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APPROVAL, CONTRACT FOR CHANGING ELEVATORS TO A. C. CURRENT IN OHIO-HARTMAN BUILDING, COLUMBUS, OHIO, \$5,161.00, GLOBE INDEMNITY COMPANY OF NEW YORK, SURETY—NAUGHTEN ELEVATOR & MACHINE COMPANY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 15, 1935.

HON. T. S. BRINDLE, 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 and The Naughten Elevator & Machine Company of Columbus, Ohio.

This contract covers the construction and completion of Contract for Changing Elevators to A. C. Current in Ohio-Hartman Building, Columbus, Ohio, in accordance with Items No. 1, 2, 3 and 6 of the form of proposal dated September 19, 1935. Said contract calls for an expenditure of Five thousand one hundred and sixty-one dollars (\$5,161.00).

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 submitted a certificate of the Emergency Board showing that such board has released moneys for this contract from its appropriation in Senate Bill No. 1, of the regular session of the 91st General Assembly, to be reimbursed when the appropriation of House Bill No. 531, of the 91st General Assembly, for this project, becomes available.

In addition, you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Globe Indemnity Company of New York, 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.

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,

JOHN W. BRICKER,

Attorney General.