

File No. 25618

Baltimore, November 15, 1919.

Hon. Peter E. Tome,
Comptroller.

Dear Sir:

I have your inquiry with reference to the balance of
\$48,693.82 in 1957 Engine House Loan, Ordinance 239, 1907.

This is a balance out of the \$1,000,000 loan authorized by
Chapter 467½ of the Acts of 1906. The Act reads as follows:

"The proceeds thereof to be used for the purpose
of acquiring by purchase condemnation or otherwise,
the land for fire engine houses and of constructing
and re-constructing fire engine houses."

Ordinance No. 239, approved March 22nd, 1907, authorizing
the issuance of the stock, used the same language.

If the building contemplated is in any sense adaptable
for use as a fire engine house the balance of this loan can be
used for its construction, otherwise in my opinion, it cannot.

Respectfully yours,
(Signed) Roland R. Marchant,
City Solicitor.

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