

Department of Public Works and The Toledo and Cincinnati Railroad Company. This lease is being assigned by the Superintendent of Public Works, as Director thereof, to the City of Dayton, Ohio, pursuant to the provisions of House Bill No. 162, passed by the 86th General Assembly on the 25th day of March, 1925, and found in 111 Ohio Laws, at pages 208 to 214, both inclusive.

Finding that the assignment of said lease is being made pursuant to law and that the same is in proper legal form, I have entered my approval thereon.

Respectfully,

EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND HOWELL AND THOMAS, CLEVELAND, OHIO, FOR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES IN CONNECTION WITH AUDITORIUM AT OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$2,875.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 22, 1928.

HON. RICHARD T. WISDA, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my examination and 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 Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and Howell and Thomas, of Cleveland, Ohio, for architectural services in connection with auditorium equipment at said university, and providing for compensation to the architect in an amount equal to 5¼% 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 Controlling Board has duly consented to and approved the expenditure of the amount appropriated, as required in Section 12 of House Bill No. 502. You have further submitted an encumbrance estimate, bearing No. 3654, in the sum of \$2,875.00, and bearing the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated sufficient to pay the same.

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

Respectfully,

EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, 2 GAME REFUGE LEASES.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 23, 1928.

Department of Agriculture, Division of Fish and Game, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I have your letter of recent date in which you enclose the following Game Refuge Leases, in duplicate, for my approval: