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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE MIDDLE STATES CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, TO CONSTRUCT COAL AND ASH HANDLING MACHINERY, STATE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, \$11,750.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE FIDELITY AND CASUALTY COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 28, 1927.

HON. JOHN E. HARPER, *Director, Department of Public Welfare, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Welfare, and The Middle States Construction Company, Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Coal and Ash Handling Machinery for the State School for the Deaf, and calls for an expenditure of eleven thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$11,750.00).

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 Fidelity and Casualty 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,  
EDWARD C. TURNER.  
*Attorney General.*

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APPROVAL, ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, THE CRUSADERS MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 2, 1927

HON. CLARENCE J. BROWN, *Secretary of State, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—I am returning to you herewith the articles of incorporation of "The Crusaders Mutual Insurance Company," with my approval endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,  
EDWARD C. TURNER.  
*Attorney General.*