

the elimination of the grade crossing over the tracks of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company on State Highway No. 41, located at a point in Clermont County, Ohio in the Village of Batavia.

After examination, it is believed said contract is in proper legal form and when properly executed by the Director of Highways will constitute a binding contract between the parties.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,  
*Attorney General.*

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CONTRACT—STATE WITH THE HUFFMAN-WOLFE COMPANY, HEATING AND VENTILATING, MEN'S DORMITORY, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 24, 1939.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval the contract between the State of Ohio, acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, Columbus, and The Huffman-Wolfe Company, an Ohio Corporation of Columbus, Ohio, for the construction and completion of Heating and Ventilating Contract (Division 3—Item XVIII) for the Men's Dormitory on the campus of the Ohio State University, as set forth in the General Conditions and the specifications for same, including Addendum No. 1 dated March 11, 1939, Addendum No. 2 dated March 17, 1939, and Addendum No. 3 dated March 20, 1939, and as covered by form of proposal dated March 22, 1939. The contract calls for an expenditure of \$32,830.

You have submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Form of proposal dated March 22, 1939, containing contract bond signed by the Seaboard Surety Company of New York as surety; its power of attorney for the signer; the certificate of compliance issued by the Department of Commerce, Division of Insurance, showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; Division of contract; Estimate of cost; Notice to bidders; Proof of publication; Tabulation of bids; Letter from Auditor of State, showing all necessary papers and documents are on file in his office; Workmen's Compensation certificate showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; letter from Secretary of the Ohio State University, certifying to the availability of funds; Copy of Opinion No. 3173 of the Attorney

General issued November 1, 1938, approving the legality of the issuance of Revenue Bonds for this project; Certified copy of the proceedings of the Board of Trustees and Cabinet of the Ohio State University, relating to bids and the awarding of the contracts on this project.

Finding said contract in proper legal form, I have noted my approval thereon and same is transmitted herewith, together with all papers and documents submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,  
*Attorney General.*

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CONTRACT—STATE WITH THE ELECTRIC POWER EQUIPMENT COMPANY, ELECTRICAL CONTRACT, MEN'S DORMITORY, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 24, 1939.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval, the contract between the State of Ohio acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, and The Electric Power Equipment Company of Columbus, Ohio, for the construction and completion of Electrical Contract (Division 5—Item XX) for the Men's Dormitory on the campus of the Ohio State University, as set forth in the General Conditions and the specifications for same, including Addendum No. 1 dated March 11, 1939, Addendum No. 2 dated March 17, 1939, and Addendum No. 3 dated March 20, 1939, and as covered by form of proposal dated March 22, 1939. This contract calls for an expenditure of \$25,787.00.

You have submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Form of proposal dated March 22, 1939, which contains the contract bond signed by the New York Casualty Company, as surety; its power of attorney for the signer; the certificate of compliance indicating a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; Division of contract; Estimate of cost; Notice to bidders; Proof of publication; Tabulation of bids; Workmen's Compensation certificate, showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; Certified copy of the proceedings of the Board of Trustees and the Cabinet of Ohio State University, which proceedings authorize the issuance of Revenue Bonds in anticipation of dormitory funds; and said proceedings also contain therein a letter from P. W. A., approving this project;