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APPROVAL—LEASE EXECUTED TO THE STATE OF OHIO
BY SEVERAL PROPERTY OWNERS IN MORGAN TOWNSHIP,
ASHTABULA COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 14, 1937.

HON. L. WOODDELL, *Conservation Commissioner, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my examination and approval certain leases executed to the State of Ohio by several property owners in Morgan Township, Ashtabula County, Ohio, leasing and demising to the state for the purpose therein stated tracts of land in said township and county.

The leases here in question, designated with respect to the number of the lease, the owner of the property and the acreage of land covered by the respective leases, are as follows:

Number	Name	Acreage
2391	Julius P. Schweitzer	206½
2392	Fred L. Thompson	25
2393	Isaac J. & Mary B. Stowers	84.8
2394	W. L. White	69
2395	Steve and Julia Lipus	50
2396	Jefferson Banking Co.	100
2397	George H. Booth	30

Each and all of these leases are for a term of five years and in each instance the property described is leased to the state for the sole purpose of a public archery hunting ground. And, in this connection, it is noted that as to each of these leases the Conservation Council, acting through you as Conservation Commissioner, has made an order setting aside the lands described in the lease for the purpose of a state archery hunting ground, as provided for in Section 1435-1, General Code.

Upon examination of these leases, I find that the same have been executed and acknowledged by the respective lessors in the manner provided by law. I also find upon examination of the provisions of these leases and of the conditions and restrictions therein contained, that the same are in conformity with statutory provisions relating to the execution of leases of this kind.

I am accordingly approving these leases as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon the several leases and upon the duplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

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AMENDED SENATE BILL 286—JUVENILE COURTS—COMMON PLEAS COURTS, DIVISION OF DOMESTIC RELATIONS—PROBATE COURT ACTS IN JUVENILE MATTERS, WHEN.

SYLLABUS:

After the effective date of Amended Senate Bill No. 268, known as the new Juvenile Court Code, in all counties of Ohio not having a Juvenile Court or a Court of Common Pleas, Division of Domestic Relations, separately and independently created, established and functioning as such by law, all juvenile jurisdiction is reposed in a Juvenile Court within the Probate Court of such county to be presided over by the Probate Judge of such county.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 14, 1937.

HON. HUGH A. STALEY, *Prosecuting Attorney, Greenville, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: I am in receipt of your communication of recent date as follows:

“I desire your opinion on the jurisdiction to be exercised by the Juvenile Court after the effective date of the Juvenile Court Code, being Amended Senate Bill 268.

Our county, Darke, is one of the very few counties in the state in which the Common Pleas Judge is exercising the jurisdiction over the Juvenile Court. His exercise of jurisdiction is neither by appointment nor election, as provided in Section 1639-58, but by designation as provided by original Section 1639, which provides that—

‘The judges of said courts in the county at such times as they determine shall designate one of their number to transact the business arising under such jurisdiction. When