

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE
2 BILL NO. 1150

By: Osburn of the House

and

Rogers of the Senate

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7 An Act relating to professions and occupations;
8 amending 59 O.S. 2011, Section 1002, which relates to
9 The Plumbing License Law of 1955; and modifying
10 powers of the Construction Industries Board.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

12 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 59 O.S. 2011, Section 1002, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 Section 1002. A. The Construction Industries Board is hereby
15 authorized, empowered, and directed to make, prescribe, enforce,
16 amend, and repeal rules governing the following:

17 1. The examination and licensing of persons desiring or
18 intending to engage in the business, trade or calling of plumbing
19 contractor or journeyman plumber, implementing the provisions of The
20 Plumbing License Law of 1955, including, but not limited to,
21 defining categories and limitations for such licenses;

22 2. The registering of and issuing of certificates to persons
23 desiring or intending to work or act as a plumber's apprentice;

24 3. The establishment and levying of administrative fines;

1 4. The initiation of disciplinary proceedings;

2 5. The requesting of prosecution of and initiation of
3 injunctive proceedings against any person who violates any of the
4 provisions of The Plumbing License Law of 1955 or any rule
5 promulgated pursuant to The Plumbing License Law of 1955;

6 6. The establishment of minimum standards of plumbing
7 installation; and

8 7. The establishment of bonding and insurance requirements for
9 the issuance of a license as a plumbing contractor; provided, such
10 rules shall not be inconsistent with the terms and conditions
11 hereinafter provided.

12 B. Such bonding requirements shall allow the filing of cash or
13 a certificate of deposit in lieu of a bond. A state bond or cash or
14 certificate of deposit filed in lieu of a bond and which is posted
15 pursuant to the provisions of this section shall be deemed
16 sufficient to meet the requirements of any municipality, provided
17 that a copy of said bond or documentation of cash or certificate of
18 deposit filed in lieu of a bond shall be filed by the contractor
19 prior to the commencement of any plumbing work with any municipality
20 in which the licensee does work if required by local ordinances or
21 rules.

1 Passed the House of Representatives the 1st day of March, 2021.

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4 Presiding Officer of the House
of Representatives

5 Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 2021.

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