

STATUTES—CONSTRUCTION OF LAWS BY OTHER
DEPARTMENT USUALLY APPROVED.

Tallahassee, Fla., June 15, 1917.

Honorable Sidney J. Catts, Governor.
Capitol.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 6th instant with letter from Honorable D. F. Carlton of Tampa, Florida, and other correspondence relative to the subject-matter of his inquiry, has been received and noted.

It appears from his inquiry and the correspondence accompanying it that this matter has been submitted to the Comptroller, through whose office matters of this kind are given attention, and that the Comptroller in replying when the question was submitted to him referred to the statute which is applicable and controlling in such cases.

The views expressed in the reply of the Comptroller seem to be in accord with the provisions of the statute.

I am returning herewith the file of correspondence on this subject.

Very respectfully,

T. F. WEST,

Attorney General.