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Kent State Normal School, and The Carey Company, of Cleveland, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of General Contract for Lowry Hall Roof, Kent State Normal School, Kent, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00).

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 furnished evidence to the effect that the consent and approval of the Controlling Board to the expenditure have been obtained as required by Section 12 of House Bill No. 502 of the 87th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond upon which the United States Fidelity and Guaranty 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 have been complied with.

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

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE ERLER COMPANY, CINCINNATI, OHIO, FOR RECONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF SEWAGE SYSTEM, LONGVIEW STATE HOSPITAL, CINCINNATI, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$10,991.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE ROYAL INDEMNITY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 31, 1928.

HON. RICHARD T. WISDA, 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 the Department of Public Welfare, and the Erler Company, Cincinnati, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of General Contract for Sewers (including excavation, furnishing and laying pipe, building manholes and backfilling)—Repair and Reconstruction of Sewage System, Longview State Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of ten thousand nine hundred and ninety-one dollars (\$10,991.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that that are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. You have also furnished evidence to the effect that the consent and approval of the Controlling Board to the expenditure have been obtained as required by Section 12 of House Bill No. 502 of the 87th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Royal 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 have been complied with.

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

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OIHO AND ILLIF BROS., CEDARVILLE OHIO, FOR CONTRUCTION OF REINFORCED CONCRETE CULVERT AT BARBERTON, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$6,730.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY OF MARYLAND.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 31, 1928.

HON. RICHARD T. WISDA, 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, and Illif Bros., of Cedarville, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Reinforced Concrete Culvert carrying Mud Run under the Ohio Canal about one-half mile East of State Street, Barberton, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of six thousand seven hundred and thirty dollars (\$6,730.00).

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 furnished evidence to the effect that the consent and approval of the Controlling Board to the expenditure have been obtained as required by Section 12 of House Bill No. 502 of the 87th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond, upon which the Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland 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 have been complied with.

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

Respectfully,
Edward C. Turner,
Attorney General.