ORDINANCE NO _A

AN ORDINANCE CREATING A BOARD FOR EXAMINING AND LICENSING OF MASTER ELECTRICINAS, JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIANS, MAINTENANCE ELECTRICIANS, REFRIGERATOR ELECTRICIANS AND SPECIALIST SIGN ELECTRICIANS: PROVIDING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR LICENSING SUCH PERSONS: SPECIFYING THE DUTIES OF THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR: PRESCRIBING RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF ALL ELECTRICAL APPARATUS, WIRES OR APPLIANCES CONDUCTING OR UTILIZING ELECTRICAL CURRENT: FIXING THE FEES THEREFOR: PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE: AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

BUIT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKAN-SAS:

SECTION 1.

- A, There is hersby created a Board of Electrical Examiners and Supervisors for the City of Conway, Arkansas, hereinafter sometimes called "Board," to consist of five (5) members, as follows:
 - (1) One member thereof shall be the Electrical Inspector of the City of Conwny;
 - (2) One member shall be an electrical contractor duly licensed to do business in the City of Conway;
 - (3) One member shall be a journeyman electrician or a master electrician, as such terms are hereinafter defined;
 - (4) One member shall be a representative of the Cpnway Corporation;
 - (5) One member shall be the chairman of the City Council Light and Water Committee.
- B, Said Board shall examine the qualifications of all persons, firms or corporations who are engaged in the business of contracting electric wiring work or installing electric wiring, lighting fixtures or apparatuses operating at a potential of 30 volts or more.

SECTION 2 The members of said Board, other than the Electrical Inspector of the City of Conway, shall be appointed by the Mayor of the City of Conway within 10 days after the effective date of this ordinance, subject to the confirmation of the City Council of the City of Conway. The term of the members of said Board shall run concurrently with the term of office of the Mayor making their appointment, and until their successors are selected and, qualified, Vacancies for any unexpired term shall be filled in the same manner as is herein provided for the original appointment of members. The Electrical Inspector

shall be the Secretary and shall keep a full and complete record of all acts and business of the Board, The Board shall also select one of its members as Chairman and shall promulgate such rules and regulations for the conduct of its meetings as may be appropriate.

SECTION 3. A majority of the Board shall constitute a quorum to transact the business thereof. The Board shall meet at least one time each month and may hold special meetings upon call of the Chairman of the Board at anytime the business of tho Board may require. The books, papers and records of the Board shall at all reasonable times be open to the public and subject to inspection,

Any member of the Board may be removed by the City Council of the City of Conway for cause shown by a 2/3 vote of the duly elected members of the council. The Board shall adopt; such rule and regulations for the examination of all applicants for electrical license as may be deemed necessary, insofar as same are not inconsistent vith the laws of the State of Arkansas, or the ordinances of the City of Conway, whether now or hereafter enacted, and shall have the power to change and amend the same. A copy of any rules and regulation: adopted shall, before becoming effective, be approved by the City Council and three (3) copies thereof shall be filed with the City Clerk of the City of Conway, Arkansas, A complete list of all licenses is u.d, renewed or revoked shall be on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Conway, Arkansas.

SECTION 4. No person, individually or as a member and/or employee of a firm or corporation shall engage in the business of installing, altering or repairing any electrical wiring, fixtures, devices or equipment operating at a potential of 30 volts or more in the City of Conway, Arkansas, unless and until such persons, members and/or employ ees of a firm or corporation have been duly examined and have been issued a license to engage in said business, such license to have been issued by the Board.

Any person, member and/or employee of a firm or corporation in the City of Conway engaged in the business of doing electrical work covered by this ordinance or holding himself or itself out as licensed to do electrical work or engage in the electrical business of any one or more branches of the electrical industry as hereinaftor defined without first successfully passing an examination given by the Board and securing a license in the manner hereinafter set forth shall upon -2-

conviction thereof be guilty of a misdemeanor.

SECTION 5. Every person, member and/or employee of a firm or corporation desiring to engage in the electrical business as heretofore and hereafter defined shall, before engaging in such business, successfully pass an examination upon his qualifications; which examination shall be prepared, conducted and held by the said Board. All applicants desiring to take such examination shall apply in writing to the Secretary of said Board not later than five days before such examinations are to be held, for the privilege of taking such an examination, and shall pay to the City Treasurer of the City of Conway an examination fee in the sum as hereinafter set forth, and shall exhibit a receipt for such fee to the Secretary of the Board before he shall be allowed to take such examination, The Board shall fix the time and place for the examination of applicants, and if the Board shall find upon examination that any applicant has a reasonable knowledge of the hatural and practical laws and functions of electricity, the safe, correct and approved manner of installing devices, apparatus and instrumentalities for electric light, heat, power and signaling purposes, and the ordinances of the City of Conway governing the installation of electrical devices, apparatus and instrumentalities, then the Board shall issue to such person the license for which he has applied, which license shall indicate thereon his qualifications and the fact that he has successfully completed and passed the examination given by the Board for his particular type of electrical work. All such licenses shall expire on the 31st day of December of each year, and all duly licensed persons who apply for renewal of such licenses within 30 days after the expiration date thereof shall be granted a new license without further examination, upon the payment of the fee hereinafter mentioned for renewal, renewal is not applied for on or before the 30th day of January succeeding the period of the license the applicant shall be re-examined by the Board and shall be required to pay the examination fees for such examination as hereinafter prescribed. Any license for such work issued prior to the effective date of this ordinance shall be null and void and the holder of such license shall not be entitled to a renewal thereof until he shall have successfully passed the examination for the license provided and held by the Board and shall have raid the fee therefor.

SECTION 6. The classification of the various branches of the elec-

trical industry and qualifications required of applicants for each classification shall be as follows: (A) A "Master Electrician," is defined to include any individual who possesses the necessary qualifications, training and technical knowledge to plan, lay out and supervise the inbtallation, maintenance and extension of electrical conductors and equipment. 1. He shall be a person of not less than 21 years of age and a person of good moral character. 2, He must have had at least six years experience, two years of which were as a journeyman installing wires, conductors and electrical equipment used inside of buildings for the transmlssion of electrical current for electrical light, heat or power purposes. Those having worked as electricians for a pertod of 6 years prior to passage of this ordinance shall be qualified to take the examination within 30 days after the passage of this ordinance. Renewal fee for Master Electricians shall be..\$2.50 (B) "Journeyman Electrician," is defined to include any individual who possesses the necessary qualifications, training and technical knowledge to install, maintain and extend electrical conductors and equipment; further, he shall be capable of doing such work in accordance with plans and specifications furnished him in accordance with standard rules and regulations governing such work. He shall have had at least four years experience installing wires, conductors and electrical equipment used inside of buildings for the transmission of electrical current for electrical light, heat or power purposes. Those working as Journeyman at the time of the passage of this ordinance shall be eligible to take the examination within 30 days after the passage hereof, Examination fee for "Journeyman Electricians" shall be \$ 5.00 Renewal fee for "Journeyman Electricians" shall be......... (C) "Maintenance Electrician" is defined to include any individual engaged only in the work of operating the electrical installation in any certain building or buildings, or factory and/or the maintenance of such work. 1. He shall have had at least two years experience in the installation or maintenance of electrical wiring and equipment. -4Examination fee for "Maintenance Electricians" shall be.. \$3.00

Renewal fee for "Maintenance Electricians" shall be.. \$1.00

- (D) "Specialist Sign Electrician" is defined to include any individual engaged in the business of building, erecting, maintaining and repairing electrically illuminated or operated signs, and gaseous tubing for illuminations, making all connections on secondary side of transformers and primary connections only where there is a sign circuit or an outlet of sufficient capacity available within fifteen feet of the sign or transformer to be connected.
- l. He shall have had at least two years experience in the work of building or erecting, maintaining and repairing electrically illuminated or operated signs and gaseous tubing for illumination.

 Examination fee for "Specialist Sign Electricians" shall be..... \$3.00

 Renewal fee for "Specialist Sign Electricians" shall be..... \$1.00
- (E) "Specialist Refrigeration Electrician" is defined to include any individual engaged in the business of servicing, maintaining, repairing and installing electrical equipment in connection with refrigeration providing they do not make final connections to electric current unless there is an approved outlet of sufficient capacity available within 15 feet of the machine to be connected.
- 1. He shall have had at least two years sxperience in the installation, maintenance and repair of electrical equipment in connection with refrigeration.

Examination fee for "Specialist Refrigeration Electrician" shall be \$3.00 Renewal fee for "Specialist Refrigeration Electrician shall be., • \$1.00

(F) "Apprentice" is defined to include any person, working or serving to learn or become skilled in any branch of the electrical business and cannot perform actual work of installing, repairing or maintaining electrical wiring or equipment, unless under the direct supervision of a master, journeyman, maintenance, specialist sign or specialist refrigerator electrician. Not more than 3 apprentices shall work under the supervision of any licensed electrician.

Said apprentice is not required to be licensec under this ordinance.

(G) "Electrical Contractor" is defined to include any person, member and/or employee of a firm or corporation engaged in the business of installing, erecting or repairing or contracting to install, erect or repair electric wires or conductors to be used for the transmission

of electric light, heat or power purposes or to install or repair mouldings, ducts, raceways or conduit for the reception or protection of such wires or conduits, or any electrical machinery, apparatus or systems to be used for electrical light, heat, power or signalling purposes operating at a potential of 30 volts or more.

Any person, or a member and/or employee of a firm or corporation desiring to engage in the business of "Electrical Contractor" may apply for and be issued a license upon satisfying said Board that he or it is either a Master Electrician or employs a Master Electrician as its superintendent or manager and shall execute the bond hereinafter provided,

Such electrical contractor shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 within 10 days after becoming eligible therefor; which license shall be valid to December 31st, 1958, and \$50.00 annually thereafter, payable on or before the 30th day of January of each year.

Before any person, firm or corporation shall engage in the business of electrical contracting as herein defined the name, residence and place of business of such person, firm or dorporation shall be registered in a book to be kept for that purpose by the Secretary of the Board, a copy of which shall at all times be kept on file in the office of the Electrical Inspector of the City of Conway. book shall also be recorded the name of the Master Electrician managing or supervising the business of such person, firm or dorporation as superintendent or manager and the date on which such person qualified as a Master Electrician under the terms and provisions of this ordinance Every removal of place or business, or change in name of the organization, or change in the licensed Master Electrician in charge of the business, shall require immediate notice thereof to the Secretary of said Board, who shall make the proper changes in the record book heretofore mentioned. Every electrical contractor shall promptly report to the Secretary of said Board the death, resignation or discharge of his or its Master Electrician; and if another Master Electrician is not secured within three days after the next succeeding examination held therefor by the Board, the license of such contractor shall be suspended until a new licensed Master Electrician is employed.

No licensed Master Electrician can represent more than one firm at a time. The actual work shall be done by a qualified Master or Journeyman Electrician,

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(H) "Electrical Sign Contractor" is defined to include any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of manufacture, installation, erection and repair of electrically illuminated or operated signs. They shall be entitled to install the tubing for illumination or interior gaseous tube lighting and to make final connection between the transformer secondary wiring and the tube Lectrode. mary connection to transformers and signs can be made provided there are sign circuits or outlets of sufficient capacity available within 15 feet of the sign or transformer to be connected. The actual work shall be done by a qualified master, journeyman or special sign electrician,

Each electrical sign contractor shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 within 10 days after becoming eligible therefor to December 31, 1958 and \$50.00 annually thereafter on or before the \$0th day of January of each year, for the privilege of engaging in such business.

(I) "Electrical Refrigeration Contractor" is defined to include any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business of installing, repairing or maintaining electrical equipment in connection with refrigeration.

They shall be entitled to install, maintain and replace electrical equipment, make necessary connections to refrigeration equipment, providing they do not make final connection to alactific current unless there is an approved outlet of sufficient capacity available within fifteen feet of the machine to be connected.

Each electrical refrigeration contractor shall pay a license fee of \$25.00 within 10 days after becoming eligible herefor to December 31, 1958, and \$50.00 annually thereafter on or be ore the 30th day of January of each year, for the privilege of engagin; in such business.

SECTION 7. Every person, firm or corporation holding a license issued by the Board, pursuant to the terms and provisions of this ordinance, shall conform strictly with the ordinances of he City of Conway governing the installation, repair, construction and Inspection of electrical work in the City of Conway.

SECTION 8. Every person, firm or corporation doing business in the City of Conway as a licensed electrical contractor shall file with the Electrical Inspector a bond in the penal sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) with recognized corporate surety, at thorized to do business in the State of Arkansas; provided, however, that in lien

thereof any person, firm or corporation may deposit with the Board the sum of \$500.00 in U.S. currency, together with his personal bond therefor conditioned as hereinafter set forth, The bond and surety shall be approved by the City Attorney of Conway, said bond being conditioned, however, that the principal will hold harmless the City of Conway, Arkansas, or any resident of said City against loss of damage by reason of faulty or improper electrical work done or suffered by said principal; and conditioned further that the principal shall strictly comply with the ordinances of the City of Conway governing such work; that the principal will do or suffer no work to be done without a permit, and will report work done for inspection by the electrical inspection department in conformity with the laws and ordinances of the City of Conway,

