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as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon said leases and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof.

Respectfully, Gilbert Bettman, Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, LEASE TO ORCHARD ISLAND, INC., PROPERTY KNOWN AS FOX ISLAND, IN INDIAN LAKE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 23, 1929.

HON. RICHARD T. WISDA, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:--You have recently resubmitted for my examination and approval a certain lease in triplicate, executed by the State of Ohio through you as Superintendent of Public Works, whereby there is leased and demised to the Orchard Islands, Inc., of Orchard Island, Indian Lake, Ohio, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Ohio, a certain parcel of state reservoir property located in the north half of Section 36, Township 6, south, Range 8, east, Logan County, Ohio, commonly known as Fox Island, excepting therefrom a lot heretofore leased by the State of Ohio to one John Richter, of Milford Center, Ohio.

Upon the original submission of this lease, the same was disapproved for the reason that the records of the Secretary of State showed that the articles of incorporation of the Orchard Island, Inc., had been canceled by reason of the failure of said corporation to pay the corporation franchise taxes imposed upon it by law.

A recent examination of the records in the office of the Secretary of State, shows that said corporation has paid said corporation franchise taxes and has been reinstated pursuant to statutory provision in such case made and provided.

An examination of said lease shows that the same has been executed in substantial compliance with the provisions of Section 471 and other related sections of the General Code of Ohio, and that all rights of the State of Ohio have been carefully safeguarded by provisions to that end in said lease. No reason appearing why this lease should not be approved by this department, the same is hereby approved, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon said lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof.

Respectfully, Gilbert Bettman, Attorney General.

646.

APPROVAL, LEASE TO OFFICE ROOMS IN SOUTH STONEMAN BUILD-ING, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR USE OF OHIO COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 23, 1929.

HON. RICHARD T. WISDA, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio. DEAR SIR:-You have submitted for my examination and opinion a lease between

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the Sharp Realty Company, as lessor, and the State of Ohio, by Richard T. Wisda, Director, Department of Public Works, acting for the Department of Public Welfare, Ohio Commission for the Blind, as lessee, covering floor space located on the fourth floor of the South Stoneman Building in the city of Columbus, Ohio. The proposed lease is for a term of six months, beginning the first day of July, 1929, and ending on the thirty-first day of December, 1929, and calls for an expenditure of one thousand and fifty dollars (\$1,050.00).

You have submitted an encumbrance estimate, No. 5279, bearing the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated sufficient to pay the above item.

Upon examination of said lease and the other paper submitted therewith, I am of the opinion that the same are in proper legal form and therefore approve the same.

I am returning herewith the lease and encumbrance estimate submitted in this connection.

Respectfully, GILBERT BETTMAN, Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTIONS ON ROAD IMPROVEMENTS IN GALLIA COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OH10, July 23, 1929.

HON. ROBERT N. WAID, Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

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CRIMINAL RECOGNIZANCE—NOTICE OF STATE'S PROPERTY LIEN FILED WITH COUNTY RECORDER—REQUIRED TO BE INDEXED.

SYLLABUS:

The notice of the lien arising in favor of the State of Ohio with respect to a recognizance in an amount exceeding the sum of two hundred dollars and the affidavit of justification supporting the same provided for in Sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 14 of Amended Senate Bill No. 8, enacted by the 88th General Assembly, which notice is to be filed with the county recorder by the court taking such recognizance or the clerk thereof, is not required to be copied by the county recorder in the book or record provided for in Section 7 of said chapter and act; but the county recorder is only