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Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same to you herewith, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND W. H. SPOHN PLUMBING COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR PLUMBING FOR PHARMACY AND BACTERIOLOGY BUILDING, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$21,520.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE GLOBE INDEMNITY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 17, 1930.

HON. ALBERT T. CONNAR, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of Ohio State University, and the W. H. Spohn Plumbing Company of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Plumbing Contract and Alternates A, B-1, B-2, B-3, B-4, B-5, B-6, and C, including Sheldon Fittings, as covered by the form of proposal dated March 26, 1930, for Pharmacy and Bacteriology Building, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. Said contract calls for an expenditure of twenty-one thousand five hundred and twenty dollars (\$21,520.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. You have also submitted evidence that the Controlling Board has properly consented to and approved the expenditure of the moneys appropriated by the 88th General Assembly, for the purpose covered by this contract, in accordance with Section 11 of House Bill No. 510 of the 88th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Globe Indemnity Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, notice to bidders was properly given, bids tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the Workmen's Compensation Act have been complied with.

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