

CHAPTER 13

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

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3-13-1: DEFINITION: The term "electrical contractor" as used in this Chapter shall be construed to mean any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of installing or altering by contract, equipment and electrical appliances for the utilization of electricity supplied by light, heat or power not including radio apparatus or equipment for wireless reception of sounds and signals, and not including apparatus, conductors and other equipment installed for or by public utilities, including common carriers, which are under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Commerce Commission for use in their operation as public utilities; but the term "electrical contractor" does not include employees employed by such contractor to do or supervise such work. (M.C. 1949, Sec. 276)

3-13-2: REGISTRATION REQUIRED: It shall be unlawful for any person to engage in the business of electrical contractor without having first obtained a certificate of registration therefor as herein required. Applications for such certificates shall be made to the Village Clerk, and a list of all such contractors so registered shall be kept by the Village Clerk. (M.C. 1949, Sec. 274)

3-13-3: FEE: The annual fee for registering as an electrical contractor shall be ten dollars (\$10.00); provided, that when an applicant commences in the business after the expiration of the first six (6) months of the fiscal year, a certificate shall be issued upon the payment of one-half (1/2) of this fee. (M.C. 1949, Sec. 275)

3-13-4: REGULATIONS: It shall be unlawful for any person registered under the provisions of this Chapter to install or repair any electrical appliances, wiring or fixtures without strict compliance with the provisions of this Code relating to such fixtures. And it shall be unlawful for any such person to do any work without having obtained such permits as may be required. (M.C. 1949, Sec. 277)

3-13-5: OUT OF TOWN CONTRACTORS: Any electrical contractor who is registered as such in any other city or village in the State shall not be required to pay a fee for being registered in this Village; but every person doing business in the Village as an electrical contractor shall secure a certificate of registration. Such certificate shall be issued without charge to electrical contractors registered as such under the provisions of another city or village in this State. (M.C. 1949, Sec. 278)

3-13-6: PENALTY: Any person violating any provision of this Chapter shall be fined not less than twenty five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each offense; and a separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs or continues. (M.C. 1949, Sec. 279; amd. Ord. 338, 1-3-77)