Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO:  Mr. Victor Christgau
     Director

FROM:  Ewell T. Bartlett, Assistant Director

DATE: August 30, 1954

SUBJECT: Approval of Modification No. 19 of the Coverage Agreement with
          The State of Rhode Island

Enclosed for the Director's approval is the above identified
modification of a Federal-State agreement extending coverage to an
additional coverage group.

2 Copies Enclosed for Signature

Unknown No. of Employees

1 Total No. of Coverage Groups 12/20/51 Date of Execution of
   Original Agreement

Executed for State by: Raymond H. Hawkins, General Treasurer

Types of Coverage Groups: 1 Fire District

Effective Date of Coverage: January 1, 1954

Remarks:

The Acting Regional Attorney has concluded that
Pascoag Fire District is a political subdivision within the
meaning of Sec. 218(b)(2) of the Social Security Act.

It is recommended that the Director approve, date and sign
the enclosed modification pursuant to the authority delegated by the
Secretary and that the enclosed letter to the State official be
released. This submittal and the enclosed modification have been
cleared with the Office of the General Counsel

[Signature]

Ewell T. Bartlett

Enclosures (5)

Clear by Office of General Counsel
MODIFICATION NO. 19

TO RHODE ISLAND STATE SOCIAL SECURITY AGREEMENT

The Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare and the State of Rhode Island acting through its representative designated to administer its responsibilities under the Agreement of December 20, 1951, hereby accept as additional coverage groups under said Agreement and acknowledge the full applicability of the original Agreement to the following:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>COVERAGE</th>
<th>NAME</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Pascoag Fire District</td>
<td>Rowland Gaunt</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Pascoag Fire District</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Pascoag, Rhode Island</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The effective date for coverage of this group shall be January 1, 1954.

Approved for the State of Rhode Island this third day of August, 1954.

by Raymond H. Hawkins
GENERAL TREASURER

Approved this 1st day of September, 1954.

Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare

by Victor Christgau

Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance
Victor Christgau, Director