

Public Health Act 1936

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PART XII

GENERAL.

Provisions as to recovery of expenses, doc.

295 Power of local authority to grant charging orders.

- (1) Where a local authority have under this Act required any person to execute works and those works have been completed, the person executing the works, or any person who has advanced money to enable them to be executed, may apply to the authority for a charging order and the authority, on being satisfied as to the due execution of the works and as to the amount of the expenditure thereon and, in the case of an advance, as to the sum advanced, may make an order accordingly charging on the premises on which the works were executed, and on all estates and interests therein, an annuity to repay the sum expended or advanced, as the case may be.
- (2) Subject as hereinafter provided, the annuity charged shall be such sum as the authority may determine in respect of every hundred pounds of the said amount and so in proportion in respect of any fraction of that amount, and shall commence from the date of the order and be payable by equal half-yearly payments for a term of thirty years to the person named in the order, his executors, administrators or assigns :

Provided that the Minister may from time to time by order fix the maximum sum to be so charged in respect of a hundred pounds.