

247E. The term Master Electrician, as used in this sub-title, shall be defined as and shall include any and all persons engaged in the business of, or holding themselves out to the public as 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 current for electric light, heat or power purposes, or mouldings, ducts, raceways or conduits for the reception or protection of such wires or conductors, or to any electrical machinery, apparatus, device or fixture to be used for electric light, heat, or power purposes. A license of "Master Electrician" issued in accordance with the provisions of this sub-title shall entitle any such person so licensed to engaged in the business of and to hold himself out to the public as engaged in the business of installing, erecting and repairing and of contracting to install, erect and repair any electric wires or conductors, etc.; provided, however, that noting in this sub-title shall apply to any firm or corporation, if the person managing and in charge of the electrical work for said firm or corporation is a master electrician licensed under this sub-title.

247F. Before any person shall hereafter engage in the business of a Master Electrician in Harford County, as defined in this sub-title, and before any person now engaged in said business or any class thereof, shall continue in said business of Master Electrician, such person shall apply to said Board for a license, as herein required, whereupon the applicant shall present himself before the said Board at a time and place fixed by said Board. If the Board shall find upon due examination that the applicant presenting himself has a reasonable knowledge of electricity and the natural laws and functions of electric wires, appliances, and devices for electric light, heat and power purposes, and is possessed of skill and knowledge in all matters appertaining to the business of Master Electrician, as defined in this act, then the said Board, upon payment of the fee and upon executing the bond herein provided for, shall issue to the said person a license as Master Electrician to practice said business for a term of one year, and shall register such person as a duly licensed Master Electrician; provided, however, no person who shall have been engaged as a bona fide contractor in the electrical contracting business in Harford County for a period of three (3) years prior to the passage of this sub-title shall be required to take the examination as provided in this section before the issuance of such license; and provided that no license shall be granted to any person under the age of twenty-one (21) years, nor shall any license be granted to any person who has not taken and subscribed an oath that he has had at least one