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State of Delaware



Executive Department

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 12

Providing for the Insertion of a Clause in all Contracts Executed by any Department or Agency of the State of Delaware, Directing that all Contractors Shall Observe the Requirements of Senate Bill 198, Enacted by the General Assembly of 1951

By Order of the Governor of the State of Delaware and in accordance with the authority vested in Him by the Constitution and Laws of this State:

1. It is hereby directed that in all future contracts of the various State Departments and Agencies for building and excavating, there shall be included a clause to provide that whenever, in the course of construction projects, archaeological evidence shall be encountered below the surface of the ground, the contractor shall notify the authorities of the State Museum and suspend work in the immediate area for a reasonable time to permit those authorities, or persons designated by them, to examine the area and insure the proper removal of the archaeological evidence for suitable preservation in the State Museum.

2. This Order shall take effect on September 17, 1951.

APPROVED this 17th day of September,
1951

By the Governor:

ATTEST:

Secretary of State

