City of Payette this 5th day of December, 1949.

APPROVED:

J. A. Merrick
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Alice Bulmer
CITY CLERK

CHAPTER I.
ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS.
SECTION 101--TITLE.

This Article shall be known as the "Electrical Code", and may be cited as such and will be referred to herein as "this Code".

SECTION 102--PURPOSE AND SCOPE

(a) The purpose of this Code is the practical safeguarding of persons and of buildings and their contents, from electrical hazards arising from the use of electricity for light, heat, power, radio, signalling, and for other purposes.

The requirements of this Code constitute a minimum standard. Compliance therewith and proper maintenance will result in an installation reasonably free from hazard. This Code is to be regarded neither as a design specification or an instruction manual for untrained persons. Good service and satisfactory results will often require larger sizes of wire, more branch circuits, and better types of equipment than the minimum which is here specified.

(b) SCOPE OF CODE: The regulations of this Code shall apply to all electrical wiring and equipment installed, used, maintained, rented, leased or offered for sale or distributed in the City of Payette except wiring and equipment which is used for the generation, control, distribution or communication system of a utility and which is installed by or for, and owned, and maintained by a railway, electric or communication utility operating under due authority granted by the City; provided, however that these regulations, except as to licensing and permits, shall apply to all such wiring and equipment installed in or on the consumer's premises. Electrical wiring and equipment in Federal buildings, railway cars, or automobiles are exempt from the requirements of this Code.

SECTION 103--RULES OF INTERPRETATION.

This Code is hereby declared to be remedial and is to be construed in such manner as to secure the beneficial intents and purposes thereof.

Except as hereinafter otherwise specifically provided, the provisions of this Code shall apply with equal force to all alteration, repair and installation of electric wires and electric fixtures in the City of Payette regardless of whether such alteration, repair or installation is made by private or public persons, agencies or entities, except such alteration, repair or installation as shall be made by the Government of the United States of America.

SECTION 104--ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT.

The administration and enforcement of this Code shall be under the jurisdiction and control of the Fire Department Department of the City of Payette.

SECTION 105--ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR'S QUALIFICATIONS.

The Electrical Inspector and/or all Assistant Electrical Inspectors hereafter appointed shall have the requisite practical knowledge of electrical work, and any rules, regulations, or laws of the City of Payette and of the State of Idaho, relevant thereto, and which are necessary to properly carry out his duties, and shall be appointed and hold office in accordance with the Ordinances of the City of Payette.

SECTION 106--DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR.

- (a) Duties: (1) The Electrical Inspector is hereby authorized, empowered and required to enforce all the provisions of this Code.
- (2) No oversight or dereliction on the part of the Electrical Inspector shall legalize the violation of any of the provisions of this Code.
- (3) The Electrical Inspector is hereby authorized and it shall be his duty to supervise and inspect the alteration, repair, and installation of all electric wires, devices, controls and electric fixtures in the City of

Payette, except the alteration, repair and installation of electric wires and electric fixtures owned by any public utility corporation.

(b) Powers: Whenever the Electrical Inspector shall find any electric wires or electric fixtures being altered, repaired or installed in a manner contrary to or in violation of the provisions of this Code, it shall be the duty of the Electrical Inspector and he is hereby authorized to order such alteration, repair, and/or installation to be stopped and to notify in writing any person, firm, association or corporation in any manner engaged in or causing any such work to be done, to forthwith desist therefrom; and it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to continue or further prosecute, or to cause the continuance or further prosecution of any such work in any manner after service of such notice, unless a permit therefor shall be granted by the Electrical Inspector after the issuance of such order.

SECTION 107--RECORDS OF ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR.

Said Electrical Inspector shall keep a full and complete record of all work done, examinations made or other official work performed as required by this Code and shall monthly make a report thereof to the City Council.

SECTION 108--ENFORCEMENT AND INTERPRETATION.

