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shall be responsible to the President for the honest, efficient, speedy and co-ordinated execution of the work relief program as a whole and the execution of that program in such manner as to move from the relief rolls to work on such projects or any private employment the maximum number of persons in the shortest time possible.

It is further provided to illustrate the intent of said order under Section 3, with the approval of the President to prescribe rules and regulations, (a) to assure that as many of the persons employed on all work projects as is feasible shall be persons receiving relief. It can be seen that relief and work relief are readily distinguishable. A person obtaining work relief is taken from the relief rolls and put to work on constructive undertakings and receives monetary remuneration for work done. Such a person then becomes an employee of the United States and does not obtain relief under the law for the relief of the poor, relief from a charitable organization nor a benevolent association within the purview of Section 3477, General Code.

It is my opinion, therefore, that a non-resident WPA worker having lived in any county in the State of Ohio for a period of twelve consecutive months and supported himself and his family for said period, thereby obtains legal settlement in said county for purposes of relief.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL — CONTRACT FOR INSTALLING BOILER AND STOKER AT OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 18, 1937.

Hon. Carl G. Wahl, Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by its Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, and Fosdick & Hilmer, Consulting Engineers for the development of plans and specifications for one 500 H.P. Boiler, Stokers, Piping and other plant alterations and equipment, which contract is to be financed by the appropriation under Senate Bill No. 515, 92nd General Assembly,

Regular Session. There is an approval by the Board of Trustees of Miami University.

You have also submitted Encumbrance Estimate No. 1651, showing that the amount of \$2,750.00 is appropriated for the engineering services which are the subject of this contract.

Finding said contract in the proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval on each copy and return the same herewith to you, together with the Encumbrance Estimate submitted in this connection.

Respectfully.

HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

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## DISAPPROVAL—ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE FIRST ROOSEVELT BENEFIT COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 18, 1937.

Hon. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Secretary of State, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR: This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of recent date enclosing articles of incorporation of The First Roosevelt Benefit Company for my approval. An examination of the articles of incorporation and a copy of the constitution and by-laws submitted by the attorney representing the company indicates that The First Roosevelt Benefit Company does not come within one of the exceptions mentioned in Section 9491, Generol Code.

Under the provisions of the constitution, the company undertakes to pay to its members death benefits in an amount not exceeding \$300.00. The company does not limit its membership to employes of a particular city, town, designated firm, business house or corporation. Although the purpose of the organization is to pay benefits to the members of a certain corporation, yet it authorizes wives and children of such employes to become members of the organization. Consequently, it does not fall within the exception hereinabove mentioned.

It will be necessary that the company either limit its benefits to \$100.00 in case of death or comply with the provisions of the insurance law before the articles of incorporation may be filed.