It must be assumed that the definite amounts appropriated from the fund in the 1949 Act for the Department of Revenue, the Division of Geology and the Division of Oil and Gas were deemed necessary for the proper functioning of these units of government. The Legislature could not be certain that revenue collections would exceed the amount of the specific appropriations for the current biennium. Surely the Legislature did not intend to appropriate excess funds to the Oil and Gas Division at the risk of creating a deficiency in the fund which would make it impossible to satisfy specific appropriations.

In conclusion, it is my opinion that no excess revenue should be allocated to the Oil and Gas Division under the 1949 Act until severance tax collections for the current biennium plus the balance remaining in the Oil, Gas and Geology Fund at the close of the past fiscal year shall equal the amount of the specific appropriations from said fund to the Department of Revenue, the Division of Geology and the Division of Oil and Gas for the current biennium. If and when this amount shall have accumulated, the entire excess, if any, should be allocated to the Division of Oil and Gas of the Department of Conservation. Any portion of such allocation which shall remain unused by the Division of Oil and Gas at the close of the current biennium will revert to the Oil, Gas and Geology Fund where it will remain until appropriated by a future Legislature.

OFFICIAL OPINION NO. 29

May 1, 1950.

Miss Florence M. Thimlar,
Executive Secretary,
State Board of Beauty Culturist Examiners,
301 State House,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Miss Thimlar:

Your letter of April 18, 1950, has been received requesting an official opinion as to whether or not a registered apprentice
beauty culturist must renew her apprentice license every three months or every six months or annually.

Section 63-1813, Burns 1943 Replacement same being Section 13, Chapter 72, Acts 1935, provides in part as follows:

"Every registered beauty culturist and every registered apprentice and registered manicurist and registered electrologist, who continues in active practice or service shall annually, on or within (30) days before the first day of August of each year, renew her certificate of registration and pay the required fee. * * *

Under the clear provisions of the above statute a registered apprentice beauty culturist is only required to renew her license on or within thirty days before the first day of August of each year. Therefore, such license is considered an annual license and would not have to be renewed except at the time stated in the statute.

OFFICIAL OPINION NO. 30

May 3, 1950.

Mr. Arthur M. Thurston,
Superintendent of Indiana State Police,
Stout Field,
Indianapolis 21, Indiana.

Dear Mr. Thurston:

Your letter of March 14, 1950, has been received in which you desire to know whether or not the phrase "State Director of Public Safety" as used in the State School Bus Safety statutes is synonymous with "Superintendent of Indiana State Police" for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of said statutes.

The Indiana State School Bus Safety Statutes are Sections 29-3905, et seq. Burns 1948 Replacement, same being Chapter 303, Acts of 1935. Section 7 of said act, same being Section 28-3911, Burns 1943 Replacement provides as follows:

"The state director of public safety or one (1) or more representatives designated by him shall have the authority to inspect any school-bus or vehicle used for