The Electrical Inspector shall have the administrative authority and for "special permissions" as outlined in the National Electrical Code, 1947 Issue, on page 7 of the Introduction of the National Board of Fire Underwriters Standard known as Pamphlet #70, which reads as follows: "The administrative authority supervising such enforcement of the Code will have the responsibility for making interpretations of the rules, for deciding upon the approval of equipment and materials, and for granting the special permission contemplated in a number of the rules".

CHAPTER II.

SECTION 201--PERMIT REQUIRED.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation as principal, agent, officer, servant or employee, for himself or itself, or for another person, firm, association or corporation to do any of the following acts:

(1) Alter, repair, or install any electric wires or conductors as defined in Chapter 6, Section 602 of this Code, in the City of Payette without first securing an Electrical Permit therefor.

(2) Use or permit or suffer to be used any electrical current through or in connection with any electric wires or electric fixtures which have been altered, repaired or installed in the City of Payette until and unless the Certificate of Completion provided for in Section 209 hereof shall have been issued.

(3) Hinder, impede or interfere with the City Inspector in the discharge of his authority or duty, or to refuse, fail or neglect to comply with or conform to any provisions or requirements of this Code.

(4) Maintain, permit to be maintained, or permit to exist upon premises in the City of Payette which are owned or controlled by him or it, any electric wires or electric fixtures which do not conform to the requirements of this Code.

(b) (1) PERMIT REQUIRED. Any person, firm, association, or corporation desiring to alter, repair or install any electric wires or electric fixtures in the City of Payette, shall before doing so file with the City Clerk a written application for a permit so to do, which said application shall state the kind of work proposed to be done and the location of the premises, by street and number where the proposed work is to be done; and said application shall be accompanied by a plan describing all electric wiring and/or electric fixtures proposed to be altered, repaired, and/or installed if required or requested. Said plan may be amended from time to time, but only in respect to the same amount of installation and the same class and/or classes of work stated upon the Electrical Permit, without payment of additional permit fees. Said applicant at the time such application is filed, shall make payment to the City Clerk of the fees herein prescribed.

(2) TO WHOM. The City Clerk shall issue an electrical permit to all applicants who or which shall be entitled thereto by virtue of the provisions of this Code, as now existing or as hereafter amended; who or which shall have paid the fee prescribed by this Code; and who or which shall have complied with the provisions of this Code and laws of the City of Payette and the State of Idaho relating to registration and licenses; and who or which shall have made satisfactory proof to the City Clerk that he or it has complied with the requirements of Chapter 251 of the 1947 Session Laws of the State of Idaho, or that he or it is exempt from compliance with the terms of such Act by reason of the provisions thereof. Such Electrical Permit shall state the kind of work to be done and the location of the premises by street and number, where the work is to be done.

(3) Such Electrical Permit shall be without effect as to any work not stated therein, shall be without effect as to any place other than therein specified, and shall be without effect as to any electric wiring or any electric fixtures which are not delineated upon the said plan of the work proposed to be done. If the work authorized by such permit is not started within sixty (60) days from the date of issuance, such permit shall thereupon and thereafter be deemed to be null and void and no electric wires or electric fixtures shall thereafter be altered, repaired, or installed in or on the premises specified in such permit until and unless an additional original Electrical Permit shall have been obtained and the full fees prescribed in the original Electrical Permit shall have been paid.

(4) The Electrical Inspector or City Clerk are hereby instructed to refuse to issue an Electrical Permit to any person, firm, association, or corporation where corrections ordered in connection with the alteration, repair or installation of electric wires or electric fixtures altered, repaired, or installed by such person, firm, association, or corporation under a previously issued Electrical Permit at any location within the city limits of the City of Payette shall not have been made within the time specified after such order.

SECTION 202--EMERGENCY WORK.

In the event any emergency which affects the public safety or welfare shall arise which necessitates the immediate alteration, repair or installation of electric wires or electric fixtures, and such Electrical Permit for such alteration, repair or installation cannot be first obtained without endangering the public safety or welfare, such alteration, repair and/or installation may be made without first obtaining the Electric Permit therefor.

