



NORTH DAKOTA ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION

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Mr. Eugene Cross, President
North Dakota State Electrical Board
P.O. Box 7335
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RE: HB 1218

Dear Eugene:

I am writing this letter on behalf of the North Dakota Electrical Contractors' Association, in regard to HB 1218 apprenticeship training requirement.

The North Dakota Electrical Contractors' Association supports the accepted industry standard of the completion of 8000 hours experience in installing and repairing electrical wiring, apparatus and equipment to be able to write the journeyman's exam. This is also the qualification in the North Dakota State Electrical Board Standards, Section 49-09-11.

I am unable to attend the gathering to discuss this issue in person. Please accept this letter as my input regarding HB 1218.

Sincerely,

Chuck Downs, President
North Dakota Electrical Contractors' Association