APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND ALBERT B. ISABEL \& COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, TO CONSTRUCT COTTAGE "H", INSTITUTION FOR FEEBLE MINDED, ORIENT, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF $\$ 127,566.00-S U R E T Y$ BOND EXECUTED BY THE ROYAL INDEMNITY COMPANY.

Columbus, Ohio, July 14, 1927.

Hon. George F. Schlesinger, Director, Department of Highways \& Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.
Dear Sir:-You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works, for The Department of Public Welfare, and Albert B. Isabel \& Company, of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of General Contract for Cottage "H", Institution for Feeble Minded, Orient, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of one hundred twenty-seven thousand five hundred and sixty-six dollars $(\$ 127,566.00)$.

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. You have also submitted a contract bond upon which the Royal Indemnity 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,<br>Edward C. Turner, Attorney General. TRUMBULL AND TUSCARAWAS COUNTIES.

Columbus, Ohio, July 15, 1927.

Hon. George F. Schlesinger, Director, Department of Highways \& Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

