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

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND THE HUFFMAN-WOLFE COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR PLUMBING AND HEATING AND VENTILATING WORK FOR TEACHERS' TRAINING BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT AT OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$47,550.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE SOUTHERN SURETY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 3, 1930.

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

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of Ohio State University, and the Huffman-Wolfe Company, of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of plumbing and heating and ventilating contract for Teachers' Training Building and Equipment on the campus of Ohio State University, according to Divisions 2 and 3, Items 16 and 17 of the Form of Proposal dated September 5, 1930. Said contract calls for an expenditure of forty-seven thousand five hundred and fifty dollars (\$47,550.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. You have also furnished evidence showing that the Controlling Board's consent to the expenditure has been obtained as required by Section 11 of House Bill 510 of the 88th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Southern Surety Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, notice to bidders was properly given, bids tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation have been complied with.

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