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Government Notifications

ENGINEERING COUNCIL, SRI LANKA ACT, No. 4 OF 2017

RULES made by the Engineering Council, Sri Lanka under Section 39 of the Engineering Council, Sri Lanka Act, No. 4 of 2017.

TILAK **DE SILVA**, Chairman,

Engineering Council, Sri Lanka, Colombo, 28th February, 2024.

Rule

Rule No. 1/2024

1. This Rule may be cited as the Practice of Electrician and Registration of Qualified Electricians as Engineering Technicians.

Practice of Electrician and Registration of Qualified Electricians as Engineering Technicians

- 2. With effect from January 01,2026 and continuing until December 31, 2029, it is mandatory for individuals who practice as Electricians to possess a minimum qualification of National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 3.
- 3. Commencing from January 01, 2030 onwards, the minimum qualification required for the practice of Electrician, an individual must possess the following qualifications:
 - -National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 4 certification
 - -Registration with the Engineering Council, Sri Lanka.

These regulatory changes have been implemented to enhance the standards of electrical workmanship to ensure safety and to promote higher level of professionalism within the field of electrical engineering in Sri Lanka.

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