properly executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and as Director of said department, acting on behalf of the State of Ohio, and by Charles P. Raney and Perry Stephenson, the lessees therein named. Upon examination of the provisions of the lease and of the conditions and restrictions therein contained, I find that the same are in conformity with the provisions of Sections 13965, et seq., General Code, and with other statutory enactments relating to leases of this kind. I am accordingly approving this lease as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon the lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL—CANAL LAND LEASE EXECUTED BY THE STATE OF OHIO TO ONE GERTRUDE HOPKINS OF DAYTON, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 23, 1937.

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

Dear Sir: You recently submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and as Director of said department to one Gertrude Hopkins of Dayton, Ohio.

By this lease, which is one for a stated term of fifteen years and which provides for an annual rental of \$12.00, there is leased and demised to the lessee above named the right to occupy and use for cottage site and agricultural purposes that portion of the abandoned Miami and Erie Canal, including the full width of the bed and embankments thereof, located in Mad River Township, Montgomery County, Ohio, which is more particularly described as follows:

Commencing on the northerly line produced of Lot No. 26, of Edward F. Lipp's Morningside Plat, said line intersecting the transit line of H. E. Whitlock's Survey of said canal property at Station 9211 plus 33.8; thence southwesterly with the canal property lines a distance of one hundred thirty-four and seven-tenths (134.7') feet, as measured along said transit line,

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to Station 9212+68..5, which station intersects the southerly line produced of Lot No. 28 of said Plat, and being all of the canal property in the rear of Lots Nos. 26, 27 and 28.

Upon examination of this lease, which is one executed by you under the authority of the DeArmond Act, so-called, 114 O.L., 546, I find that the same has been executed by you in your official capacity above stated and by Gertrude Hopkins, the lessee therein named, in the manner provided by law. Assuming, as I do, that the parcel of canal land above described has not been designated by the Director of the Department of Highways for state highway purposes, and that no application for the lease of this property for park purposes has been made by any political subdivision entitled to the lease of the property for such purposes, I find that the provisions of this lease and the conditions and restrictions therein contained are in conformity with the act of the legislature above referred to and with other statutory provisions relating to leases of this kind. I am, accordingly, approving this lease and I am herewith returning the same with my approval endorsed thereon and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies which are likewise herewith enclosed.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL—CANAL LAND LEASE EXECUTED BY THE STATE OF OHIO TO ONE MARTIN W. ROBINSON OF COLUMBUS, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 23, 1937.

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

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and as Director of said department to one Martin W. Robinson of Columbus, Ohio.

By this lease, which is one for a stated term of fifteen years and which provides for an annual rental of \$15.00, there is leased and demised to the lessee above named the right to occupy and use for cottage and agricultural purposes that portion of the abandoned Ohio