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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND THE KAUFFMAN-LATTIMER COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CABINET WORK, CHEMISTRY BUILDING, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$23,656.26.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 2, 1928.

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

Dear Sir:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, and The Kauffman-Lattimer Company, of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Cabinet Contract, Chemistry Building, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of Twenty-three Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-six and 26/100ths (\$23,-656.26) dollars.

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. You have also furnished evidence to the effect that the consent of the Controlling Board to the expenditure has been obtained, as required by Section 12 of House Bill No. 502 of the 87th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract, upon which the Commercial Casualty Insurance 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,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

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SYNOPSIS—OHIO CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 14—COMPENSATION OF JUDGES—DISAPPROVAL.

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Disapproving synopsis of proposed amendment of Section 14 of Article IV of the Constitution of Ohio.

Columbus, Ohio, June 2, 1928.

Messrs. Beckerman & Felsman, Attorneys-at-Law, 525 National City Bank Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Under the provisions of Section 5175-29e, General Code, which, inter alia, provides: