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Chap. 471. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE COLLECTION OF A FEE FOR CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT SERVICES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 262 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 3 the following section:-

Section 3A. The district court department shall impose a fee for child support collection services furnished under chapter two hundred and seventy-three, two hundred and seventy-three A or any other chapter in which an individual may be ordered to pay support on behalf of another. The amount of the fee and the manner in which it is imposed shall be in accordance with the provisions of 42 USC Secs. 651 to 660, inclusive, of the Social Security Act.

SECTION 2. Said chapter 262 is hereby further amended by inserting after section 40 the following section:-

Section 40A. The probate and family court department shall impose a fee for child support collection services furnished under chapter two hundred and eight, two hundred and nine or any other chapter in which an individual may be ordered to pay support on behalf of another. The amount of the fee and the manner in which it is imposed shall be in accordance with the provisions of 42 USC Secs. 651 to 660, inclusive, of the Social Security Act.

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Chap. 472. AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT LIMITS BY INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 66B of chapter 175 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the fourth sentence, as amended by section 3 of chapter 438 of the acts of 1981, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:- No real property shall be purchased, leased, acquired or improved under this section if the cost or value thereof, or the estimated cost of proposed improvements thereon, or both of them, as the case may be, would exceed two per cent of the assets of such company, except as otherwise approved by the commissioner, nor if any such cost or value, plus the book value on the date of such purchase, lease or acquisition thereof, of all real property held under this section, would exceed fifteen per cent of such assets, nor if any such cost or value, together with the book value on

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such date of all real property held by the company, exclusive of real estate acquired for the convenient accommodation in the transaction of its business and real estate held pursuant to chapter one hundred and twenty-one A would exceed twenty per cent of its assets.

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Chap. 473. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS OF THE TOWN OF WARE TO REGULATE THE TOWN'S SEWER SYSTEM.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 10 of chapter 75 of the acts of 1963, as amended by section 6 of chapter 386 of the acts of 1965, is hereby further amended by adding the following four sentences:- If any such annual rental or charge has not been paid in full within thirty days after the date on which payment of said rental or charge is due, the board may charge interest on the unpaid portion at a rate of no greater than eighteen per cent per annum. It shall be an unlawful use, as that term is used in section thirteen A of the town sewer system for a user to continue to use such system if any annual rental or charge has not been paid in full within sixty days after the date on which payment of said rental or charge is due. The board may also establish and collect appropriate application fees and permit fees from users or potential users of the sewer system or systems. Such fees shall not exceed two hundred dollars per application or permit.

SECTION 2. Said chapter 75 is hereby further amended by striking out section 11, as amended by section 7 of said chapter 386, and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

Section 11. The board of water and sewer commissioners shall have the power to enter into contracts in the name of the town in all matters concerning the laying out, construction, use, operation, maintenance, and regulation of the town's system or systems of sewerage and sewage treatment and disposal, including but not limited to the construction, use, operation, maintenance and regulation of the town's treatment plant. All contracts made by said board shall be signed by the board, but no contract shall be made or obligations incurred by said board for any purpose in excess of the amount of money appropriated by the town therefor.