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DISAPPROVAL, BONDS OF BRISTOL TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, TRUMBULL COUNTY, \$50,000,00

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 5, 1926.

Re: Bonds of Bristol Township Rural School District, Trumbull County, \$50,000.00.

Retirement Board, State Teachers' Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—The transcript submitted in connection with the above issue of bonds contains the certificate of the clerk as to the posting of notices of election as follows:

"I, W. S. Munson, as Clerk of the Board of Education of the Bristol Township Rural School District, Trumbull County, Ohio, hereby certify that, as such Clerk, there being no newspapers of general circulation printed in said school district, posted notice of the election to be held on Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1925, a copy of which "NOTICE OF ELECTION" is herein attached to this transcript, on October 15th, 1925, in five (5) conspicuous places in said school district."

Section 5649-9b G. C. provides in part as follows:

"If no newspaper of general circulation is printed in said subdivision the notice shall be posted in two conspicuous places therein at least thirty days prior to the election and published once a week for four consecutive weeks in one or more newspapers of general circulation in the district."

It is therefore observed that the posting of five notices on October 13, 1925, giving the notice of election on November 3, 1925, will not be in compliance with the provisions of this statute.

In view of this failure to comply with the statutory requirements, as to the posting of the notices, I am compelled to disapprove the issue for the reason that it would not be a valid and legal obligation of the school district, and you are advised not to accept the same.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF CITY OF CUYAHOGA FALLS, SUMMIT COUNTY, \$180,535.00.

Columbus, Ohio, April 6, 1926.

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.