

Electricity

Cap. 277.

ELECTRICITY REGULATIONS, 1965L.N.
1965/19.

Made by the Minister under section 10 of the Electricity Act. Cap. 277.

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Electricity Regulations, 1965.

2. In determining whether or not to grant permission under section 4 of the Act for electricity to be supplied to any electrical installation or to any extension of any installation, the Electrical Engineer shall have regard to the provisions of these regulations.

3. Every electrical installation completed after, and every extension of any installation in existence before, the coming into operation of these regulations, shall comply with the standards fixed by the regulations for the electrical equipment of buildings issued by the Institution of Electrical Engineers and approved by the Electricity Commission of Great Britain, which are in force on the date of the completion of such installation or extension.

4. In the event of it being impracticable to comply with the regulations prescribed in the preceding regulation, it shall be in the discretion of the Electrical Engineer to permit compliance with the standards laid down by the National Board of the Fire Underwriters, commonly known as the National Code (American Standard), where materials of American and Canadian origin are used.

5. It shall not be lawful to operate any electrical installation completed after, or any extension of any installation in existence before, the coming into operation of these regulations unless

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the permission in writing of the Electrical Engineer has been granted pursuant to section 4 of the Act.

6. The Electrical Engineer shall not give his permission for electricity to be supplied to any electrical installation completed after, or any extension of any installation in existence before, the coming into operation of these regulations unless the person seeking the supply of such electricity shall have been granted by the Electrical Engineer a certificate in the form prescribed in the Schedule in respect of the installation or extension.

SCHEDULE

(Regulation 6)

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No. INSPECTION CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

I CERTIFY that the whole/part of the Electrical Installation No. for. (details of which are given below) has been inspected and tested on. and that to the best of my knowledge and belief the above electrical installation satisfies the requirements of sections 4 and 5 of the Electricity Act, and that it complies with the Edition of the Regulations for the Electrical Equipment of Buildings published by the Institute of Electrical Engineers and current at the date of contract for the work. The whole/part of the Electrical Installation when tested with a constant pressure of. Volts D.C. showed an insulation resistance of. Megohms. Between all unearthed conductors and the earth electrode, and between all conductors earthed and unearthed. Megohms. The effectiveness of the continuity taken between any earthed material of the above Electrical Installation and the earthed electrode showed a resistance of. ohms. The test was carried out with all switches and all lamps out/in.

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The above Electrical Installation consists of—

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Inspected by..... Treasury Receipt No.....

Electrical Contractor.....

I recommend that this installation be periodically inspected and tested at intervals of not more than..... years and a report obtained on its condition.

Date..... Signed.....

Electrical Engineer