

**Opinion No. 305****State Examiner—Special Examinations  
—Fees—Fish and Game Commission.**

HELD: The State Examiner may charge the statutory fee for making a special examination of the State Fish and Game Commission by request.

August 15, 1933.

You have asked whether or not the State Examiner may make a charge for a special examination of the Fish and Game Commission, by request.

You have called attention to the Laws of 1923, Chapter 93, Section 2, and the third paragraph on page 251. This paragraph, a part of section 2, has been amended by the Laws of 1929, Chapter 167, Section 2, which reads, in part, as follows:

**“Special examinations may be made of any county, city, town, school district, irrigation district, high school, bank, building and loan association or any other office, board or commission, whether temporary or permanent, however created, and for whatever purpose, having the control, management, collection, or disbursement of any public money of any character or description, when in the judgment of the State Examiner it shall be deemed necessary, and such special examinations shall be charged for at the rate of Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00) per day**

for each examiner employed for the time actually consumed, together with the necessary transportation\* \* \*."

It is my opinion that the words in black type of said section 2 quoted, gives the State Examiner the right to charge the Fish and Game Commission for such special examination. The words of the statute are very broad. There are no commissions, to my knowledge, in the county, which require examinations and in order to give this statute effect it would necessarily have to refer to state commissions, such as the Fish and Game Commission.