SECTION 9. That no license certificates issued by said Board shall be assignable or transferable, Any license issued may be suspended or revoked by the Board for any violation of the terms of this ordinance, or any ordinance governing the installation or inspection of electrical work, or any rules and regulations promulgated by the Board after a hearing to be held at the convenience of the Board.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation licensed under this ordinance to do any electrical work covered by this ordinance, after the expiration of the license issued, or after the revocation or suspension of such license or to perform any such work without a valid license from the City of Conway,

SECTION 10. Every person, firm or corporation licensed under this ordinance shall display such license in his or its place of business.

SECTION 11. It shall be unlawful far any person, firm or corporation licensed under this ordinance to alter, transfer, lend or rent his or its license certificate or to use or attempt to use any license not duly and regularly issued thereto. It shall also be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to falsely represent himself, themselves of itself to be licensed under this ordinance, or to wrongfully use a license issued by said Board.

SECTION 12.

(A) The Electrical Inspector of the City of Conway Arkansas is hereby prohibited to issue electrical construction permits to any person, firm or corporation engaged in the business o electrical wiraling other than those licensed under this ordinance ex ept in the event

said person, firm or corporation has a permanent employee who is a licensed Master, Journeyman or Maintenance electrician to install or maintain electrical wires or apparatus in or upon their own premises.

- inspected and approved by the Electrical Inspector as set out in this ordinance; provided, however, that no electrical construction permit or inspection by the Electrical Inspector shall be required for minor repair to or replacement of common receptacles, light switches, lights and/or light fixtures, appliances or equipment when no addition to or replacement of wiring is done.
- · SECTION 13. Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed or interpreted as applying to any firm or corporation, or employee thereof, engaged in providing communication facilities to the public through a central office operated by it, or a firm or corporation or employees thereof engaged in the generation of electric current for distributing electric energy for light, heat or power, or electrically operated transportation.

SECTION 14.

- (A) The Electrical Inspector shall be selected and his salary established by the City Council,
- that all provisions of this ordinance are fully complied with, and to inspect all the electrical work done within the corpor te limits for lighting, power or heating, and shall keep proper and remanent records of such inspections; he shall report the results of inspections to the general or electrical contractor or to the owner or occupant of the building or structure in or on which the electrical work is being done or has been done, and cause to be corrected any deviat: on from the requirement's of this ordinance, or Issue approval in writing when said requirements are found to be satisfied.
- all interior wires and wiring and all electrical apparatus conducting or utilizing electrical current for any purpose whatso ver, within the limits of the City of Conway. He shall be empowered make such tests as he may deem necessary to ascertain the condition of such wiring, apparatus or appliances and he shall have the right to emove or compel the removal of any obstructions, such as lath, plastering, ceiling of flooring which may hinder a full and complete inspection of such wires

or apparatus. He may remove or compel the removal of conductors which are enclosed in conduct or otherwise inaccessible for Complete inspection. When said conductors or appliances are not in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance, or found to be unsafe to life or property, he shall have the right to condemn such conductors or appliances as hereinafter provided,

- any building, manhole, subway or premises in discharging his duties or for the purpose of making any inspection or tests of any electrical apparatus contained therein. He shall have the power to make arrests for the violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance, and to compel the suspension of any electrical work being done in a manner prohibited by this ordinance,
- (E) The Electrical Inspector is hereby empowered to inspect or re-inspect at his option, all interior wiring and apparatus conducting or using electrical current for lights, heat or power, and when the said conductors or apparatus are found to be unsafe to life or property, he shall notify the person, firm or corporation owning, using or operating them, to place the same in a safe and secure condition within forty-eight (48)hours; or within such further time as the Electrical Inspector shall determine is necessary.
- (F) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to hinder or interfere with the Electrical Inspector in the discharge of his duties under this ordinance,

SECTION 15. Wiring Methods

- other purpose placed in or on any building or structure in the City
 Limits of the City of Conway shall be installed in conformity with the
 rules and regulations as laid down in the National Electric Code as
 approved by the American Engineering Standards Committee and in conformity with the additional rules and regulations as set forth in this
 ordinance. Where local rules and regulations are set forth in this
 ordinance they shall take preference over any rules conflicting therewith,
- (B) Any and all materials, devices, equipment or other items necessary for the installation of electrical systems shall be approved and/or bear the label of the Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc., which Laboratories shall be accepted as the authority for any and all