Any person, firm, association, or corporation altering, repairing or installing any electric wires or electric fixtures pursuant to the provisions of the above paragraph, shall make payment of the fees prescribed herein, and obtain an Electrical Permit for such alteration, repair and/or installation during the next succeeding businessday after such alteration, repair, or installation shall have been made.

SECTION 203--WORK NOT REQUIRING PERMIT.

(a) UTILITIES. Permits shall not be required for the installation, alteration or repair of wiring or equipment which is installed by or for, and owned and maintained, by a railway, electric or communication utility operating under due authority granted by the City; provided, however, that permits shall be required where any such work will involve changes or additions in customer-owned wiring and equipment, and, provided further, that such person, firm or corporation shall upon receiving formal notice from the Electrical Inspector, or Chief of the Fire Department, remove, repair, or alter any or all wires, apparatus or appliances which in the opinion of said Electrical Inspector and/or Fire Chief, are unsafe and a hazard to life and property.

(b) MAINTENANCE. No permit shall be required for the maintenance and repairs on the premises of a person, firm, or corporation regularly employing a registered electrician who has a valid and unrevoked license for that purpose.

(c) TESTING. Permits will not be required for any work involved in the manufacturing, testing, servicing, altering or repairing of electrical equipment or apparatus, except that this exemption shall not include any permanent wiring other than that required for testing purposes.

(d) MINOR REPAIRS. Permits will not ordinarily be required for minor repair work such as repairing flush and snap switches, replacing fuses, changing lamp sockets and receptacles, taping bare joints, and repairing drop cords.

(e) EXPERIMENTAL. Permits shall not ordinarily be required for installing, altering, or repairing any non-concealed and temporary electric wires or electric fixtures in any experimental laboratory of any educational institution of college rating; nor in any experimental laboratories of electrical shops in the City of Payette.

SECTION 204--APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.

Any person, firm or corporation legally entitled to apply for and receive a Permit shall make such application at the office of the City Clerk on forms provided for that purpose. He shall give a description of the character of the work proposed to be done and the location, ownership, occupancy and use of the premises in connection therewith. The Electrical Inspector may require plans, specifications, or drawings and such other information as he may deem necessary and pertinent, prior to granting a permit.

SECTION 205--ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR TO ISSUE PERMIT.

If the Electrical Inspector of the City Clerk determines that the plans, specifications, drawings, descriptions or information furnished by the applicant is in compliance with this Code, the laws, rules and regulations of the State of Idaho pertaining to Electricians and Electrical Systems applicable to the City of Payette he shall approve the Permit applied for upon payment of the required fee as hereinafter fixed.

(a) If the Electrical Inspector shall find that the work being done or is proposed is not that described in Section 205 he shall have the authority to order any person, firm, or corporation to discontinue the work being done until correction is made by a new or additional permit containing the data required.

SECTION 206-- COST OF PERMIT.

Upon approval by the Electrical Inspector or City Clerk of an application for permit, the applicant shall pay to the City Clerk for each permit issued and at the time of issuance, a fee in accordance with the following schedule, and at the rate provided for each classification shown therein:

SCHEDULE OF FEES.

<u>Total Valuation of Electrical Work Done</u>	<u>Fee.</u>
\$1.00 to \$50.00 including \$25.00	\$1.00
Next \$100.00 or equal \$100.00 valuation or fraction thereof	1.00
For Each \$100.00 or fraction	.50

Upon payment of the required fee the applicant shall receive a receipt for each permit issued to him. Permits and fees therefore are to be handled by the City Clerk.

SECTION 207--ALL WORK TO BE INSPECTED.

All installations, alterations, extensions or repairs of electrical wiring, fixtures or equipment or other electrical work permitted under the provisions of this Code shall be inspected by the Electrical Inspector to insure compliance with all the requirements of the Code.

SECTION 208--INSPECTION NOTIFICATION.

