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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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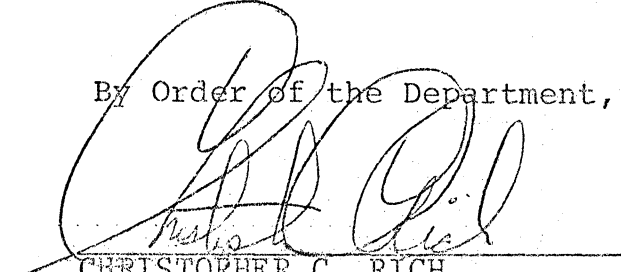
Investigation by the Department on its own motion as to the method of computing for allowance for funds used during construction by private investor-owned utilities.

The Department of Public Utilities has voted, pursuant to Chapter 164 of the General Laws, Section 76, to inquire into the method by which private investor-owned utilities operating within the Commonwealth compute their allowance for funds used during construction ("AFUDC"). Said investigation is being undertaken in accordance with the Department's pronouncement in D.P.U. 19991 (1979) that alternative methodologies to current Department practice regarding the computation of AFUDC should be the subject of and considered in a generic proceeding.

Presentation of data, views, arguments, or statements relating to the computation of AFUDC may be submitted by interested persons at a public hearing to be held by the Department at its Hearing Room, #1210, Leverett Saltonstall Building, 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, Massachusetts, commencing on June 20, 1980 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon.

Interested persons who anticipate presenting data, views, arguments, or statements at the hearing are requested to submit to the Department a written statement of such intention to participate in the proceeding on or before May 23, 1980. Any data, brief, exhibit, memoranda, or prepared statement to be submitted for consideration in this matter is to be filed with the Department on or before June 6, 1980.

By Order of the Department,



CHRISTOPHER C. RICH
Secretary

City of Cambridge

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Notice of a public hearing by the Dept. of
Public Utilities on June 20, 1980 at 10 a.m.
at 100 Cambridge St., Boston, re: method of
computing for allowance for funds used during
construction by private investor-owned utilities

In City Council,

May 5, 1980

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Referred to the

Legislative Agent-