

(5) The legislature is authorized to substitute other methods of taxation of property for the taxation thereof according to its value; but no property can be relieved of taxation according to value without such substitution.

The legislature is authorized by this amendment to tax property according to its true value by a uniform rule, but is not required to make the rule uniform.

The amendment carries a schedule designed to put it into effect gradually without impairing the obligations of contracts or the effect of previous votes of the electors, and so as to afford time for new legislation.

I, John G. Price, Attorney-General of the State of Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a fair and impartial synopsis of the proposed amendment to the Ohio Constitution to be designated Section 2, Article XII and is a truthful statement of the contents and purpose of such proposed amendment.

Respectfully,
JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.

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APPROVAL, BOND, \$5,000, FOR FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF DUTIES BY ROBERT H. WAID AS CHIEF ENGINEER OF MAINTENANCE, DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC WORKS, DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS—BOND EXECUTED BY ROYAL INDEMNITY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 5, 1922.

HON. HARVEY C. SMITH, *Secretary of State, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed I transmit a bond in the sum of five thousand dollars executed by Robert H. Waid as principal and Royal Indemnity Company as surety, covering the faithful performance by Mr. Waid of his duties as Chief Engineer of Maintenance in the Department of Highways and Public Works (Division of Highways).

You will note that the bond has been approved by Director Herrick as to the sufficiency of the surety and by myself as to form.

The bond is being given in accordance with the provisions of section 1181 G. C.

Respectfully,
JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.