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## APPROVAL, THREE BONDS OF BERT B. BUCKLEY, TREASURER OF STATE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 16, 1929.

HON. MYERS Y. COOPER, Governor of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

MY DEAR GOVERNOR:—In your recent communication you have submitted three bonds executed by Bert B. Buckley, Treasurer of State, upon which the National Surety Company appears as surety.

The first of said bonds is for the sum of \$100,000 and given for the purpose of securing the funds in the hands of the State Treasurer for the term of two years beginning January 14, 1929, by virtue of his being custodian of the funds of the Industrial Commission, under the provisions of Section 1465-56a of the General Code. Under the provisions of said section the amount of said bond shall be in such sum and with such sureties as you in your official capacity as Governor, approve. I have found said bond to be in proper legal form, and if the same meets with your approval as to amount, and the surety signing same, you should note your approval thereon.

The second of said bonds which you enclose is for the sum of \$100,000 and is given for the purpose of securing the deposits held by the Treasurer of State, in his capacity as custodian of the Teachers Retirement Fund, for the term of two years, beginning January 14, 1929, under the provisions of Section 7896-13 of the General Code. By the terms of the section last mentioned, the Treasurer of State in such capacity is required to give a bond in such sum and with such surety as you in your official capacity approve. The bond last mentioned has apparently been properly executed, and I have approved the same as to form, and if it meets with your approval as to amount and surety, you should note such approval thereon.

The third bond above mentioned is for the sum of \$600,000, and given for the term of two years beginning January 14, 1929, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of the said Bert B. Buckley as Treasurer of State. Said bond last mentioned is given under the provisions of Section 297 of the General Code, which said section expressly fixes the amount of said bond at \$600,000. I have found the bond last mentioned to be in proper legal form and have approved the same as to form.

Under the provisions of the statutes hereinbefore mentioned, said bonds in the event those requiring your approval are approved, each shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State. Said bonds are being returned herewith.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

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## APPROVAL, BONDS FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES—R. H. RICHARDSON AND W. O. PEASE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 16, 1929.

HON. ROBERT N. WAID, Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted to this department bonds given by the following Resident District Deputy Highway Directors, for the faithful performance of their duties:

R. H. Richardson, Morrow County. W. O. Pease, Montgomery County.

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Upon examination I find the foregoing official bonds in proper legal form, and I have noted my approval thereon as to form, and am returning the same herewith to you.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

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DISAPPROVAL, ABSTRACT OF TITLE TO LAND OF CHARLES M. WOLTZ, IN HOCKING COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OH10, January 16, 1929.

Hon. Carl E. Steeb, Secretary, Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, Columbus,

DEAR SIR:—This is to acknowledge receipt of your communication of recent date enclosing abstract of title, warranty deed, encumbrance estimate No. 4766, and Controlling Board certificate, relating to certain lands in Hocking County, Ohio, of all of which one Charles M. Woltz is the owner of record and which property is more particularly described as follows:

Known as the east part of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, including all the lands below the rocks, said rocks being the line, in Section 32, Township 13, Range 18, containing 12 acres, more or less.

Also, the south half of the northeast quarter of Section 32, Township 13, Range 18, containing 80 acres, more or less. Containing in all 92 acres, more or less.

Also the following premises, to-wit:

Being a part of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 33, Township 13, Range 18, containing about 38 acres, excepting about 3 acres that is cleared and under fence and a small corner of woodland on the southeast corner, being about 334 acres in the two excepted lots taken off of the original 40 acres.

Also the following tracts, to-wit:

First: The northeast quarter of Section 5, Township 12, Range 18, containing 183.96 acres.

Second: The north half of the northwest quarter of Section 4, Township 12, Range 18, containing 77.4 acres, excepting therefrom 16 acres, heretofore granted by Ignatius Kost to Marie Freeman off of the east side thereof.

Third: The south half of the southeast quarter of Section 32, Township 13, Range 18, containing 80 acres.

Fourth: The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter; and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 32, Township 13, Range 18, containing 80 acres, and containing in all above four tracts 406 acres, more or less, and being the same lands as conveyed to the Buckeye Gas Company by J. B. Bradley and wife by deed dated February 10, 1899, and recorded in the Recorder's office of Hocking County, Ohio, in deed book No. 27, Page 196.

Excepting from the above described four tracts the oil and gas priviliges heretofore excepted in the deed made by the Logan Natural Gas and Fuel Company to Charles Ward on April 3rd, 1908, as set out in said deed. Also,