S.B. No. 707

	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1	AN ACT
2	relating to the issuance of an electrician license to certain
3	members of the armed forces.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
5	SECTION 1. Subchapter D, Chapter 1305, Occupations Code, is
6	amended by adding Section 1305.1615 to read as follows:
7	Sec. 1305.1615. CERTAIN APPLICANTS WHO ARE VETERANS. (a)
8	The department shall issue a license without examination to an
9	individual who:
10	(1) was on active duty in the United States armed
11	forces during the period of March 1, 2004, to June 1, 2004;
12	(2) submits an application and any other information
13	required by department rule to the department not later than the
14	90th day after the date the individual is released or discharged
15	from active duty in the armed forces;
16	(3) has the experience required for a license under
17	this chapter; and
18	(4) pays the application fee.
19	(b) This section expires January 1, 2007.
20	SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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