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state game refuge. And, in this connection, it is noted that as to these leases the Conservation Council, acting through you as Conservation Commissioner, has made an order setting aside the lands described in the leases for the purpose of a state game and bird refuge, as provided for in Section 1435-1, General Code.

Upon examination of these leases, I find that the same have been executed and acknowledged by the lessors in the manner provided by law. I also find upon examination of the provisions of these leases and of the conditions and restrictions therein contained, that the same are in conformity with statutory provisions relating to the execution of leases of this kind.

I am accordingly approving these leases as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon the leases and upon the duplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General

2457.

APPROVAL—GRANT OF EASEMENT, STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH CONSERVATION COMMISSIONER, TRACT OF LAND, PARIS TOWNSHIP, PORTAGE COUNTY, OHIO, GRANTOR, ALBERT S. LAUFFER, FOR PUBLIC FISHING GROUNDS AND TO IMPROVE THE WATERS OR WATER COURSES PASSING THROUGH AND OVER SAID LAND.

Columbus, Оню, Мау 14, 1938.

Hon. L. Wooddell, Conservation Commissioner, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my examination and approval a certain grant of easement No. 1454, executed to the State of Ohio by Albert S. Lauffer, conveying to the State of Ohio, for the purposes therein stated, a certain tract of land in Paris Township. Portage County, Ohio.

By the above grant there is conveyed to the State of Ohio, certain land described therein, for the sole purpose of using said land for public fishing grounds, and to that end to improve the waters or water courses passing through and over said land.

Upon examination of the above instrument, I find that the same has been executed and acknowledged by the grantor in the manner provided by law and am accordingly approving the same as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed thereon, which is herewith returned.

Respectfully.

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General

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APPROVAL—BONDS, CITY OF -CLEVELAND, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO, \$4,000.00, PART OF ISSUE DATED MARCH 1, 1919.

Columbus, Оню, Мау 16, 1938.

Retirement Board, State Public School Employes' Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:

RE: Bonds of City of Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, \$4,000.00.

1 have examined the transcript relative to the above bonds purchased by you. These bonds comprise part of an issue of city's portion street improvement bonds in the aggregate amount of \$500,000, being bonds Nos. 97149 to 97648, of a \$3,000,000 authorization, dated March 1, 1919, bearing interest at the rate of 5% per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which these bonds have been authorized. I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute valid and legal obligations of said city.

Respectfully,
HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General