

Investment of  
municipal  
trust funds.

banks, or, — so as to read as follows: — *Section 54.* Trust funds, including cemetery perpetual care funds, unless otherwise provided or directed by the donor thereof, shall be placed at interest in savings banks, trust companies incorporated under the laws of the commonwealth, or national banks, or invested by cities and towns in shares of co-operative banks, or in securities which are legal investments for savings banks. This section shall not apply to Boston.  
*Approved May 16, 1933.*

**Chap.201** AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE FURNISHING WITHOUT CHARGE OF COPIES OF CRIMINAL RECORDS BY CLERKS OF COURTS TO DISTRICT ATTORNEYS AND CERTAIN POLICE OFFICERS.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

G. L. (Ter.  
Ed.), 262, § 5,  
amended.

Section five of chapter two hundred and sixty-two of the General Laws, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition thereof, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following: — ; provided, that clerks shall, upon the request of the chief police officer of any city or town, or of any district attorney within the commonwealth, furnish without charge to such chief police officer or district attorney certified copies of criminal records in their custody, — so as to read as follows: — *Section 5.* When clerks cause copies to be printed which they are required to furnish, they shall make no charge for such printed copies in excess of the amount actually paid for the printing thereof. They may require the estimated cost of said printing to be paid in advance, and they shall supervise the printing and correct the proofs without charge. All written copies, including such as are prepared for printing, shall be charged for at the rate of twenty cents a page; provided, that clerks shall, upon the request of the chief police officer of any city or town, or of any district attorney within the commonwealth, furnish without charge to such chief police officer or district attorney certified copies of criminal records in their custody.  
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Fees of clerks  
of courts for  
copies, excep-  
tions, etc.

**Chap.202** AN ACT REQUIRING THE FILING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES OF CERTAIN CONTRACTS OF GAS, ELECTRIC AND WATER COMPANIES.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

G. L. (Ter.  
Ed.), 164, new  
section  
after § 85.

Certain con-  
tracts of gas,  
etc., com-  
panies to be  
filed with de-  
partment of  
public utilities.

SECTION 1. Chapter one hundred and sixty-four of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section eighty-five, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition thereof, the following new section: — *Section 85A.* A gas or electric company that has, prior to the effective date of this section, entered into or shall thereafter enter into any contract with an affiliated company as defined in section eighty-five, for the payment of any fees, salaries, commis-

sions or percentages for services of any kind furnished or rendered, or to be furnished or rendered, to such gas or electric company shall file with the department within ten days after said effective date a copy of any such existing contract and any extension or modification thereof, if in writing, or, if not in writing, a statement of all the terms thereof, and within ten days after the execution of any such contract, or of any extension or modification of any such contract whether or not existing on said effective date, a copy thereof, if in writing, or, if not in writing, a statement setting forth all the terms thereof. A gas or electric company failing to file a copy or statement as required herein shall forfeit five dollars for each day during which such failure continues. All such forfeitures may be recovered by an information in equity brought in the supreme judicial court by the attorney general, at the relation of the department, and when so recovered shall be paid to the commonwealth.

SECTION 2. Chapter one hundred and sixty-five of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section four, as so appearing, the following new section: — *Section 4A.* A water company that has, prior to the effective date of this section, entered into or shall thereafter enter into any contract with an affiliated company as herein defined, for the payment of any fees, salaries, commissions or percentages for services of any kind furnished or rendered, or to be furnished or rendered, to such water company shall file with the department within ten days after said effective date a copy of any such existing contract and any extension or modification thereof, if in writing, or, if not in writing, a statement of all the terms thereof, and within ten days after the execution of any such contract, or of any extension or modification of any such contract whether or not existing on said effective date, a copy thereof, if in writing, or, if not in writing, a statement setting forth all the terms thereof. The words "affiliated company", as appearing in this section, shall be defined as in section eighty-five of chapter one hundred and sixty-four except that, in construing the definition in said section eighty-five for the purposes hereof, the words "a company subject to this chapter" shall mean a company as defined in section one of this chapter. A water company failing to file a copy or statement as required herein shall forfeit five dollars for each day during which such failure continues. All such forfeitures may be recovered by an information in equity brought in the supreme judicial court by the attorney general, at the relation of the department, and when so recovered shall be paid to the commonwealth.

*Approved May 16, 1933.*

G. L. (Ter. Ed.), 165, new section after § 4.

Certain contracts of water companies with affiliated companies to be filed with department of public utilities.