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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND HARSH, DAVIES AND RUBRECHT, INC., COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION OF KITCHEN, DINING ROOM AND STORE ROOM AT OHIO SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME, XENIA, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$9,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 21, 1931.

HON. ALBERT T. CONNAR, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my opinion a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by and through the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, Xenia, Ohio, and Harsh, Davies and Rubrecht, Inc., Columbus, Ohio, for architectural services in connection with the construction of kitchen, dining room and store room at said Home, and providing for compensation to the architects in an amount equal to 5½% of the amount paid out by the State of Ohio under and on account of contracts entered into by the State for the construction of said improvement.

You have also submitted evidence showing that the Emergency Board has duly released the sum of \$9,000.00 for architect's fees. It also appears that the Controlling Board has approved the expenditure in accordance with section 8 of House Bill No. 624 of the 89th General Assembly.

You have further submitted encumbrance estimate No. 2, in the estimated amount of eight thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$8,250.00), and bearing the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated sufficient to pay the same, as required by section 2288-2, General Code.

Evidence is enclosed to show that the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home has requested that this contract be entered into.

Finding said contract in proper legal form, I have endorsed my approval thereon and hereby return the same to you, together with all other papers submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,  
GILBERT BETTMAN,  
*Attorney General.*

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF BATH TOWNSHIP CONSOLIDATED RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, GREENE COUNTY, OHIO—\$19,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 21, 1931.

*Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.*