terest and costs with respect to each such motor vehicle as follows: [five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00)] ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) because of bodily injury to or death of one person in any one accident, and, subject to said limit for one person, [ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)] twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) because of bodily injury to or death of two or more persons in any one accident, and [one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00)] five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) because of injury to or destruction of property of others in any one accident,

Effective date.

Section 5. This act shall take effect January 1, 1958.

Approved—The 27th day of May, A. D. 1957.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 104

AN ACT

To further amend the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws 932), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," by authorizing annexation in certain instances of property owned by cities on the effective date of this act.

The Third Class City Code.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Article V., act of June 23, 1931, P. L. 932, last reenacted and amended June 28, 1951, P. L. 662, further amended by adding sections 561 and 562 under a new sub-heading (h).

Procedure to annex contigu-

ous property owned by a city of the third

class.

Section 1. Article V. of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws 932), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as last reenacted and amended by the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred fifty-one (1951-52 Pamphlet Laws 662), is hereby further amended by adding, at the end thereof, immediately following section five hundred sixty, two new sections to read as follows:

(h) Annexation of Property Owned by a City

Section 561. Any city owning land contiguous to said city on the effective date of this act may annex said territory in the following manner:

A bill may be introduced in council to annex said land, setting forth a description of the territory to be annexed and the courses and distances of the boundaries of such territory. If said bill becomes an ordinance by action of council, a copy thereof shall be certified to the Department of Internal Affairs.

Procedure to make annexation effective.

Section 562. Upon such annexation by ordinance, a plan of the territory annexed shall be filed by the city

council in the office of the county commissioners and with the clerk of the court of quarter sessions, and thereupon the annexation shall become effective.

The annexation proceedings authorized by these sections are in addition to, and not in substitution of, proceedings otherwise provided by law for annexation of territory, and may be followed without reference to or compliance with such other provisions.

Approved—The 27th day of May, A. D. 1957.

GEORGE M. LEADER

## No. 105

## AN ACT

Amending the act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation as bodies corporate and politic of 'Authorities' for municipalities, counties and townships; prescribing the rights, powers and duties of such Authorities herestofore or hereafter incorporated; authorizing such Authorities to acquire, construct, improve, maintain and operate projects, and to borrow money and issue bonds therefor; providing for the payment of such bonds, and prescribing the rights of the holders thereof; conferring the right of eminent domain on such Authorities; authorizing such Authorities to enter into contracts with and to accept grants from the Federal Government or any agency thereof; and conferring exclusive jurisdiction on certain courts over rates," authorizing Authorities to charge for the cost of constructing water mains, making the charges liens, providing for the collection thereof, and authorizing Authorities to charge tapping fees for water mains.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Clauses (r), (s) and (t) of subsection B of section 4, act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), known as the "Municipality Authorities Act of 1945," clause (t) added June 12, 1947 (P. L. 571), and clauses (r) and (s) amended September 26, 1951 (P. L. 1507), are amended to read:

Section 4. Purposes and Powers; General.—\* \* \*

B. Every Authority is hereby granted, and shall have and may exercise all powers necessary or convenient for the carrying out of the aforesaid purposes, including but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the following rights and powers:

(r) To charge the cost of construction of any sewer or water main constructed by the Authority against the properties benefited, improved or accommodated thereby to the extent of such benefits. Such benefits shall be

Municipality Authorities Act of 1945.

Clauses (r), (s) and (t), subsection B, section 4, act of May 2, 1945, P. L. 382. clause (t) added June 12, 1947, P. L. 571, and clauses (r) and (s) amended September 26, 1951, P. L. 1507, further amended.