



CITY OF DETROIT ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR EXAMINATION CONTENT & DESCRIPTION

Electrical Contractor – a person, firm, or corporation engaged in the business of erecting, installing, altering, repairing, servicing, or maintaining electric wiring, devices, appliances, or equipment. Electrical Administrative Act 217 of 1956

****For Electrical Contractor Registration Information, please see Page 2****

Applicants for examination are required to bring picture identification to the examination site. **(Current and valid Driver’s License preferred).**

A score of 75% or better is required to pass the examination. If you do not pass, you **may not** review your examination. **EXAM RESULTS ARE NOT GIVEN OVER THE TELEPHONE.**

Contractor’s Examination Format

All of the Contractor’s Examination consists of 40 multiple choice questions worth 2.50 points each. It is an **open book** examination with a 1½ hour time limit and covers the below information.

Part I – Electrical Code Rules (Michigan Part 8 Rules)	
8 problems, 2.50 points each.....	total 20
Part II – Electrical Administrative Board General Rules	
8 problems, 2.50 points each.....	total 20
Part III – Electrical Administrative Act 217 of 1956	
8 problems, 2.50 points each.....	total 20
Part IV – Act 230 of 1972	
10 problems, 2.50 points each.....	total 25
Part V – Act 497 of 1980 – Construction Lien Act	
6 problems, 2.50 points each.....	total <u>15</u>
Total points.....	100

The Electrical Examiner will provide all of the above reference material at the examination. **The examinee will not be allowed to bring their own.**

If you wish to preview the material, you can download it from the Internet using the information provided below:

GO TO: www.detroitmi.gov/Boards/Administrative-Rules-Public-Acts

Print the following:

- Act 217 of 1956-Electrical Administrative Board General Rules*
- Act 230 of 1972-Stille-Derossett Construction Act*
- Act 497 of 1980 – Construction Lien Fund*
- 2011 Michigan Part 8 Rules*



CITY OF DETROIT ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION

A City of Detroit Electrical Contractor Registration is issued to Electrical Contractors who are licensed by the State of Michigan or Grand Rapids, and want to obtain an electrical permit and perform electrical work within the City of Detroit.

In order to register with the City of Detroit for the FIRST TIME the following is required:

- An Electrical Contractor Application (please see the *Trade Application* icon)
- Clear copies of the current and valid State of Michigan or Grand Rapids Electrical Contractor and Master Licenses. **Please note:** If you are renewing for the next year, you must have the Licenses for that year in order to register.
- The Registration fee: \$25.00

In order to Re-Register with the City of Detroit the following is required:

- An Electrical Registration Form (please see the *Registration or Renewal* Icon)
- Clear copies of the current and valid State of Michigan or Grand Rapids Electrical Contractor and Master Licenses. **Please note:** If you are renewing for the next year, you must have the Licenses for that year in order to re-register.
- The Registration fee: \$25.00