(a) It shall be the duty of the permittee to notify the City Clerk orally, or in writing, when the electrical work is ready for inspection. This notice must be received at least forty eight (48) hours before the inspection is to be made, exclusive of Sundays or holidays.

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To be supplied by each municipality.

(b) It shall be the duty of the permittee to make sure that the work is ready for inspection and/or testing before giving the above notification.

(c) If the electrical inspector finds that the work does not comply with the provisions of this Code, the permittee shall be required to re-notify as above and pay the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00).

SECTION 209--INSPECTION CERTIFICATES.

When any electrical wiring, apparatus or fixtures covered by any permit shall be found on inspection to conform to the rules and regulations provided by this Code, the electrical inspector shall on demand therefor issue a certificate of inspection certifying that such wiring, apparatus, or fixtures have been inspected and found to comply with the "Electrical Code", but no such certificate shall be granted until such wiring and/or equipment is made to conform to the rules and regulations as provided by this Code; when any electrical wiring, apparatus or fixtures shall have been accepted by the Electrical Inspector, he shall post in the main cabinet thereof at the place of electrical entrance a final inspection certificate, and it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, licensed or otherwise, to make or cause, or permit to be made any alterations or changes in or additions to any wiring which has been inspected and approved, without first notifying the Electrical Inspector in writing and receiving from him a written permit to make such changes, alterations or additions.

SECTION 210--RE-INSPECTION.

(a) The Electrical Inspector shall make or cause to be made a re-inspection of an electric wiring installation whenever he deems it necessary in the interest of public safety.

(b) If an electric wiring system upon re-inspection is found to be defective and unsafe, the Electrical Inspector shall revoke all certificates, in effect at that time, relating to such system; and the use of such system shall be discontinued until it has been made to conform to this Code and a new certificate has been issued by the Electrical Inspector.

SECTION 211--TEMPORARY PERMISSION TO ENERGIZE.

The Electrical Inspector may also before certificate of approval is issued, give temporary permission to furnish or use electric current, if in his opinion such wiring, apparatus or fixtures are in such condition that the current may be safely used therein and there exists an urgent necessity for such use, such as providing power for construction purposes to the building contractor, plumbing contractor etc.

SECTION 212--INSPECTION TAGS.

A tag, a copy of which is attached, and which tag is already in the hands of all licensed contractors, shall be furnished by the Idaho State Electrical Board, consisting of three parts and be used in the following manner: Part 1 shall be placed on the service entrance of the building or thing to be wired. Part 2 shall be mailed to the Department of Law Enforcement, Boise, Idaho, and Part 3 shall be mailed to the power supplier which supplies electrical energy. These tags issued in books of twenty five will be in the hands of the City Clerk of the City of Payette and of the power supplier furnishing electrical power to the residents of the City of Payette for the use of those who do their own wiring. No power Company or power supplier may energize any installation of electrical wiring and fixtures unless part #1 of the above described tag is attached to the service entrance properly filled in, and *part #3 is in the possession of the power supplier.*

SECTION 213--HAZARDOUS LOCATIONS.

In those occupancies which are defined as "hazardous locations" by the National Electrical Code, which is a part of this Code, in Article 500, Chapter 5, of the 1947 Edition, should the inspector find that the standards set up therein have not been observed he shall immediately order the discontinuance of electric service, and the electric service is not to be resumed until the inspector has given his approval of the corrections which he has ordered.

SECTION 214--POWER OF ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR TO
DISCONNECT WIRING.