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approved items. Provided the class of material used is listed by the said Underwriter's Laboratories, Inc,

- (C) No electrical apparatus, fittings or material shall be used or offered for sale when declared by the Electrical Inspector to constitute a fire hazard or to be hazardous to life and property.
- (D) All electrical conductors operating at a difference of potential of thirty (30) volts or more and installed in or about any building or structure in the City of Conway shall be installed in one of the following approved methods i.e., RIGID METAL CONDUIT, FLEXIBLE STEEL CONDUIT, METAL MOULDING, STEEL TUBE, APPROVED METAL DUCT, FIBRE CONDUIT, FLEXIBLE STEEL ARMORED CABLE, NON-METALLIC SHEATHED CABLE, OR KNOB AND TUBE WORK,

SECTION 16, Local Rules and Regulations

- (A) All electrical work of any kind and all systems shall satisfactorily fulfill the purpose for which it is installed and all work shall be executed in a good and workmanlike manner. Slipshod work or work not in keeping with good electrical practice shall be classified as defective and shall be immediately corrected by persons causing the same,
- (B) All light wiring in sales and display **rooms** in commercial buildings shall be done with wire not smaller than **No.** 12 gauge wire, allowing four (4)outlets to the circuit, Window lights not over six (6)outlets per circuit No, 12 gauge wire, provided this number of outlets does not overload the circuit.
- (c) Residences and apartments shall be done with wire not smaller than No. 14 gauge wire, allowing eight (8) out lets per circuit, Provided, however, kitchens, laundry rooms and breakfist rooms shall have not more than two (2) duplex receptacles per circuit installed with wire not smaller than No, 12 gauge; in the absense of breakfast rooms, the same shall apply to dinettes,
- (D) Store rooms, stock rooms, toilets and hallways in commerclal buildings may have eight (8) outlets per circuit on No. 12 gauge wire, provided this number of outlets does not overloted the circuit.
- (E) All outlets for ceiling or bracket light: wherever installed **shall** be fitted with fixture study and ears in illed and tapped and in residence wiring all switch and outlet boxes shall be of the type known to the trade as Galvanized or Sheradized and shall be at least one and one-half $(1\frac{1}{2})$ inches deep.

When necessary outlet boxes shall be fitted with plaster Number of conductors in boxes shall be goverhed by Article 370 Section 3709 as set forth in the National Electrical Code. (F) Electric signs on new or old wiring two hundred watts or over, must be on separate circuit. Signs not exceeding two hundred watts may be connected to a light circuit, provided that circuit is not overloaded. (G) All attics on old jobs must be left open and adequate provision made for inspections, (H) Overhead wires running between main buildings and any outbuilding shall not be smaller than No, 12 gauge wire, and shall be supported by approved supports in an approved manner. (I) All exposed wires under houses and in basements shall be installed in rigid steel conduit, steel tube or greenfield unless the joists are bored, This does not apply to ground wires. (J) Under all conditions where conduit is required, conduit and fittings used shall be of the type known to the trade as Galvanized or Sharadizad. (K) Ground wires; in buildings where the wiring is required to be Installed in metal, shall be installed in rigid conduit or steel tube from the main line switch to the point of ground. (L) In the absence of approved water or other piping grounds, the ground must be made with an approved grounding device. (M) All Miring installed in or under concrete or other type of floor laid on earth, shall be done with galvanized conduit not smaller than three quarter (3/4) inch and wire approved for this purpose used. The use of approved non-metallic direct burial cable and wire will be permitted when outside of buildings and concrete aprons, provided when in rocky soil it will be bedded in sand and when necessary protected by a treated board. All direct burial cable and wire shall have approved overload protec:ion. In all new and remodel wiring jobs plug fuses and fuse holders shall be Type S, unless an approved circuit breaker is used. (P) All distribution panels and cabinets shall be of the dead front type, Table governing size of service entrande switch and ser-(Q) vice wires according to number of circuits used. -12-

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No. Circuits	2 or 3 wire	Size Service Switch	Wires
1-2	2	30 Ampere	2 No, 8
3-4	3	60 Ampere	3 No, 8
5-6-7-8	3	60 Ampere	3 No, 6
9-10-11-12	. 3 . hya isang	100 Ampere	3 No. 2

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- 13 and over according to load.
- (R) Apartment houses or other multiple meter installations shall have the main switch plainly marked with the number of the apartment or sufficient load designation; marking shall be permanent.
- (\$) Service entrance switches shall be located in ready accassible places. Service entrance switches where accessible to other than authorized persons, shall not be lower than five (5) feet to the bottom of the switch,
- (T) Service entrance must be located by the Electrical Inspector with the approval of Conway Corporation management.
- (U) One service entrance switch and one service entrance shall be provided for each meter and no meter shall be attached to more than one service entrance,
- (AA) No job shall be considered as being completely roughed in until all joints have been soldered, rubber and friction taped, or approved connectors used and pigtails provided for the hanging of fixtures,

SECTION 17. Inspections, Permits and Fees

- (A) In the event it shall be discovered that any electrical work has been installed or put into use, for which no application for inspection has been made, there shall be collected a charge of Five Dollars (\$5.00) which shall be in addition to the regular inspection fee covering such work and no additional permits shall be granted until all fees have been paid.
- (B) Within twenty-four (24) hours after proceeding with the installation of or the addition to any electrical wiring or apparatus for the transmission or utilization of electrical current in the City of Conway, the Master Electrician in charge of such propersed work shall file with the Electrical Inspector an application requesting permit for such work; provides, however, that no electrical construction permit or inspection by the Electrical Inspector shall be required for minor repair to or replacement of common receptacles, light switches, lights and/or light fixtures, appliances or equipment when a addition to or

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replacement of wiring is done,

- (C) Applications for permits shall give the exact address by street and number, approximate date inspection is **desired**, the name of master electrician in charge of the **work**, a complete **description** of the extent of the **installation**.
- (D) All applications for permits shall be accompanied by the inspection fees as hereinafter provided.
- (E) Applications for permits **shall** be ma**de** according to the following table of charges:

An opening shall be any place that a conductor is broken, terminated or attached to provide for fusing, switching, or making available for attachment to receptacles, lights or light fixtures, appliances, motors or any electrically connected device.

In the event the Electrical Inspector is required to make more than one trip from his office for the purpose of inspecting any work on account of violation of any rule or regulation, wrong address, or any other irregularities caused by the Master Electrician or his agents, a charge of \$2.00 shall be made for each additional trip.

- shall be concealed from view, or in the event said wiring is in conduit, before said conduits shall be concealed from view, the person, firm or corporation installing same shall give notice to the Electrical Inspector, who shall, as soon as possible after the receipt of said notice, inspect said work, and no such work shall be concealed from view before the expiration of forty-eight (48)hours from the receipt of said notice, unless the Electrical Inspector shall make his inspection, and approve said work, before the expiration of the said forty-eight (48) hours.
- (G) Final Inspection. Before any electrical current shall be used upon any electrical wiring, of any character, notice shall be served upon the Electrical Inspector, who shall as soon as possible thereafter, make a final inspection of said wiring, and if said installation has been constructed in accordance with the rules and requirements of this ordinance, he shall issue a certificate of inspection, which

shall contain a general description of the installation, and the date of said inspection. No current shall be used prior to the issuance of said certificate, provided that said Electrical Inspector may issue a temporary permit for the use of electrical current during the course of construction or alteration of building.

(H) This ordinance shall not be construed to relieve from or lessen the responsibilities of any person, firm or corporation owning, operating or installing electrical wires, appliances, apparatus, construction or equipment, for the damage to property or persons injured by any defect therein, nor shall the city or any agent thereof be deemed to assume any such liability by reason of the inspection authorized herein of the certificate of inspection issued by the Electrical Inspector.

SECTION 18.

- (A) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation in the City of Conway to furnish current to any new building, tent, structure or out-door wiring of any kind, nature or description, without first obtaining a clearance from the Electrical Inspector, stating that such wiring is approved and a permit has been issued for the use of current.
- (B) The said Electrical Inspector is hereby authorized and empowered to cause the turning off of all electric current from all conductors or apparatus which are deemed by him to be in an unsafe condition or which have not been installed in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance, No person, firm or corporation, or agent therefore shall supply or cause to be supplied any electric current to conductors or apparatus which have been deemed by said Inspector to be in unsafe condition or which have not been installed in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance and from which the said Electrical Inspector has caused the electric current to be turned off.

SECTION 19.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined not less than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) nor more than Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) for each offense, and each day such violation shall continue shall constitute a separate offense.

SECTION 20.

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this

ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid, such, unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not effect the remainder of this ordinance; and that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed,

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