



## NOTICE TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

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### ELECTRICAL DEFICIENCIES

An increasing number of permits with deficiencies or final inspection avoidance are accumulating in our files.

**Please remember:**

It is your responsibility as the contractor to ensure that a permit issued to you is maintained properly – right from the time of issuance up until final inspection and closing.

This means that when deficiencies are written against a permit by an inspector, they are to be remedied immediately, not weeks, months and in some cases years later as has been the case in the past. Remember that the main purpose of a permit is to protect the safety of persons and property. This cannot be accomplished if deficiencies are not being corrected or final inspections are not being arranged.

As a corrective measure to this problem, the inspection department will not be issuing new permits or approving power connections to contractors that have not been keeping their files in good standing. This will be a discretionary call by the inspection department and will be implemented immediately as a method of controlling the increasing numbers of delinquent permits.

If you have any questions regarding this letter please do not hesitate to call the Electrical Inspection Department.