

I have given very careful consideration to the opinion of my predecessor, to which Mr. Parks refers, as found in volume 1, Opinions of Attorney General for 1921, at page 779, but for the reasons herein set out I find myself unable to concur in the conclusions reached in that opinion.

Specifically answering the question which is submitted, you are advised that in the opinion of this department the health board in determining the expenditures for the various purposes, must keep within the several items as fixed by the budget commission. I express no opinion on the question of whether the health board may apply to the county commissioners for additional help in an emergency, for the reason that the answer to such question would depend wholly upon the attendant circumstances.

Respectfully,

C. C. CRABBE,

Attorney-General.

2243.

APPROVAL, BOND OF HERMAN R. WITTER, IN THE SUM OF \$10,000.00,
FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTIES AS DIRECTOR
OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 27, 1925.

HON. HERMAN R. WITTER, *Director, Department of Industrial Relations, Columbus, O.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted to this department a bond upon which the Columbia Casualty Company appears as surety, to cover the faithful performance of your duties as Director of Industrial Relations. The amount of the bond is \$10,000. It is evidently executed in pursuance to the provisions of section 154-14 of the General Code.

Finding said bond in proper legal form, I have noted my approval thereon as to form and return the same herewith to you.

Your attention is directed to the fact that the Governor is required to approve the security and amount.

Respectfully,

C. C. CRABBE,

Attorney-General.

2244.

AMENDED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL No. 27 CONSTRUED.

SYLLABUS:

1. *The amount of the deficiency to be certified under Amended Substitute House Bill 27 is the sum of the deficiency which exists February 1, 1925, and the estimated deficiency for the balance of the fiscal or school year.*

2. *Where a subdivision contains part of a precinct without containing all of said precinct, the petition signed must contain a number of electors living in said subdivision equal to the majority of the total number who voted for governor in such subdivision, plus the number who voted for governor in precincts, a part of which is included in the subdivision.*