

File No. 14043

Baltimore, February 16, 1912.

Hon. S. S. Field,
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:

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In reply to your inquiry in reference to the method of employing such inspectors and other skilled employees as may be required by the Paving Commission under Act of 1908 Chapter 202, ^{Op.} 644, &c., I beg to state:

That it is entirely consistent with the terms of said Act to permit the Chief Engineer of the Paving Commission to select and recommend such inspectors and other skilled employees of the Commission as in his judgment are qualified to perform the duties necessary to accomplish the results contemplated by said Act, subject to confirmation by the Paving Commission of the persons so selected and recommended.

I understand that this is the method pursued by the Sewerage Commission, the terms of the powers of the Commission under the Sewerage Commission Act being identical with those of the Paving Commission under the Paving Commission Act.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) Benjamin H. McKindless,
Assistant City Solicitor.

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File No. 14057

Baltimore, February 17, 1912.

H. Kent McCay, Esq.,
City Engineer.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of the 17th inst., I should say that where several samples are submitted, the City has the right to select the one it thinks best.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) S. S. Field,
City Solicitor.