

## LEGISLATIVE BILL 490

Approved by the Governor February 8, 1982

Introduced by Goodrich, 20

AN ACT to amend section 81-573, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1980, relating to the State Electrical Division; to transfer control of such division; to provide duties of the Revisor of Statutes; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 81-573, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1980, be amended to read as follows:

81-573. There is hereby established, ~~within the office of the State Fire Marshal, a~~ an independent agency to be known as the State Electrical Division which shall be under the administrative ~~control of the State Fire Marshal and under the~~ and operative control of the executive director of such division. The division shall include a seven-member State Electrical Board, appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the Legislature, all of whom shall be residents of the State of Nebraska. The board shall direct the efforts of the executive director and set the policy of the division. One of such members shall be a journeyman electrician, one shall be an electrical contractor or master electrician, one shall be a certified electrical inspector, one shall be a general building or housing contractor, one shall be a registered professional engineer, one shall be a representative of the rural electric systems in the state, and one shall be a representative of the municipal electric systems in the state. The original members of the board shall be appointed within twenty days after August 24, 1975, one member for a term of one year, two for a term of three years, two for a term of four years and two for a term of five years, as determined by the Governor at the time of the original appointments, and all appointments thereafter shall be for a term of five years. Any vacancy occurring in the membership of the board shall be filled by the Governor for the unexpired term. Each member of the State Electrical Board, before entering on the discharge of his or her duties, and within thirty days from the effective date of his or her appointment, shall subscribe to an oath for the faithful performance of his or her duties before any officer authorized to administer oaths in this state and shall file the same with the Secretary of State. The ~~State Fire Marshal~~ executive director shall be the executive secretary of the board and shall be responsible for all books,

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records, and transcripts of proceedings of the board.

Sec. 2. The Revisor of Statutes shall transfer sections 81-571 to 81-593, 81-593.01, and 81-594 to 81-5,114 from Chapter 81, article 5.

Sec. 3. That original section 81-573, Revised Statutes Supplement, 1980, is repealed.