

purposes and also for supplying water to the shops of said company. The annual rental provided for in said lease is the sum of \$354.00.

Upon examination of the lease here in question, I find that the same has been properly executed by you and by the above named lessee, by and through the vice president of said company duly authorized in the premises. Said lease has been executed by you under authority of sections 431 and 14009 of the General Code, and finding the terms and provisions of said lease to be in conformity with said statutory provisions, said lease is accordingly hereby approved as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed on said lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,  
*Attorney General.*

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3654.

APPROVAL, LEASE FOR RIGHT OF MAINTAINING GAS PIPE LINES  
IN KIRKERSVILLE FEEDER—THE OHIO FUEL GAS COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 14, 1931.

HON. A. T. CONNAR, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my examination and approval three certain canal land leases in triplicate by the terms and provisions of which you have leased and granted to The Ohio Fuel Gas Company of Columbus, Ohio, the right and privilege, under the conditions and restrictions therein provided for, of occupying and using portions of that part of the Ohio Canal known as the Kirkersville Feeder for the purpose of maintaining therein gas pipe lines as now in place.

The terms of said leases are fifteen years each, and the annual rentals reserved therein are six per cent of the respective valuations of the several parcels of land leased for said purposes, which valuation in each case is the sum of \$200.00.

The leases here in question have been executed by you under authority of section 13970 of the General Code. Upon examination of said leases, I find the same to have been properly executed by you and by the lessee company above named. I also find that the terms and provisions of said leases are in conformity with the provisions of the above mentioned and other statutes relating to the execution of leases of this kind.

Said leases are accordingly approved by me as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed on said leases and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,  
*Attorney General.*