If the Electrical Inspector shall find any part of the electrical wiring, apparatus or fixtures in or about any building in the City of _____ to have been installed without a permit, or not in accordance with the rules and regulations as provided by this Code, or if any electrical installation be dangerous to life or property, the Electrical Inspector shall have the right and power to order the Power Company or Power Supplier to disconnect such work and place a seal upon such work so disconnected. He shall at the time give written notice of such disconnection to the owner or occupant of the building in which such disconnection has been made, or to the person using current by means of such disconnected wiring, apparatus or fixtures. After such disconnected wiring, apparatus or fixtures have been put in a condition as required by this Code, the seal or seals so placed shall be removed or caused to be removed only by the Electrical Inspector, or someone he designates. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to use any current in, through or by means of any such disconnected wiring, apparatus or fixtures, or to attach other wires for the supply of current to such disconnected wiring, apparatus or fixtures, or to remove, break, or deface any seal so placed.

SECTION 215--REMOVAL OF WIRES

The Electrical Inspector or the Chief of the Fire Department, or a competent person delegated by either of them shall have the power to at once cause the removal of all wires or the turning off of all electrical currents where the circuits interfere with the work of the Fire Department during the progress of a fire.

SECTION 216--LIABILITY.

This article shall not be construed as relieving from or lessening the responsibility of any person owning, operating, or installing any electrical wires, appliances, apparatus or equipment for damages to any building or to any person injured by any defect therein; nor shall the city, its officers, employees, or any agent thereof be held liable in damages or otherwise by reason of the issuance of any permit or of the inspection authorized herein, or the certificate of inspection issued by the Inspector or otherwise.

CHAPTER III
EMERGENCY LIGHTINGS IN CERTAIN OCCUPANCIES AND HAZARDOUS LOCATIONS.

SECTION 301--EMERGENCY LIGHTINGS

All buildings, or those parts of a building designed, intended or used for dramatic, operatic, motion picture or other shows, including assembly rooms in school buildings where seating capacity exceeds one hundred persons and all hospitals having more than one floor or partial floors or basements, shall have installed emergency lighting, which will include all required exit lights and all other lights necessary to provide sufficient illumination to enable persons to see their way out of the building in case the regular source of supply of electricity fails for any reason. The source of supply for electric power for the emergency lighting shall be entirely separate from the source regularly used for lighting and other purposes within the building or buildings described above. The current supply shall be such that in event of emergency within the building, or group of buildings concerned, emergency lighting shall be immediately available, and shall consist of the following:

(1) One service, and a storage battery of sufficient capacity to supply and maintain at not less than 91 percent full voltage the total load of the circuits carrying lights for emergency illumination for a period of at least one-half hour. Automobile batteries, or lead batteries of other than the sealed, glass-jar type, are not considered suitable.

(2) One service and a generator set, driven by some form of prime mover and of capacity sufficient to supply circuits carrying emergency illumination load, with suitable means for automatically starting the generator on failure of the normal service.

SECTION 302--PROVIDING FOR TESTS OF EMERGENCY LIGHTING

(1) The owner, manager, or managing agent shall keep a record showing that he or someone designated by him have tested the emergency lighting to see that it is in good working order, that all lamps installed are in working order, which tests shall be made weekly.

(2) All buildings included in this Section shall be wired in metal raceway.

SECTION 303--HAZARDOUS LOCATIONS

In all locations where conditions are found that can be termed hazardous, as described in Article 500, Chapter 5 of the National Electrical Code, 1947 Issue, as recommended by the National Fire Protective Association, and adopted by the National Board of Fire Underwriters, for the installation of electric wiring and apparatus, including all that are not specifically mentioned in Article 500, Chapter 5 of the above publication, where the term "Explosion Proof" is used no apparatus, machine, equipment device, either installed as a completed unit or where such apparatus, machine, equipment or devices are assembled, shall be installed and/or used unless any and all parts can be defined as explosion proof, as the compound word "explosion proof" is defined in the American Standards Association Book on Definitions, and in Chapter 5, Article 500, Section 5001, in the National Electrical Code, 1947, and any subsequent revised issue of that Code and are approved by the United Laboratories testing laboratory's approval label, or some equally responsible testing laboratory's approval and label.

CHAPTER IV

STANDARDS FOR ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES AND EQUIPMENT, AND REQUIREMENTS FOR BRANDING.

