



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Department of Public Utilities proposes to amend its regulations (220 CMR 99.00 et. seq.) which implement the Dig Safe Law, G.L. c. 82, section 40. The purpose of the amendment is (1) to define key terms used in the enforcement of the Dig Safe Law; (2) to set out the procedures which must be followed during emergency excavations; (3) to establish uniform methods to identify the location of excavation cites; (4) to set forth the standards for determining penalties for violations of the statute and regulations; and (4) to make other minor amendments to the regulations.

The Department will hold a public hearing on Friday, August 18, 1989, at 10:30 A.M at the Department's offices, 100 Cambridge Street, 12th floor, Boston, Massachusetts on the proposed regulations pursuant to G.L. c. 30A, sec. 2, to determine whether the Department should adopt these regulations.

Interested persons may present facts, opinions or arguments relating to the proposal at the public hearing.

If you want to submit written comments, you must do so no later than 5:00 P.M., August 25, 1989, at the Department's offices, 100 Cambridge Street, 12th floor, Boston, Massachusetts 02202.

A copy of the amended regulations proposed by the Department is available by writing to Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary to the Department, at the address above, or calling the Department at (617) 727-3500.

By Order of the Department


MARY L. COTTRELL, Secretary

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DPU notice of a public hearing to be held
on August 18, 1989 Re: whether the DPU should
adopt proposed regulations concerning the Dig
Safe Law.

IN City Council,

August 7, 1989

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