



2019 ASSEMBLY BILL 850

February 3, 2020 - Introduced by Representatives SCHRAA, PETRYK and HINTZ, cosponsored by Senators FEYEN and JACQUE. Referred to Committee on Regulatory Licensing Reform.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** modifying an administrative rule of the Department of
2 Safety and Professional Services regarding renewal of a registered electrician
3 enrollment for a youth apprentice.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill modifies a rule of the Department of Safety and Professional Services to create an exception to the continuing education requirement for a youth apprentice who is enrolled as a registered electrician.

Under current law, no person may install, repair, or maintain electrical wiring unless the person is licensed as an electrician or enrolled as a registered electrician by DSPS. Under current rules of DSPS, a person who is enrolled as a registered electrician may renew his or her enrollment if the person obtains at least 24 hours of continuing education prior to the expiration of the one-year term of the enrollment.

Under the bill, a person who is enrolled in a youth apprenticeship program approved by the Department of Workforce Development may renew his or her enrollment as a registered electrician without completing the continuing education that applies to other registered electricians.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