(a) After investigation and consideration of the facts, it has been found that the Underwriters Laboratories Inc, a non-profit organization, for testing of many different types of appliances and equipment, including electrical, have set up standards for such types of appliances and equipment so that they will be reasonably safe in guarding persons and property from the hazards of fire and accident.

(b) The Underwriters Laboratory standards are published and are available without charge. They are recognized by governmental and private organizations. When their stamp of approval is placed on any type of electrical apparatus or equipment and it is installed in conformance with the National Electrical Code, people and property will be reasonably safe guarded against hazards of fire and electric shock.

(c) From and after the final adoption of this ordinance no electric equipment or apparatus of any kind can be sold, offered for sale, or installed within the city limits of the City of _____ that does not bear the approval of the Underwriters Laboratories Inc or some equally responsible and approved testing laboratory, and stamped with their label as being constructed in such a manner that when properly installed will guard against any reasonable hazard from fire or electric shock.

(d) The electrical inspector is hereby empowered to enter at any reasonable hour any place where wiring material, devices, electric appliances, apparatus, and equipment are for sale, on display, in storage, or for premiums, or for gifts, in order that he may ascertain as to whether or not they do bear the label of approval of the Underwriters Laboratories Inc. If the electrical inspector finds any electric equipment, wiring devices, or anything of the nature which is operated by electric power without the Underwriters Laboratories Inc label of approval he shall have the authority to notify the person, firm, corporation, and its manager to remove permanently all such type of materials, and none of it shall thereafter be offered for use or sale or premiums, or gifts, within the city limits of the City of Payette.

CHAPTER V

FORBIDDING THE INSTALLATION AND USE OF ELECTRIC FENCE, AND REQUIRING REMOVAL OF ANY ELECTRIC FENCE NOW EXISTING WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF Payette.

(a) An electric fence as defined in the National Bureau of Standards Handbook H 36, of the United States Department of Commerce, comprising Part 6 of the Fifth Edition, National Electrical Safety Code, is as follows:

(1) "Electric fence means a barrier to animals or fowls consisting of an electrified conductor energized through an electric fence controller."

(2) "Electric fence wire means any electrified conductor, such as a wire, ribbon, tape, rod, tube, plate, mesh, or any other form suitable for and used as a barrier to animals or fowls."

(b) For the purposes of this code the definition of an electric fence is the same as above paragraphs #1 and #2.

(c) No electric fence shall be installed by any person, firm, or corporation, whether owner or not, within the City limits of the City of Payette, from and after the effective date of this Code.

(d) From and after the passage of this ordinance, all electrical fences of any kind, nature, or design, must be removed if installed within the limits of the City of Payette.

CHAPTER VI

DEFINITIONS OF ELECTRICAL WORDS AND PHRASES

SECTION 601--DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of this Code all words and phrases are hereby defined as the definitions appearing in the National Electrical Code, Standard of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, Recommended by the National Fire Protective Association and approved by the American Standards Association, 1947 Edition, or subsequent editions, also known as National Board of Fire Underwriters Pamphlet #70, and the American Standard Definitions of Electrical Terms, sponsored by the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and approved by the American Standards Association.

SECTION 602--FIXTURES

Electrical Fixture: Electricity consuming device, fixtures, apparatus or appliance which is electrically connected to or which becomes a permanent part of the system of electric wires in or on any building, structure or premises, by any means or in any manner other than by a detachable plug.

SECTION 603--ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR, ELECTRICAL JOURNEYMAN, ELECTRICAL APPRENTICE

It shall be unlawful for any person to supervise or to labor at the trade of electrician unless such person has successfully passed an examination conducted by the State Electrical Board and has had issued to him a Registered Journeyman Electrician's or Electrical Contractor's certificate of competency in the manner and

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 251 of the 1947 Session Laws of the State of Idaho.

