

ORDINANCE NO. ~~100~~ 100

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ADDISON, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE, 1965 EDITION, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION, REPAIR, ALTERATION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF ELECTRICAL WIRING, APPARATUS AND FIXTURES IN THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$200.00) FOR EACH OFFENSE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ADDISON, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the rules and regulations of the National Fire Protection Association embodied in the National Electrical Code, 1965 Edition, are hereby adopted as the rules and regulations to govern and be observed and followed in all electric wiring and in the construction, installation, repair, alteration, operation and maintenance of electrical wiring, apparatus and fixtures in the city. The 1965 Edition of the National Electrical Code is hereby adopted, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes.

SECTION 2. In the event any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, or provision of this ordinance or the National Electric Code, 1965 Edition, adopted herein shall be adjudged invalid or held unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of this ordinance or of the National Electrical Code as a whole or any part or provision other than the part so decided to be invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 3. That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance or of the National Electrical Code adopted hereby shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine not to exceed Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each offense and each and every day any such violation shall continue to exist shall constitute a

separate offense.

SECTION 4: The fact that the City of Addison, Texas has not adopted the National Electrical Code governing the installation and construction of electric wiring within the city creates an urgency and an emergency and in the preservation of the public health, safety and welfare, requires that this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its passage and the publication of the caption, as the law in such cases provides.

DULY PASSED by the City Council of the City of Addison, Texas, on the 12 day of May, 1970.

APPROVED:

Milton J. Felle
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Edna B. Lewis
CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

H. Louis Nichols
ATTORNEY