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of bonds for a site for an athletic field and school improvement dated December 1, 1937, bearing interest at the rate of 3½% per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which these bonds have been authorized, I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute a valid and legal obligation of said school district.

Respectfully,
HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL—BONDS OF NORTON RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, SUMMIT COUNTY, OHIO, \$25,000.00 (Unlimited)

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 15, 1937.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio. Gentlemen:

RE: Bonds of Norton Rural School Dist., Summit County, Ohio, \$25,000.00 (Unlimited).

I have examined the transcript of proceedings relative to the above bonds purchased by you. These bonds comprise all of an issue of site and building bonds dated December 1, 1937, bearing interest at the rate of  $3\frac{1}{4}$ % per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which these bonds have been authorized, I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute a valid and legal obligation of said school district.

Respectfully,
HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.