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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND PITSCH-PARTENHEIMER HEATING COMPANY, AKRON, OHIO, COVERING HEATING AND VENTILATING CONTRACT FOR ANIMAL INDUSTRY LABORATORY, OHIO AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION, WOOSTER, OHIO, AT EXPENDITURE OF \$2,889.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE FEDERAL SURETY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 23, 1926.

HON. G. F. SCHLESINGER, *Director of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works, for and on behalf of the Board of Control of Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, and Pitsch-Partenheimer Heating Company, of Akron, Ohio. This contract covers the Heating and Ventilating Contract (exclusive of Plumbing) for Animal Industry Laboratory, Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, Wooster, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of \$2,889.00.

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. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which the Federal 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.

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,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND JAMES L. FORD BECK ELECTRIC COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, COVERING CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACT FOR ANIMAL INDUSTRY LABORATORY, OHIO AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AT EXPENSE OF \$2,600.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE GLOBE INDEMNITY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 22, 1926.

HON. G. F. SCHLESINGER, *Director of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works, for and on behalf of the Board of Control of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, and James L.