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BY FISHER

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to supervision of electrical wiring performed
2 by apprentice electricians or unclassified persons.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 103.15, subsection 4, Code 2017, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 4. For purposes of *this section*, *“the direct personal*
4 *on-the-job supervision and control and in the immediate presence*
5 *of a licensee”* shall mean the licensee and the apprentice
6 electrician or unclassified person shall be working at the same
7 project location for a minimum of twenty-five percent of each
8 day’s work period but shall not require that the licensee and
9 apprentice electrician or unclassified person be within sight
10 of one another ~~at all times~~ during that entire period of time.

11 EXPLANATION

12 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
13 the explanation’s substance by the members of the general assembly.

14 Under current Code section 103.15, subsection 3, an
15 apprentice electrician or unclassified person is required to
16 be in the presence of a licensed electrician at all times to
17 perform electrical wiring. This bill amends the definition
18 of “the direct personal on-the-job supervision and control
19 and in the immediate presence of a licensee” to require the
20 licensed electrician to be present for a minimum of 25 percent
21 of each day’s work period for the apprentice electrician or
22 unclassified person to perform electrical wiring.