Exception: An apprentice shall perform no work regulated by this Code or amendments thereto, except as an assistant, under the constant supervision of a duly licensed and registered Journeyman Electrician. Before assuming the duties of an apprentice, said apprentice shall register with the City Clerk of the City of Payette giving his name and address and such other information as may be required. There shall be no fee for registering.

SECTION 604--PERMIT

A permit issued by the City Clerk entitling the permittee to alter, repair, and/or install the therein designated electric wires and/or electric fixtures in and/or on the premises therein designated.

CHAPTER VII

ADOPTION OF NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE AS MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS. ALTERATIONS OF OLD WIRING. METHODS OF WIRING IN FIRE ZONES AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS. CONCEALED WIRES AND FIXTURES. SPECIAL SAFEGUARDS.

SECTION 701--ADOPTION OF NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE

(a) Except as otherwise herein provided for and required, all electric wires and electric fixtures hereafter altered, repaired or installed in the city of Payette shall be of the type, character, and design, and shall be altered, repaired and/or installed in the manner prescribed by the "National Electrical Code", 1947 Edition, being "Standards" of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, as approved October 4, 1946, by The American Standards Association, three (3) printed copies of which, in book form, were filed prior to the adoption of this Code, and are now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Payette for the use of an examination by the public.

(b) The words "Electrical Code" approved and adopted by Ordinance No 552 have been written in ink on the outside cover of each of said books entitled "National Electrical Code" on file in the office of the City Clerk.

SECTION 702--ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT TO BE APPROVED

(a) Products which are not certified, or listed, as required herein, but which are deemed safe by the inspector may be approved provisionally, but such provisional approval shall apply only to the stock of products inspected.

(b) Approved equipment may at the discretion of the Electrical Inspector include equipment assembled from materials, devices, fittings, appliances, etc which are individually approved or listed as required therein provided such equipment is installed under a permit, issued by the _____ Department in conformity with the provisions of this Code.

(c) The Electrical Inspector may approve special built-to-order equipment provided (1) the equipment is not to be displayed or offered for general sale; (2) the equipment is constructed and installed under a permit issued by the City Clerk Department and in conformity with the provisions of this Code; and (3) a fee is paid for shop inspection in addition to the regular inspection fee charged for installation. This fee shall be paid for each separate unit of equipment inspected and shall be \$1.00 plus 1% of the cost of the electrical equipment.

SECTION 703--ALTERATIONS TO OLD WIRING

When extensions and/or alterations are made to any electric branch circuit in any building or structure in the City of Payette which said electric branch circuit was not originally installed in a manner complying with the provisions of this Code and/or the Ordinances of the City of Payette governing the alteration, repair and/or installation of electric wires and/or electric fixtures which may have been in effect at the time of the original installation thereof, said electric branch circuit, in its entirety, shall be made to conform strictly to such provisions of this Code as are particularly applicable thereto.

SECTION 704--METHOD OF INSTALLATION--WIRING

(a) In Fire Zones _____ and in all public buildings,

churches, schools, hospitals, theatres, buildings used and maintained for the entertainment of the public, in all commercial and industrial establishments, and in all public garages, in triplex dwellings, and in apartment houses, all electrical wiring installations shall comply with the following designated articles and sections of the National Electrical Code of 1947, to-wit:

(b) Article 356 -Rigid Metal Conduit; Article 348- Electrical Metallic Tubing; Article 350-Flexible Metal Conduit; Article 352-Surface Metal Floor Raceways; Article 362-Wireways; Article 364-Busways.

SECTION 705--CONCEALED ELECTRIC WIRES--TESTING & INSPECTION

Testing: The person, firm, association, or corporation in charge of the alteration, repair or installation of any electric wires or electric fixtures, in the City of Payette shall test or cause to be tested all electric wires and electric fixtures which are to be concealed, upon completion of such alteration, repair or installation.

CHAPTER VIII
PENALTIES AND VIOLATIONS OF THIS ACT

(To be supplied by each municipality)

*not to exceed 100.00 or not to exceed 30 days imprisonment
in the city jail.*